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Supplementary 1

Table S1. Genes detected in hepatocytes of HCV infected patients

Gene	Location	Function
IP-10/CXCL10	4q21	Chemotactic for monocytes and T-lymphocytes. Binds to CXCR3
CXCR3	Xq13	A member of the receptor family of Th1 cells. The common receptor for the CXCL9, CXCL10, and CXCL11.

The genes detected in hepatocytes of HCV infected patients with PR or DAAs treatment and in Huh7 cells transfected with HCV replicons (named pHCV-rep-NeoR-hRluc) based on PCR Array Analysis.

Supplementary 2

Figure S1. The first experiment of HCV-core protein expression bands

Huh7 cells were transfected with HCV core plasmids and inhibited by NS5A inhibitors. 48h after transfection, cells were lysed and analyzed by immunoblotting using the indicated antibodies. The Immunoblotting bands of HCV core protein expression in Huh7 cell detected by WB. In the red circle, The right two bands from the cells of HCV core plasmids transfection, the left two bands from the cells of HCV core transfection add NS5A inhibitors. The HCV-core protein expression bands were highlighted with the red circle in the figure.

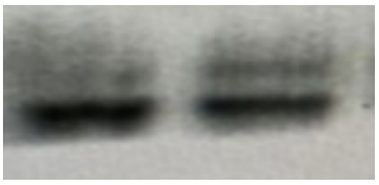
Supplementary 3

Figure S2. The second experiment of HCV-core protein expression bands in Huh7 cells

Huh7 cells were transfected with HCV core plasmids and inhibited by NS5A inhibitors. 48h after transfection, cells were lysed and analyzed by immunoblotting using the indicated antibodies. The Immunoblotting bands of HCV core protein expression in Huh7 cell detected by WB. In the red circle, the left two bands from the cells of HCV core plasmids transfection, the right two bands from the cells of HCV core transfection add NS5A inhibitors. The HCV-core protein expression bands were indicated with the red circle in the figure.

Supplementary 4

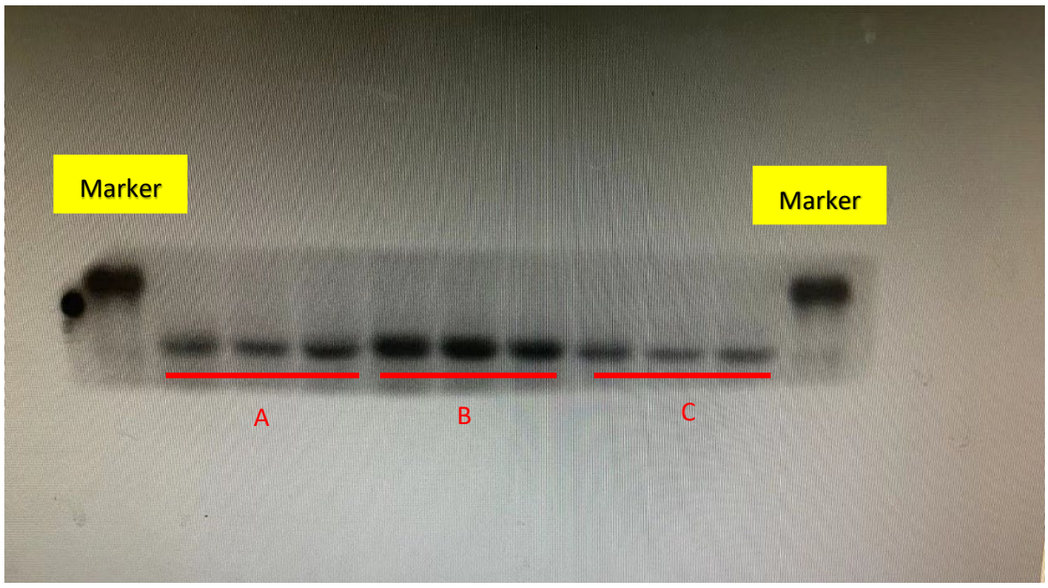
Figure S3. The enhanced image of Figure S2



The enhanced image was a cropped picture from Figure S2. The left immunoblotting band is the HCV-core protein expression in cells of HCV core plasmids transfection; the right immunoblotting band is the HCV-core protein expression in cells of HCV core plasmids transfection adds NS5A inhibitors.

Supplementary 5

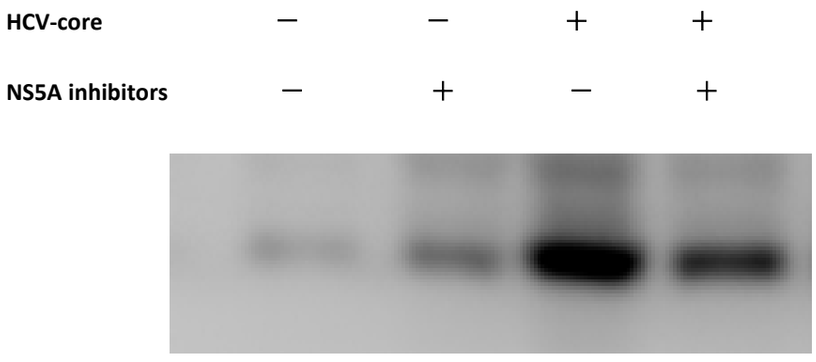
Figure S4. IP-10 protein expression bands



The Wild-type and HCV replicating Huh7 cells were treated with NS5A inhibitors for 48h, hepatocytes were collected followed by the analysis of IP-10 protein expression. The immunoblotting bands of IP-10 protein expression in Huh7 cells were detected by WB. IP-10 protein expression bands were indicated with markers on each side. The left three bands from the wild-type Huh7 cells added NS5A inhibitors **(A)**, the middle three bands from the Huh7 cells of HCV core transfection **(B)**, and the right three bands from the cells of HCV core transfection add NS5A inhibitors **(C)**.

Supplementary 6

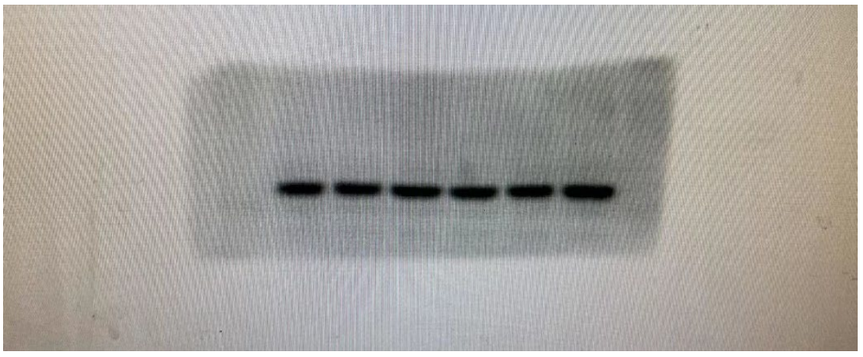
Figure S5. IP-10 protein expression bands



The above image was the cropped picture of IP-10 protein expression bands.

Supplementary 7

Figure S6. GAPDH for HCV core and IP-10 protein expression



The left three bands represented the GAPDH for HCV core, and the right three bands represented for IP-10.

Supplementary 8

Figure S7. GAPDH bands

The above image was the cropped picture of GAPDH bands from figure S6.

Supplementary 9

Figure S8 HE staining for liver tissue section

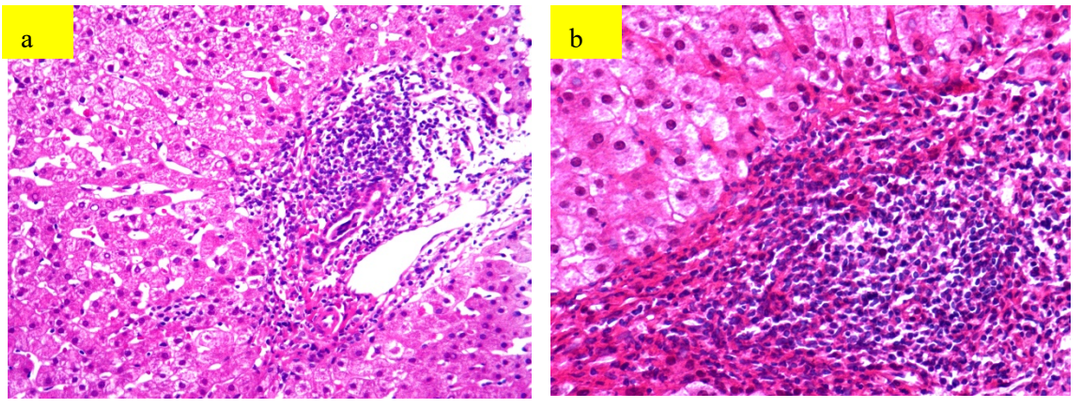


Fig a (100X) & b (200X). The HE staining for paraffin embedded sections of liver tissue. It was used to observe the characteristics of liver inflammation and evaluate HAI score in patients with CHC.

Supplementary 10

Figure S9 Intrahepatic IP-10 expression stained by IHC

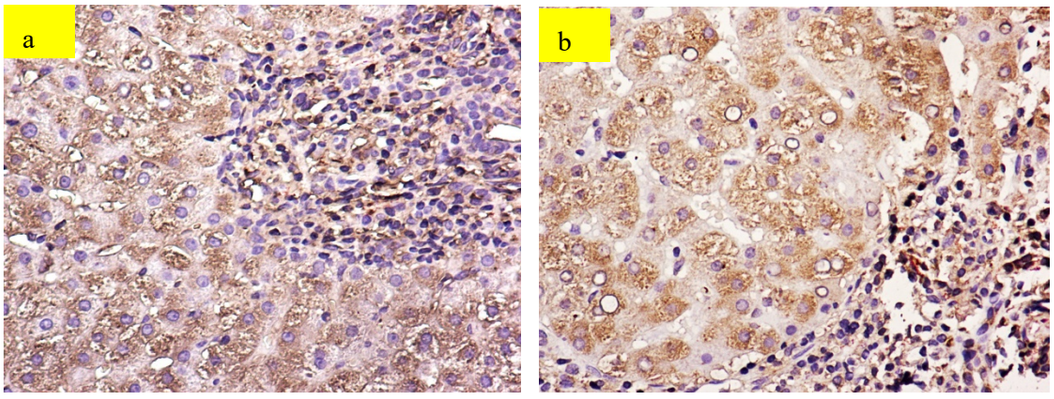


Fig a & b (200X). The expression of IP-10 in liver tissue of CHC patient stained by immunohistochemical staining. As shown in pathological figures, IP-10 is mainly expressed in hepatocytes and in a small number of inflammatory cells in the portal area

Supplementary 11

Figure S10 Intrahepatic CXCR3 expression stained by IHC

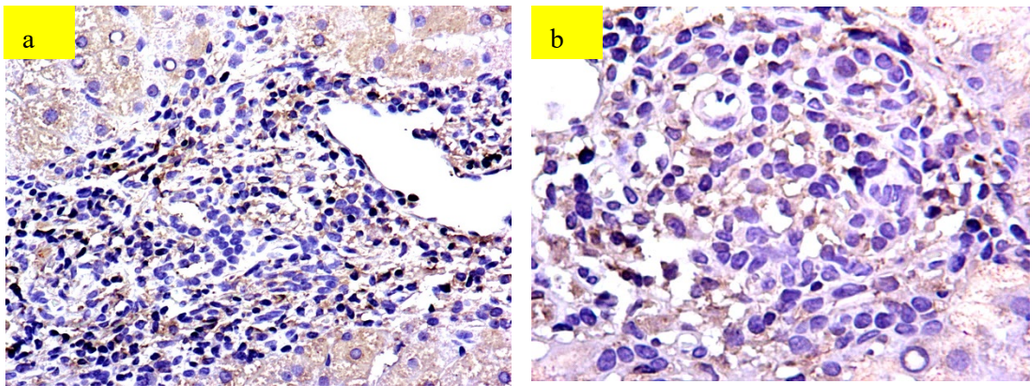


Fig a (200X) & b (400X). The expression of CXCR3 in liver tissue of CHC patient stained by immunohistochemical staining. CXCR3 is mainly expressed in lymphocytes in the portal area and inflammatory necrotic area, and also in hepatocytes.

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