

Supplementary Figure 1. Detection of CtBP1 or FOXM1 mRNA and protein levels in their corresponding knockdown cells

(A) The relative mRNA level of *CtBP1*. Total RNA samples isolated from the MG63-R1, MG63-R1-CtBP1-KD1, MG63-R1-CtBP1-KD2, MG63-R2, MG63-R2-CtBP1-KD1, and MG63-R2-CtBP1-KD2 cells were subjected to RT-qPCR analysis to examine *CtBP1* mRNA level. (**B** and **C**) The protein level of CtBP1. Cells used in (A) were subjected to western blotting to examine protein levels of CtBP1 and GAPDH (loading control) (**B**). Protein signals in (B) were quantified and normalized to their corresponding GAPDH (**C**). \*\**P* <0.01. (**D**) The *FXOM1* mRNA level in 15-paired biopsies. The same RNA samples used in Figure 3B were subjected to RT-qPCR analyses to examine *FXOM1* mRNA level. \*\*\**P* <0.001. (**E**) The relative mRNA level of *FOXM1*. Total RNA samples isolated from the MG63-R1, MG63-R1-FOXM1-KD1,

MG63-R1-FOXM1-KD2, MG63-R2, MG63-R2-FOXM1-KD1, and MG63-R2-FOXM1-KD2 cells were subjected to RT-qPCR analysis to examine *FOXM1* mRNA level. (**F** and **G**) The protein level of FOXM1. Cells used in (E) were subjected to western blotting to examine protein levels of FOXM1 and GAPDH (loading control) (**F**). Protein signals in (F) were quantified and normalized to their corresponding GAPDH (**G**). \*\*P <0.01.

#### Human FOXM1 protein sequence

MKTSPRRPLILKRRRLPLPVQNAPSETSEEEPKRSPAQQESNQAEASKEVAESNSCKFPA GIKIINHPTMPNTQVVAIPNNANIHSIITALTAKGKESGSSGPNKFILISCGGAPTQPPG LRPQTQTSYDAKRTEVTLETLGPKPAARDVNLPRPPGALCEQKRETCADGEAAGCTINNS LSNIQWLRKMSSDGLGSRSIKQEMEEKENCHLEQRQVKVEEPSRPSASWQNSVSERPPYS YMAMIQFAINSTERKRMTLKDIYTWIEDHFPYFKHIAKPGWKNSIRHNLSLHDMFVRETS ANGKVSFWTIHPSANRYLTLDQVFKPLDPGSPQLPEHLESQQKRPNPELRRNMTIKTELP LGARRKMKPLLPRVSSYLVPIQFPVNQSLVLQPSVKVPLPLAASLMSSELARHSKRVRIA PKVFGEQVVFGYMSKFFSGDLRDFGTPITSLFNFIFLCLSVLLAEEGIAPLSSAGPGKEE KLLFGEGFSPLLPVQTIKEEEIQPGEEMPHLARPIKVESPPLEEWPSPAPSFKEESSHSW EDSSQSPTPRPKKSYSGLRSPTRCVSEMLVIQHRERRERSRSRRKQHLLPPCVDEPELLF SEGPSTSRWAAELPFPADSSDPASQLSYSQEVGGPFKTPIKETLPISSTPSKSVLPRTPE SWRLTPPAKVGGLDFSPVQTSQGASDPLPDPLGLMDLSTTPLQSAPPLESPQRLLSSEPL DLISVPFGNSSPSDIDVPKPGSPEPQVSGLAANRSLTEGLVLDTMNDSLSKILLDISFPG LDEDPLGPDNINWSQFIPELQ

### Supplementary Figure 2. The amino acid sequences of FOXM1 contained a

### **PLDLI** motif

The full length of amino acid sequences of FOXM1 were used to scan the PXDLX

motif. A PLDLI motif was identified in its C-terminal and was indicated as the red

letters.



# Supplementary Figure 3. The chemical structures of NSM00158, NSC95397 and RCM1

The chemical structures of three small molecules, including NSM00158, NSC95397 and RCM1, were indicated.



Supplementary Figure 4. The protein levels of CtBP1, FOXM1 and MDR1 in cells treated with different small molecules

(A) The protein band signals. Cells used in Figure 7A were subjected to western blotting assays to examine the protein levels of CtBP1, FOXM1, MDR1 and GAPDH (loading control). (B) The quantified protein levels. The protein band signals in (A) were quantified and normalized to their corresponding GAPDH. \* P < 0.05, \*\* P < 0.01 and <sup>\*\*\*</sup>P < 0.001.



Supplementary Figure 5. The colony formation and cell migration assay results in cells treated with small molecules

(A) Colony formation assay. The same numbers of MG63, MG63-R1 and R2 cells were grown in sphere formation medium containing 2  $\mu$ M NSM00158, 20  $\mu$ M NSC95397 or 1  $\mu$ M RCM1 at 37°C for 14 days. Colonies were stained with 0.1% crystal violet. (B) Cell migration assay. Cell suspension in serum-free DMEM containing 2  $\mu$ M NSM00158, 20  $\mu$ M NSC95397 or 1  $\mu$ M RCM1 was subjected to Boyden chambers to determine cell migration. The migrated cells were stained with 0.1% crystal violet.

Vector	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')			
pGL4.26-pMDR1 <sup>WT</sup>	GGGGTACCGATAGGGCTATAAACGT	CCGCTCGAGAAGTAGATTTCTTCATGTTC			
pGL4.26-pMDR1 <sup>Mut</sup>	ATTGCAAAGGTTTATTATGAATTTC	GAAATTCATAATAAACCTTTGCAAT			
pGADT7-CtBP1	CGGAATTCATGGGCAGCTCGCACTTG	CGGGATCCCTACAACTGGTCACTGGCGT			
		GGT			
pGBKT7-FOXM1	CCGGAATTCCATGAAAACTAGCCCCCG	CGCGGATCCCTACTGTAGCTCAGGAAT			
	ТС				
pGBKT7-FOXM1 <sup>△PLDLI</sup>	GCTCCTCAGTTCAGAATCCGTCCCCTTT	TGCCAAAGGGGACGGATTCTGAACTGAG			
	GGCA	GAGC			
pCDNA3-2xFlag-CtBP1	CCCAAGCTTTGGGCAGCTCGCACTTG	CCGGAATTCCTACAACTGGTCACTGGCGT			
		GGT			
pCDNA3-MYC-FOXM1	CCCAAGCTTATGAAAACTAGCCCCCGT	CCGGAATTCCCTACTGTAGCTCAGGAAT			
	С				
pCDNA3-MYC-FOXM1 <sup>△P</sup>	GCTCCTCAGTTCAGAATCCGTCCCCTTT	TGCCAAAGGGGACGGATTCTGAACTGAG			
LDLI	GGCA	GAGC			

## Supplementary Table-1. Primers used for vector construction

Gene	Forward	Reverse			
CD34	GACCATGGAAGGCTTCCCAG	CACTTTGCTCCTGGGACAAGGC			
CtBP1	TGGATGTGCACGAGTCGGAA	TGCGGATCTCCCGTGCCGCCT			
MDR1	ATCCCAGTGCTTCAGGGACTG	TCAAGCAGCACTTTCCCTGCC			
SOX2	AGTACTGGCGAACCATCTCTG	CCAACGGTGTCAACCTGCAT			
TBX5	ACATGTAGGCAGGACTGTGA	TGACATCCAGTTTGGGTTGT			
CDH1	ACTTGCAATGGGCAGCTATC	TCATAGTTCCGCTCTGTCT			
BAX	AACTGATCAGAACCATCATG	AGATGGTCACGGTCTGCCACG			
TIAM1	CTTGCTCAGTATGAGGAGCA	GCCTCTTTCCCGCTGACTGAT			
NUPL1	AGCTCCTGTCGTTGGCTGCC	TGCATATTCATGTTGAAGTCC			
FOXM1	CAGTTCAGACTATCAAGGAG	ATCCTCCCAGGAGTGAGATGA			
β-Actin	ACTCCATCATGAAGTGTGAC	AGGAGCAATGATCTTGATCT			

Supplementary Table-2. Primers used for RT-qPCR analyses

Genes	MG63-1	MG63-2	MG63-3	R1-1	R1-2	R1-3	R2-1	R2-2	R2-3
CD34	-12.1	-10.3	-11.1	13.4	12.4	14.5	12.1	10.4	9.8
BCL2	-11.4	-10.1	-9.4	12.3	11.2	13.1	10.6	11.2	8.9
NANOG	-10.3	-9.4	-8.7	11.2	10.6	10.5	10.3	9.6	9.2
FOXM1	-10.2	-10.1	-8.9	10.9	10.2	9.5	8.9	8.7	8.4
TNFA	-9.4	-8.7	-9.2	10.3	9.5	10.3	8.2	8.3	8.1
CtBP1	-8.9	-8.3	-6.7	10.1	8.9	7.6	7.6	6.8	6.7
CD133	-8.5	-9.2	-7.8	9.8	8.3	9.2	7.2	7.6	7.2
Cyclin									
D1	-8	-6.8	-7.2	9.3	7.8	8.5	6.5	5.6	5.6
SIRT1	-7.6	-6.5	-5.6	9.1	7.2	7.2	6.1	7.8	7.3
MDR1	-7.2	-7.4	-5.3	8.5	6.5	6.7	5.6	6.7	5.4
CD44	-6.9	-5.8	-5.2	8.1	6.1	5.6	5.1	5.4	4.5
ATXN1	-6.4	-6.3	-6.5	7.6	5.7	5.4	4.6	5	4.3
LEF1	-6.2	-5.3	-5	6.7	5.4	6.7	4.3	4.5	6
GSK3B	-5.9	-5.2	-4.6	6.2	4.8	4.5	4.1	4	7.2
VEGF	-5.5	-4.7	-6	5.5	4.5	5.6	3.8	3.6	5.4
BIRC5	-5.2	-5.4	-4.3	4.9	4.3	4.7	3.6	3.4	3.4
TGFB1	-4.9	-4.2	-4.2	4.5	3.6	5.6	3.5	3.2	5.4
SOX2	-4.6	-4.6	-3.7	4.3	3.5	4.3	3.2	4.3	3.2
GDF6	-4.3	-5.1	-4.3	4	3.4	3.4	3	3.6	3.2
PLAT	-4	-4.3	-3.7	3.7	3.1	3.2	2.7	2.9	3
TBX5	-3.6	-3.6	-3.2	3.4	2.6	3.6	2.6	3.2	2.8
KIF4	-3.4	-3.2	-3	2.9	2.3	2.9	2.3	2.4	2.4
CDH1	11.1	10.4	9.5	-14.2	-13.1	-11.1	-10.2	-9.4	-9.2
PTEN	10.5	10.1	8.7	-13.2	-12.4	-10.2	-9.2	-8.6	-7.5
CDKN2A	10.1	10	7.4	-12.4	-12.1	-9.2	-7.6	-8.2	-8.7
BAX	9.4	8.7	8.7	-11.2	-11.2	-8.9	-7.2	-7.6	-6.5
DVL1	8.4	9.2	6.7	-10.4	-9.4	-7.8	-6.7	-8.4	-7.6
CTP2	8.2	7.8	6.2	-10.1	-7.8	-7.2	-6.2	-7	-5.5
CDKN1A	7.5	8.2	6.1	-9.3	-8.2	-8.5	-5.6	-8.3	-4.5

Supplementary Table-3. Differentially expressed genes in MG63-R1/R2 cells

BIM	6.9	7	7.6	-8.6	-6.5	-8.1	-5.3	-6.5	-6.7
TIAM1	6.4	6.5	5.6	-8	-6.1	-6.5	-4.8	-5.4	-8.2
TNFSF10	6.3	6	5.3	-7.4	-5.4	-5.4	-7.6	-4.6	-5.3
CHEK1	5.6	5.6	8.2	-7	-7.2	-4.3	-5.4	-4.3	-4.4
CAPG	5.2	6.7	4.5	-6.5	-5.2	-6.5	-6.3	-6.5	-5.7
PUMA	4.8	5.4	5.4	-5.7	-4.5	-3.4	-5.3	-6.3	-4.3
KAI1	4.6	4.3	5.7	-5.2	-4	-4.6	-4.4	-3.5	-3.2
DACH1	4.3	4	3.2	-4.7	-6.5	-6	-3.7	-4.5	-6.5
GATA3	3.7	3.6	4.5	-4.3	-4.2	-3.2	-3.2	-5.6	-3.2
XPO4	3.5	5.5	3.6	-3.8	-3.7	-3.4	-5	-3.4	-6.1
GJB2	3.2	3	3.2	-3.4	-3.5	-2.8	-3.1	-3.2	-4.3
NUPL1	3	3.1	2.5	-3.2	-3	-3.2	-2.7	-3.5	-5
APAF1	2.8	2.5	2.4	-2.6	-2.7	-3	-3	-4	-4.3