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## Correction: A novel mechanism by which ACTA2-AS1 promotes cervical cancer progression: acting as a ceRNA of miR-143-3p to regulate SMAD3 expression

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In this article [1], there was an error in Fig. 6. The corrected Fig. 6 is given below.

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**Fig. 6** The efect of ACTA2-AS1/miR-143-3p/SMAD3 axis on progression of CC. **a** The knock-down ability of si-SMAD3 in HeLa and SiHa cells was confrmed by qRT-PCR. **b** The over-expression ability of pcDNA-ACTA2-AS1 was confrmed by qRT-PCR. **c** Cell viability was detected by CCK8 assay after transfecting with si-SMAD3 and co-transfecting with pcDNA-ACTA2-AS1 or miR-143-3p inhibitor. **d** The migration ability of transfected cells was analyzed by transwell assay. **e** Apoptosis condition of transfected cells was analyzed by fow cytometry analysis. **\*\*** P<0.05

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