

**Response to review.**

03674597 Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

Dear Author your editorial is good.

**Author's response: Thank you for your positive comment.**

00742509 Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade A (Priority publishing)

In this manuscript, author introduced focal adhesion kinase (FAK) as a potent prognostic marker and a possible target for colorectal cancer therapies with providing an update on the scientific basis. This editorial paper covers comprehensive aspects in this field, carefully discuss the latest status with sufficient number of reference papers, and is concisely written. The information given is helpful to promote the further advance in colorectal cancer therapies. This reviewer has no essential criticism to the contents.

**Author's response: Thank you for your positive comment.**

00004011 Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

it is a well documented manuscript

**Author's response: Thank you for your positive comment.**

03478635 Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade A (Priority publishing)

References need to be checked.

**Author's response: All references have been checked again.**