

## SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE

**Supplementary Figure 1:** The effect of Midkine (MDK) and MDK-phosphatidylinositol 3 kinase (PI3K)/AKT/Mammalian target of rapamycin (mTOR) axis on thyroid cancer (TC) cell proliferation was analyzed by cell counting kit-8 (CCK8). (a) The effect of MDK on TC cell proliferation was analyzed by CCK8. (b) The effect of the MDK-PI3K/AKT/mTOR axis on TC cell proliferation was analyzed by CCK8. \*\*\*P < 0.001. n = 3.