Dear Editor and Reviewers,

Thanks very much for taking your time to review this manuscript"Establishment and characterization of a new human ampullary carcinoma cell line, DPC-X1" (Manuscript NO.: 82578, Basic Study). I really appreciate all your comments and suggestions! Please find my itemized responses in below and my revisions/corrections in the re-submitted files.

Thanks again!

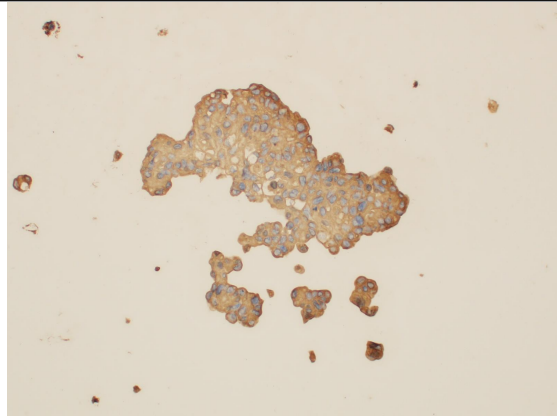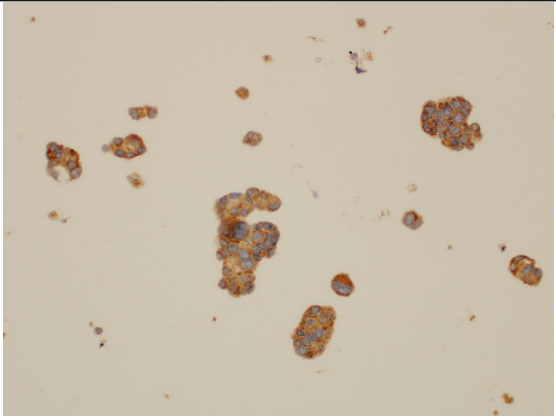Reviewer #1:

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade A (Priority publishing)

Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Specific Comments to Authors: Study design is robust and Manuscript is well written. Regarding immunohistochemistry, inclusion of markers E-cadherin for epithelial nature of cells and absence of fibroblasts in cell line by using marker alpha-SMA, would add value to data.

We appreciate your hard work and suggestions!

We previously detected the expression of E-cadherin and Vimentin in DPC-X1 organs. The results showed that E-cadherin and Vimentin were both positive. This shows that DPC-X1 has the characteristics of EMT. These results should provide similar answers to reviewers. But we appreciate your advice, we will further study the expression of alpha-SMA in DPC-X1 cells in the future. Thanks!

| E-cadherin | Vimentin |

Reviewer #2:

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Specific Comments to Authors: The authors presented the topic logistically with the structured manuscript except minor English editing and proofreading.

We appreciate your hard work and suggestions！

We have revised the language of the article again. Thank you！

We are very grateful for your and reviewers' warm work earnestly. In all, we found the reviewers'comments are quite helpful.

They point the deficiencies about our manuscript, also the aspects that we have not done enough. It plays an important role in guiding for our future research, and helps us for further improvement.

We have tried our best to improve the manuscript and made extensive modification in the original manuscript according to the comments. These changes will not influence the content and framework of the paper. Here did not list all the changes but in revised manuscript.

Thank you and the reviewers again for your help, and hope that the correction will meet with approval.