

**Supplementary Table 8.** Cox proportional hazard regression analyses for Disease-free survival.

Clinical-pathological Features	Univariable analysis		Multivariable analysis	
	HR (95% CI)	<i>P</i>	HR (95% CI)	<i>P</i>
Age (>60 vs ≤60)	0.598(0.255-1.406)	0.239		
Gender (Male vs Female)	0.868(0.420-1.794)	0.703		
AFP (>400 vs ≤400ng/mL)	1.170(0.669-2.046)	0.582		
HBsAg (Positive vs Negative)	1.961(0.778-4.945)	0.154		
Cirrhosis (Present vs absent)	4.208(1.667-10.624)	<b>0.002</b>	5.201(1.588-17.036)	<b>0.006</b>
Tumor size (>5 vs ≤5cm)	1.330(0.704-2.551)	0.380		
Tumor staging (AJCC)	1.246(0.913-1.863)	<b>0.046</b>	1.288(0.820-2.024)	0.273
Differentiation	0.657(0.405-1.066)	0.089		
ADAR1 OE & ADAR2 DR in tumors	2.028(1.298-3.168)	<b>0.002</b>	1.725(1.071-2.777)	<b>0.025</b>

CI = confidence interval; HR = hazard ratio; OE: overexpression; DR: downregulation