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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Authors investigate the association of plasma levels of interleukin (IL)-6 and -8 with Wilms' tumor 1 (WT1)-specific immune responses and clinical outcomes in patients with pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA) treated with dendritic cells (DCs) pulsed with WT1 peptides (DC/WT1-I/II) combined with chemotherapy. They showed that prolonged low levels of plasma IL-6/-8 in PDA patients may be a prognostic marker for the clinical outcomes of chemoimmunotherapy. It was well organized and the data were clear.



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The paper demonstrated the plasma levels of interleukin (IL)-6 and -8 with Wilms' tumor 1 (WT1)-specific immune responses and clinical outcomes in patients with pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA) treated with dendritic cells (DCs) pulsed with three types of major histocompatibility complex (MHC) class I and II-restricted WT1 peptides (DC/WT1-I/II) combined with chemotherapy. The authors reported that low levels of plasma IL-6/-8 in PDA patients may be a prognostic marker for the clinical outcomes of chemoimmunotherapy.. The data are well represented. I strongly suggest acceptance of the manuscript for the publication