

Table 3. Δ Ct expression levels of selected miRNAs in cumulus cells according to embryo quality.

miRNA	Poor-quality embryos (N)	Mean Δ Ct $\pm$ SD	Good-quality embryos (N)	Mean Δ Ct $\pm$ SD	Mean difference (95% CI)	p-value
miR-21	25	0.84 $\pm$ 0.96	25	1.19 $\pm$ 0.99	-0.35 (-0.90 to 0.20)	0.210
miR-144	19	13.16 $\pm$ 1.74	13	12.33 $\pm$ 2.96	0.83 (-0.87 to 2.52)	0.326
miR-146	25	7.88 $\pm$ 2.79	24	7.01 $\pm$ 1.44	0.87 (-0.41 to 2.15)	0.179
miR-149	25	7.44 $\pm$ 1.16	25	7.55 $\pm$ 0.68	-0.11 (-0.66 to 0.43)	0.676