Reviewer's report

Title: B7-H3 expression in colorectal cancer: associations with clinicopathological parameters and patient outcome

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Major Compulsory Revisions.

In this article, the authors have just expand the sample size of the patients compared with the article they published last year (B7-H3 expression in colorectal cancer: nuclear localization strongly predicts poor outcome in colon cancer. Int J Cancer. 2012 Dec 1;131(11):2528-36), and there is no change in the substance. Experiments should be done to prove the function of B7-H3 and its possible reason that effect the clinical outcome.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests