

**Suppl 4**. Downregulation of CLDN8 protein in kidney renal clear cell carcinoma tissues. (a) Comparison of immunohistochemical staining scores of CLDN8 protein in kidney renal clear cell carcinoma (KIRC) and non-KIRC tissues (unpaired Wilcoxon test, p < 0.001). (b) The robust discriminatory ability of CLDN8 protein between KIRC and non-KIRC tissues.