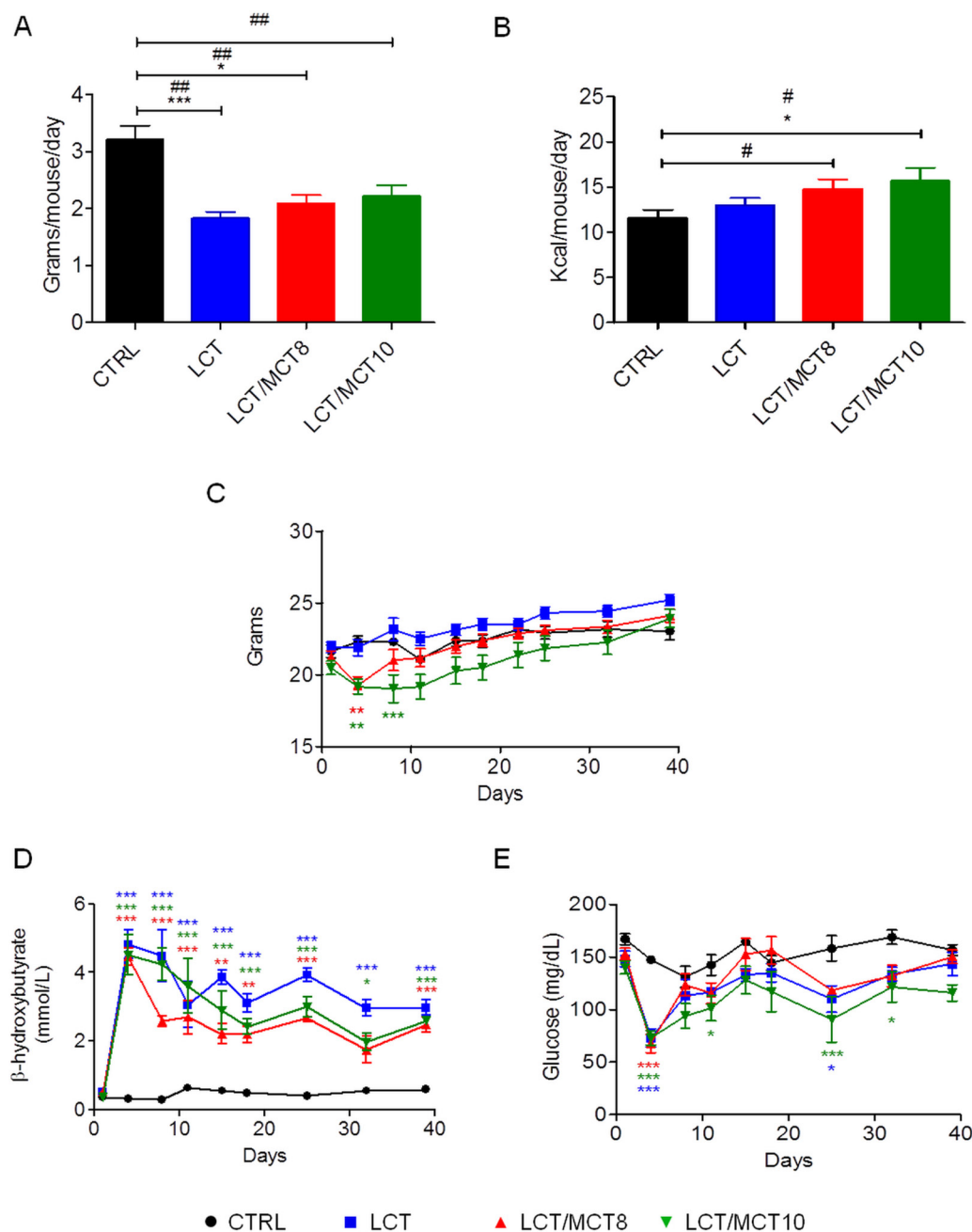
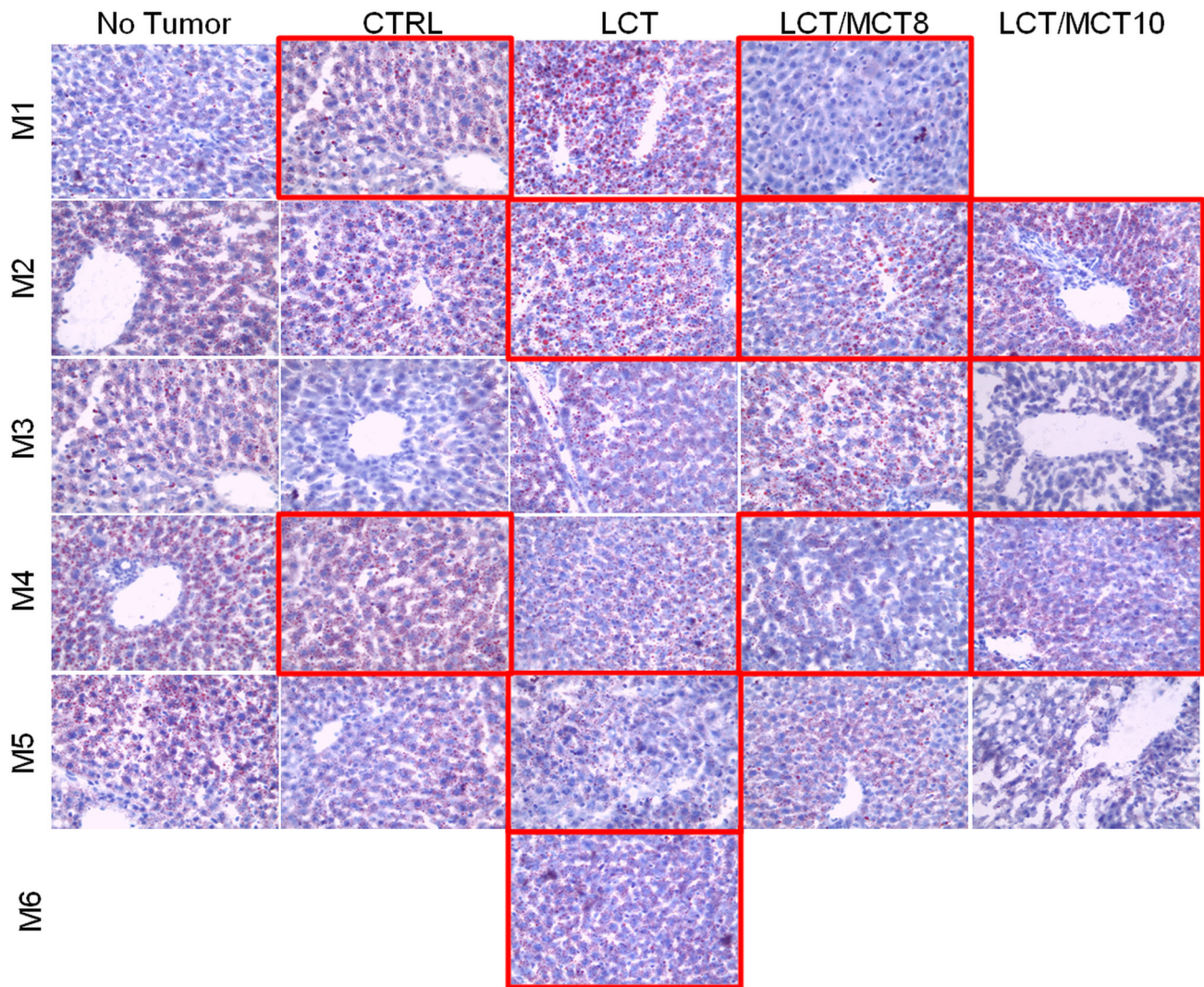


The ketogenic diet is not feasible as a therapy in a CD-1 nu/nu mouse model of renal cell carcinoma with features of Stauffer's syndrome

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS



Supplementary Figure 1: KD did not induce weight loss in healthy animals and stably increased blood ketone body levels. (A) Average grams of food consumed per mouse per day. (B) Average daily calorie (Kcal) consumption of mice in different diet groups. Data are given as mean \pm SEM. Statistical analysis was performed by using the student's *t* test (unpaired samples) to compare two groups of dietary intervention, $^{\#}p < 0.05$, $^{\#\#}p < 0.01$ and one-way ANOVA (Kruskal-Wallis test) was performed to correct to multiple comparison, $*p < 0.05$, $^{***}p < 0.001$; $n = 10$ measurements per diet group. (C) Average body weight variations in mice during dietary intervention. (D) Average blood ketone bodies (mmol/L) and (E) average blood glucose (mg/dL) levels. Data are given as mean \pm SEM. Statistical analysis was performed by using two-way ANOVA (Dunnett's multiple comparison test), $*p < 0.05$, $^{**}p < 0.01$, $^{***}p < 0.001$; $n = 6$.



Supplementary Figure 2: Fat droplets were not increased in RCC xenograft recipients treated with a KD. Oil Red O staining for the detection of fat droplets on cryosections of mouse liver. The red frames indicate mice that experienced severe weight loss.