## **Supplementary Materials**

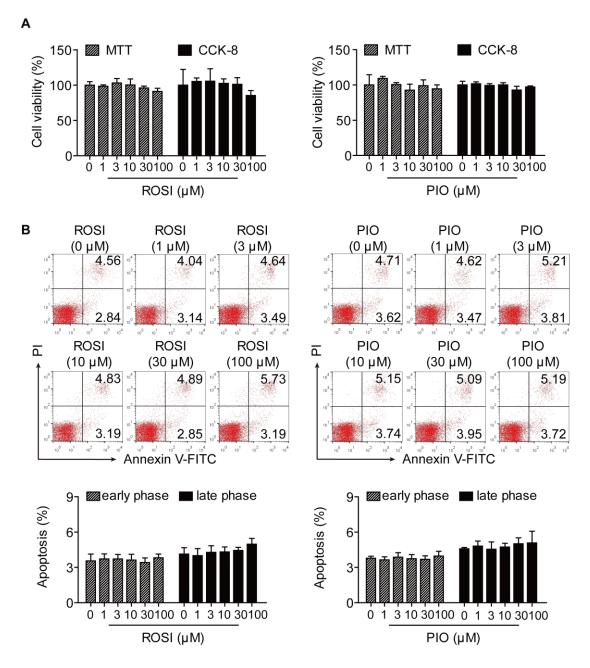


Figure S1 Cellular toxicity of rosiglitazone and pioglitazone. (A-B) Cells isolated from mesenteric lymph nodes were cultured with rosiglitazone (ROSI; 0, 1, 3, 10, 30,  $100 \mu M$ ) and pioglitazone (PIO; 0, 1, 3, 10, 30,  $100 \mu M$ ) for 72 h. The cell viability was analyzed by MTT and CCK-8 assay (A), and the cell apoptosis was examined by Annexin V-FITC/PI assay (B). Data were presented as the means  $\pm$  S.E.M. of three independent experiments.

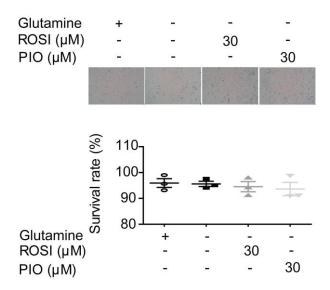


Figure S2 Cellular toxicity of glutamine deprivation. Cells isolated from mesenteric lymph nodes were cultured with or without glutamine (2 mM), rosiglitazone (ROSI; 30  $\mu$ M) as well as pioglitazone (PIO; 30  $\mu$ M) for 72 h. The cell survival rate was analyzed by trypan blue exclusion assay. Data were presented as the means  $\pm$  S.E.M. of three independent experiments.