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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In the present review entitled "Toll-like receptor signaling in colorectla cancer: carcinogenesis to cancer therapy" authors are focused on the role of TLRs in colorectal carcinogenesis. In the first part of the manuscript, the role of TLRs in carcinogenesis process is described. Recent studies indicate that TLR signalling plays an important role in progression of carcinogenesis in GI-tract. liver and pancreas. TLR may promote carcinogenesis through pro-inflammatory, proliferative signals. Some TLRs show largerly tumor-supprressive functions. The clinical trials with the use of agonists of TLR as adjuvans to chemotherapy are ongoing. The results are however still disappointing from the clinical point of view. Major points of criticism: 1. Authors should in their review focus only on the involvement of TLR in colorectal cancer; 2. The possible involvement of each TLRs in CRC should be shown in a figure; 3. The summaries on therapy with TLR agonist in all cancer types shuld be ommited, and the authors should only concentrate on TLRs in CRC 4. The Figures 2 should be changed. It is not easy to understand the message of this figure