Reviewer’s report

Title: Weipiling ameliorates gastric precancerous lesions in Atp4a-/ mice

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The research is very interesting, the method is clear. Authors write that Weipiling consist of eight herbs, which of them has anticancer effect? As the Author write "Clinical and basic research shows that a WPL decoction can effectively relieve clinical symptoms, improve quality of life, and reverse precancerous lesions, but the specific mechanism governing this effect is unknown".

Whether Weipiling was tested on cel lines? If we know that Weipiling effect on cell cancer is unknown, I am sure, that the research should be performed on cell lines first.

In my opinion the use of weipiling in clinical trials will be difficult, so conclusions should be very, very careful.

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