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Dear Editor,

We are submitting a new manuscript entitled: Differences in integrin expression and signaling within human breast cancer cells, to BMC Cancer for consideration of publication.

In our study, we used three breast cancer cell lines to examine a number of cellular factors affecting integrin signaling and have noted major phenotypic variations between the cancer lines that may account for some of the heterogeneity of breast cancer. These differences include expression of integrins, formation of integrin-related structures, expression of integrin co-receptors, and cell agonist-induce and cell adhesion-induced intracellular signaling via MAPK and Src pathways.

We feel that your journal is the appropriate form in which to present our findings.

Competing interests: We declare that we have no competing interests.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Haas, Ph.D.