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JOURNAL EDITOR-IN-CHIEF (ASSOCIATE EDITOR) COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In this review, authors summarized the interactions between PIN1 and various cellular and viral proteins, including β -catenin/ cyclin D1, HBx, Survivin, PI3Kinase/ Akt/mTOR pathway and so on. Since PIN1 has been found to be over-expressed in human hepatocellular carcinoma and exhibited diverse oncogenic functions in hepatocarcinogenesis, authors also suggested that PIN1 could be a potential therapeutic target in the treatment of HCC. The manuscript is well-written and the comments has been settled properly. We believe that it is worthwhile to publish in World Journal of Gastroenterology.