Reviewer's report

Title: Rab11 Regulates E-cadherin Expression and Induces Cell Transformation in Colorectal Carcinoma

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Comments

Major Compulsory Revisions

This article focuses on the Rab11 regulating expression of E-cadherin in colorectal cancer, which is seldom reported in the current literature. And the preliminary results from this research are inspiring. I think this study maybe is helpful for scholars to enhance understanding about the biological behavior of colorectal cancer. However, I think the authors should revise or answer those questions.

1. The words of article should be polishing, the concept of professional terms should seek to clear and structured. Such as, there are many insignificant sentences in the article, the first sentence of Background——“Most cancers are epithelial cancers”. The concept of “tumor” does not mean “cancer”, and “65 men (male), 48 women (female)”. Please revise the above-mentioned facts.

2. The authors only wrote the patients' age range. Please provide the median age, and the percentage please described to one decimal place as a unified form in this paper.

3. The structure of article is too loose and lack of logic thread, especially THE BODY OF TEXT. It made the scientific thesis less prominent. It does harm to the readers' reading and comprehension. Please give the logic ordinal numeral, such as 1, 1.1, 1.2……2, 2.1, 2.2 ……

4. The content of article should be condensed; the part of Background is too long.

5. Some references are outmoded; please provide the recent literatures as possible. And revise the references according to demanded format by editors of journals.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.
Declaration of competing interests:

No