## **Electronic Supplementary Information**

## High efficient polydopamine encapsulated clinical ICG theranostic nanoplatform for enhanced photothermal therapy of cervical cancer

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**Fig. S1** (A) Linear fitting of time data versus  $-ln \theta$  and the  $\eta$  of free ICG. (125 µg mL<sup>-1</sup>, NIR laser was 808 nm, 0.8 W cm<sup>-2</sup>). (B) Linear fitting of time data versus  $-ln \theta$  and the  $\eta$  of free PDA. (125 µg mL<sup>-1</sup>, NIR laser was 808 nm, 0.8 W cm<sup>-2</sup>).



**Fig. S2** (A) Cell viability of H8 cells incubated with different concentrations (0, 6.25, 12.5, 25, 50, 100 and 200  $\mu$ g mL<sup>-1</sup>) of ICG@PDA@PEG NPs for 24 hours. (B) Cell viability of HeLa cells incubated with different concentrations (0, 6.25, 12.5, 25, 50, 100 and 200  $\mu$ g mL<sup>-1</sup>) of ICG@PDA@PEG NPs for 24 hours, and then irradiated with 808 nm laser irradiation (0.8 W cm<sup>-2</sup>) for 15 minutes. The data are shown as mean ± SD. n = 3 per group, NS, no significance, \*p<0.05, \*\*p<0.01, \*\*\*p<0.001.

|                           | Heart | Lung | Liver | Spleen | Kidney | Tumor |
|---------------------------|-------|------|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| Control                   |       |      |       |        |        |       |
| CORDA@PEG                 |       | XS.  |       |        |        |       |
| Lase IC                   |       |      |       |        |        |       |
| ICG@PDA@P<br>EG<br>+Laser |       |      |       | N      |        |       |

**Fig. S3** Representative histological images of major organs and tumor samples of mice from the Control group, ICG@PDA@PEG NPs group, Laser group, ICG@PDA@PEG NPs + Laser group.