Reviewer’s report

Title: AZGP1 inhibits soft tissue sarcoma cells invasion and migration

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In this manuscript, the authors investigated the prognostic value of AZGP1 in soft tissue sarcomas, using clinical samples and established culture cell lines, and conclude that the reduced expression levels of AZGP1 in STS tissues is indicative of a more aggressive behavior. Although similar studies have been performed in other different tumors, this is the first study assessing the role AZGP1 in soft tissue sarcomas, which in my opinion deserves consideration for publication in BMC cancer. Overall the study is well organized, used appropriated methodological approaches and are sustained by actual references and the results are well supported by the experimental data. However, there are some issues that needs to be improved before publication.

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