

Supplementary Table S1. Univariate analysis of CLR in MSI-low and MSS CRC

Criteria	Overall survival			Disease-free survival		
	HR	95% CI	p-value	HR	95% CI	p-value
CLR count	0.523	0.341–0.801	0.003 ^b	0.486	0.332–0.713	<0.001
CLR size	0.787	0.493–1.257	0.316	0.608	0.387–0.955	0.031
CLR density	0.445	0.241–0.821	0.004 ^b	0.435	0.253–0.749	0.003
Intense CLR	0.479	0.297–0.774	0.003 ^b	0.517	0.342–0.780	0.001

CLR, Crohn-like lymphoid reaction; MSI, microsatellite instability; MSS, microsatellite stable; CRC, colorectal carcinoma; HR, hazard ratio; CI, confidence interval.

Supplementary Table S2. Multivariate analysis of CLR in MSI-low and MSS CRC

Criteria	Overall survival			Disease-free survival		
	HR	95% CI	p-value	HR	95% CI	p-value
CLR count	0.634	0.413–0.973	0.037	0.602	0.410–0.885	0.010
CLR size				0.726	0.461–1.142	0.166
CLR density	0.613	0.331–1.137	0.121	0.591	0.342–1.022	0.060
Intense CLR	0.559	0.346–0.903	0.017	0.638	0.422–0.965	0.033

Each variable was adjusted for lymphatic, perineural, and venous invasion and pTNM stage.

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