

**SUPPLEMENTARY FIG. S2.** Reactivity to spectrin is detected in recipient mice regardless of the fixation method used. Consecutive muscle tissue sections of NOD/ $Rag1^{null}mdx5^{cv}$  mice never injected with human cells were fixed with methanol or PFA, or remained unfixed. The same area of spectrin-reactive myofibers was detected with any of the fixation methods used, with methanol-fixed and unfixed tissue showing the strongest reactivity.