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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

As a review paper, some statements will need to have references, such as in “miR-140 in the DCIS to IDC transition” part. Authors need to better define “early stage breast cancer” (DCIS and/or IDC?). Both DCIS and IDC were discussed in the paper, but the conclusion was only related to DCIS. Authors also need to have more focused discussions on different subtypes of DCIS and IDC by reducing subtitles and adding some translational research results or thoughts to the paper. Reference #27 needs to be updated with the name of the Journal “Oncogene”. Overall, the paper needs to be refined.



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