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**Correction to “Aberrant methylation of secreted protein acidic and rich in cysteine gene and its significance in gastric cancer”**

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**Abstract**

We have replaced the misapplied images and the revised Figure 6C is provided.

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Shao S, Zhou NM, Dai DQ. Correction to “Aberrant methylation of secreted protein acidic and rich in cysteine gene and its significance in gastric cancer”. *World J Gastroenterol* 2022; In press

**Core Tip:** This is a correction to “Aberrant methylation of secreted protein acidic and rich in cysteine gene and its significance in gastric cancer”.

**CORRECTION**

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We are deeply regretful that we have misapplied one inappropriate image in this article. We have replaced the misapplied image and the corrected pictures are shown in Figure 1. This correction will have no influence on the interpretation of the entire results and conclusion in this study. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

We have provided the correction document, and we would like to express our sincere apologies to the editors and readers for our mistakes. We are looking forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

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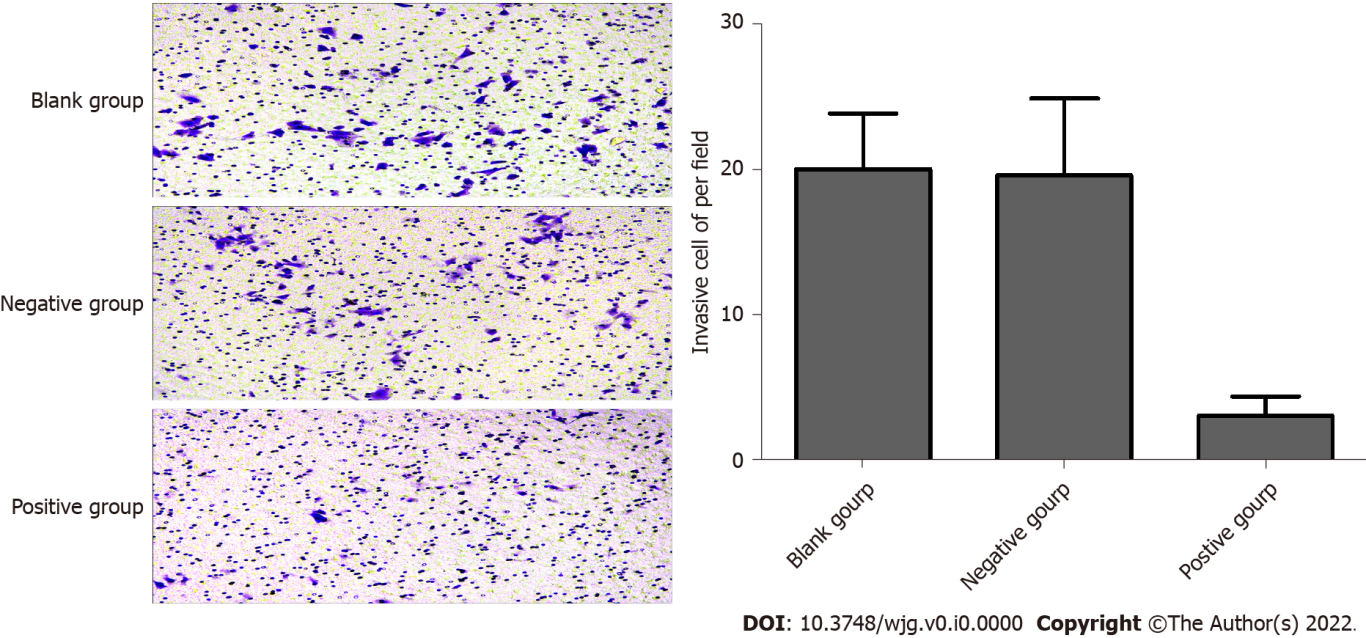
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