

# Role of microRNA-130a in the pathogenesises of obstructive sleep apnea hypopnea syndromeassociated pulmonary hypertension by targeting the GAX gene: Retraction

The article, “Role of microRNA-130a in the pathogenesises of obstructive sleep apnea hypopnea syndromeassociated pulmonary hypertension by targeting the GAX gene”,<sup>[1]</sup> which appeared in Volume 96, Issue 20 of *Medicine*, is being retracted by request of the authors due to sampling labelling errors. The authors reported that the cell grouping markers for the miR-130a mimic group and miR-130a inhibitor group were reversed, resulting in an incorrect conclusion. The operational error led to opposite experimental results in repeated Western blotting experiments in a later stage and incorrect experimental data.

## Reference

- [1] An Z, Wang D, Yang G. Role of microRNA-130a in the pathogenesises of obstructive sleep apnea hypopnea syndromeassociated pulmonary hypertension by targeting the GAX gene. *Medicine*. 96;20:e6746.