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# **From Submission to Revision: A Guide to Getting Your Paper Published**

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# Things to Consider Before Submitting a Manuscript

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# Cover letter

4/20/2024

Dear Colleague,

We are enclosing herewith a manuscript entitled “**Emerging roles of LncRNA MALAT1 in Thyroid Cancer**” for publication in the **BMC cancer** for possible evaluation.

With the submission of this manuscript, we would like to undertake the responsibility that all authors have read and approved the submitted manuscript and agree with submission to BMC cancer, and the manuscript has not been submitted elsewhere nor published elsewhere in whole or in part.

Submitted manuscript is a review article, and the authors have no conflicts of interest to declare.

Thank you for your consideration of this manuscript.

Sincerely yours,

**Dr. Maryam Farzaneh**

# Submission

Submitting a paper to a journal is a structured process that involves several key steps to ensure your manuscript meets the journal's standards and is prepared for peer review.

Steps for Submitting a Paper:

1. Choose the Right Journal
2. Prepare Your Manuscript
3. Write a Cover Letter
4. Submit Your Manuscript
5. Peer Review Process
6. Responding to Reviewer Comments:
7. Resubmission
8. Final Steps

# Response to the reviewer comments

9/3/2024

**Dear Colleague,**

It is with excitement that I resubmit to you a revised version of manuscript **BMS-CMM-2024-172**, entitled: **Exploring the Dual Role of MALAT1 in Thyroid Tumorigenesis: Oncogenic or Tumor Suppressor?**

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to revise and resubmit this manuscript. I appreciate the time and detail provided by the reviewer and by you and has incorporated the suggested changes into the manuscript to the best of my ability. The manuscript has certainly benefited from these insightful revision suggestions, and I very much hope that the paper will be published in your journal.

- Changes in the manuscript have been highlighted in yellow in the text.

Reviewer Comments:

**REVIEWER 1/Problem 1**

**Comments:**

This review article has fascinating insights. For non-coding RNAs or miRs, could you classify them into onco-miRs and tumor suppressor-miRs?

Author response: Thank you for your insightful comment. Based on the MALAT1 function in thyroid cancers, we classified this gene into oncogene and tumor suppressor.

**REVIEWER 2/Problem 2**

**Comments:**

1. There are many spelling, grammar, and editing mistakes that need to be corrected.

Author response: All of grammatical errors have been corrected.

2. Since the relevant findings in Thyroid cancer are relatively few, why did the authors only focus on the roles of MALAT1 in this kind of cancer?

Author response: Thank you for your insightful comment. While it is true that research on MALAT1 in thyroid cancer is still emerging, our focus on this specific cancer type is driven by several key factors. Our recent studies have indicated a significant association between MALAT1 expression and various

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