



# Retraction: Cyclooxygenase-2 mediates puerarin to inhibit the invasion and metastasis of lung cancer A549 cells

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