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Suppression of YAP by DDP disrupts colon tumor progression

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After having considered the various issues that have been brought to light with this paper, together with an appeal from the authors that a Corrigendum be published, the Editor of Oncology Reports has ruled that the article should be retracted from the publication on account of a lack of overall confidence in the presented data. Note that the authors were not in agreement that the number of errors reported and identified were sufficient to merit the retraction of the article. Additionally, the authors carefully checked the raw data and drew a conclusion that the final scientific conclusions were not affected. The Editor and the authors apologize to the readership for any inconvenience caused.

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