

Supplementary table S1 Clinicopathological characteristics of patients (n = 89)

<i>Variable</i>	<i>Case No. (%)</i>
Gender	
Male	64 (71.9)
Female	25 (28.1)
Stage	
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II	40 (44.9)
III	47 (52.8)
IV	2 (2.3)
T Stage	
T1	15 (16.9)
T2-4	74 (83.1)
N Status	
pN1	46 (51.7)
pN2-3	43 (48.3)
Tumor type	
Adenocarcinoma	53 (59.6)
Squamous cell carcinoma	36 (40.4)