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Correction: IDO as a drug target for cancer immunotherapy: recent developments in IDO inhibitors discovery

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In Fig. 2 of the original manuscript, the structures given for Indoximod and Epacadostat were incorrect. In addition, the structure labelled “GDC-0919” was labelled incorrectly; the correct label is “GDC-0919 analogue”. The corrected Fig. 2 is shown below.

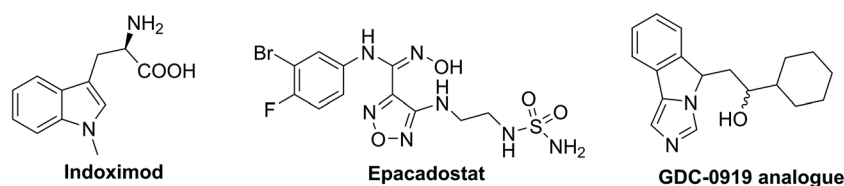


Fig. 2 Three small-molecule compounds in clinical trials.

In Section 3 of the manuscript, “Therapeutic strategies and challenges of IDO inhibitors in cancer immunotherapy”, an incorrect IC_{50} value was given for Epacadostat, and a citation to ref. 17 of the original manuscript was omitted. The corrected text should read:

“Epacadostat (INCB024360) was obtained following a high throughput screening (HTS) of Incyte’s corporate collection (IC_{50} = 0.072 μ M).^{17,18}”

In Section 4 of the manuscript, “Structure-based IDO inhibitors design”, a citation to ref. 26 of the original manuscript was omitted. The corrected text should read:

“Based on the co-crystal structure of IDO with PIM, Roehrig *et al.*²⁶ and Huang *et al.*³⁰ discovered independently that 1*H*-1,2,3-triazole might be a new key pharmacophore of potent IDO inhibitors.”

Additionally, the following discussion should be added to the end of Section 4, and the reference cited as ref. 1 of this correction should be added:

“As Roehrig *et al.* were concentrating on developing 4-aryl triazoles as potent IDO inhibitors, they used computational structure-based methods to design more triazole-based IDO inhibitors with low molecular weight and high efficiency. The most potent compound has an IC_{50} value in the nanomolar range both in the enzymatic and in the cellular assays.¹”

The Royal Society of Chemistry apologises for these errors and any consequent inconvenience to authors and readers.

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