



RETRACTION

## JAK-STAT Domain Enhanced MUCI-CAR-T Cells Induced Esophageal Cancer Elimination [Retraction]

Zhang H, Zhao H, He X, Xi F, Liu J. Cancer Manag Res. 2020;12:9813-9824.

We, the Editor and Publisher of the journal Cancer Management and Research are retracting the published article.

Following publication of the article, concerns were raised regarding the duplication of images from Figures 2, 4 and 5 with images from unrelated articles. Specifically,

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