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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors should decrease general introduction of various stem cells, and make some more details in Adult Neural stem cell progress (theory, techniques and application in preclinical tests and clinic trails).



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The manuscript 'Adult human neural stem cell therapeutics: current developmental status and prospect' by Authors Hyun Nam, Kee-Hang Lee, Kyeung Min Joo, Do-Hyun Nam deals with an issue of exceptional importance, namely the restorative/reconstructive potential of stem cells and their possible clinical use to cure various neurological diseases. Overall, the manuscript is well-written, however, it seems somewhat unbalanced, with much description of the various types of stem cells and relatively low emphasis given to adult neural stem cells, their features and therapeutic potential in the various neuropathological conditions. Also, these latter should be mentioned in the title. As a minor remark, the manuscript would require some proof-reading (e.g. Moreover, human adult temporal lobe-derived NSCs, grafted into the contralateral lateral ventricle of the rat brains with focal cerebral stroke, significantly reduced the infarction area and showed motor functional recovery [24] on p.13



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