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This manuscript titled, "Aberrant expression of peroxiredoxin 1 and its clinical implications in liver cancer" has been well written to suggest that Prdx 1 overexpressed in the tumor tissue of liver cancer can be served as a poor prognostic factor for overall survival and might be modified by SUMO to play specific roles in hepatocarcinogenesis. However, as mentioned in discussion, authors have not confirmed sumoylation of Prdx1 and its function in hepatocarcinogenesis. Further study will prove it. Anyway I think this manuscript can suggest a role of Prdx1 in hepatocarcinogenesis. Minor comment - Full names for abbreviations (AJCC, PTEN, OS, RFS) are needed in manuscript.