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Nitrogen doped carbon quantum dots demonstrate no toxicity under *in vitro* conditions in cervical cell line and *in vivo* in Swiss albino mouse

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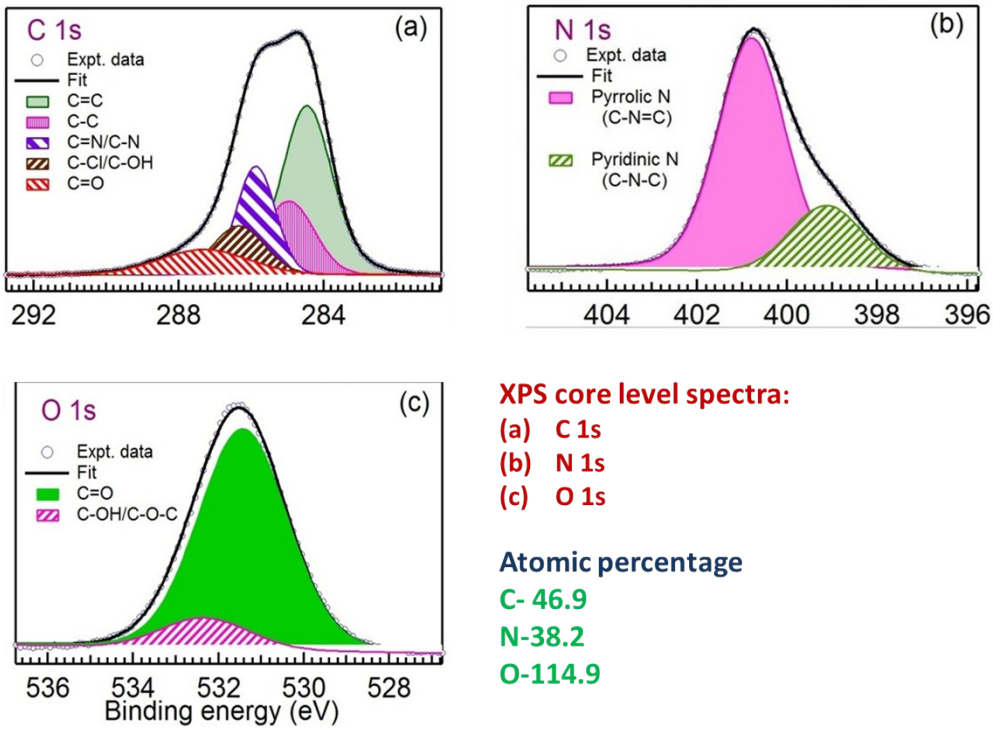


Fig. S1. XPS survey scan of the as-prepared NCQDs. (a) Survey, high resolution C1s (b), N1s (c), and O1s (Published in ISSS Journal of micro and smart systems, DOI: 10.1007/s41683-017-0011-1)[1]

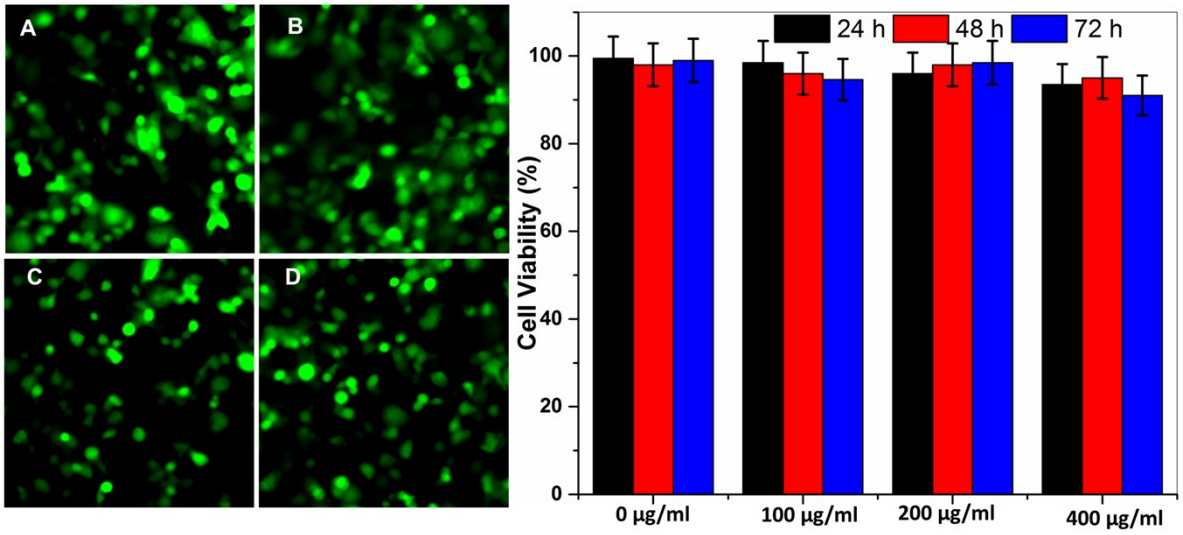
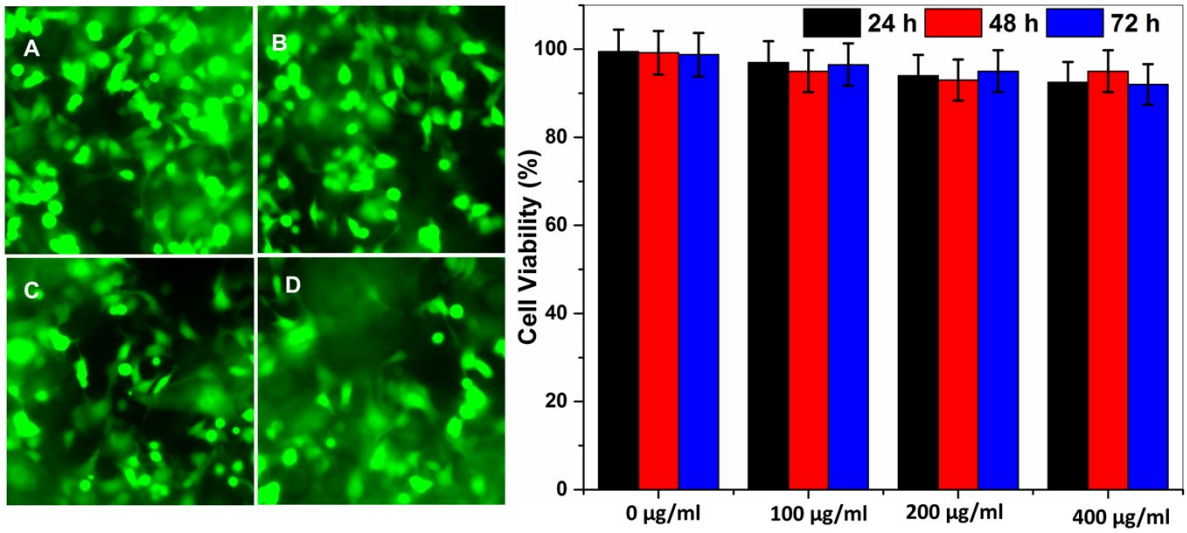


Fig. S2. Live/dead cell viability/cytotoxicity assay using AO/EtBr staining depicting the cytotoxic effects of NCQDs in Lungs alveolar A549 cell line. (A-D) Fluorescence microscope images of viable cells stained with AO (green) and nonviable cells stained with EtBr (red). Percentage of viable cells treated with 0,100, 200 and 400 µg/ml NCQDs respectively.



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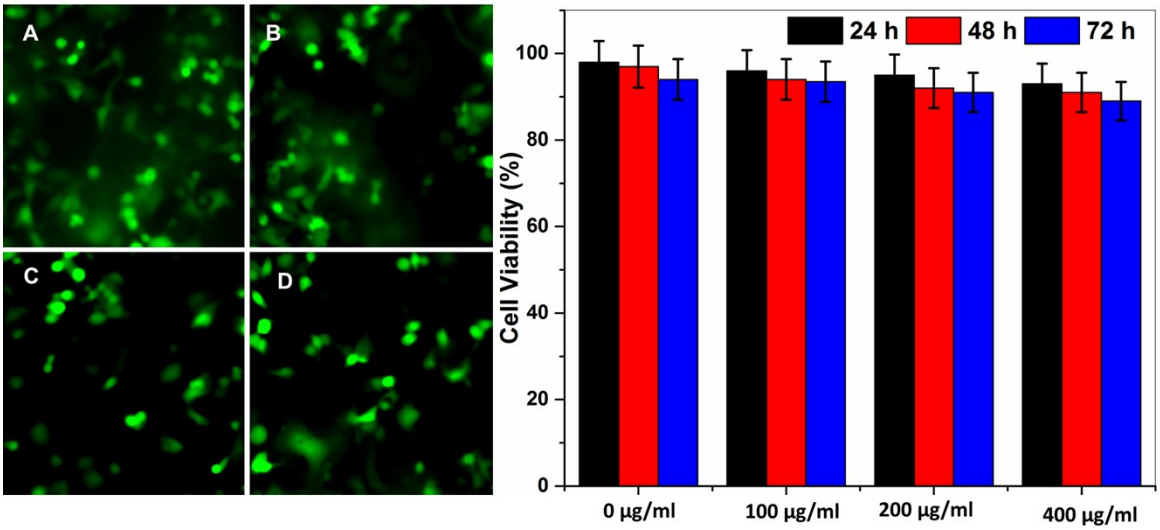

Fig. S4. Live/dead cell viability/cytotoxicity assay using AO/EtBr staining depicting the cytotoxic effects of NCQDs in human embryonic kidney HEK 293 cancer cell line. (A-D) Fluorescence microscope images of viable cells stained with AO (green) and nonviable cells stained with EtBr (red). Percentage of viable cells treated with 0,100, 200 and 400 µg/ml NCQDs respectively.

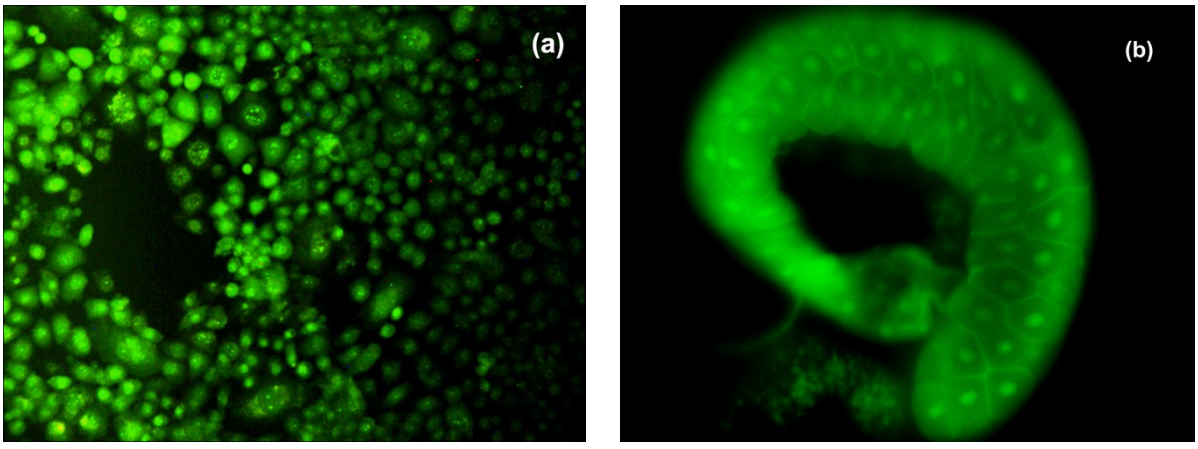

Fig. S5. Fluorescence microscope image of (a) MCF-7 cells and (b) salivary gland of drosophila larva after 30 minutes of incubation with NCQDs.

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