Supporting Information

Polyfluorene Based Bioconjugates for Selective Detection of Ferritin in Normal and Cancer Human Blood Serums

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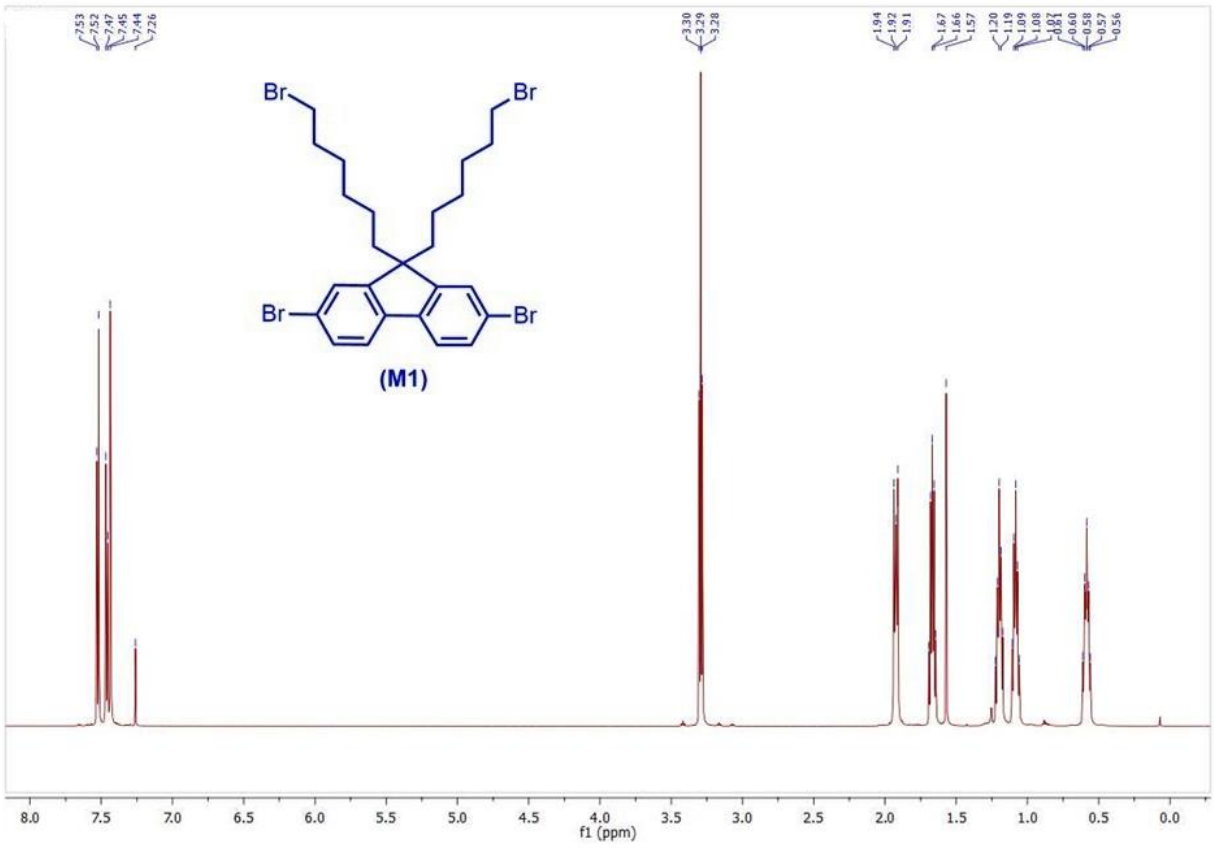


Figure S1: ^{1}H NMR spectra of M1.

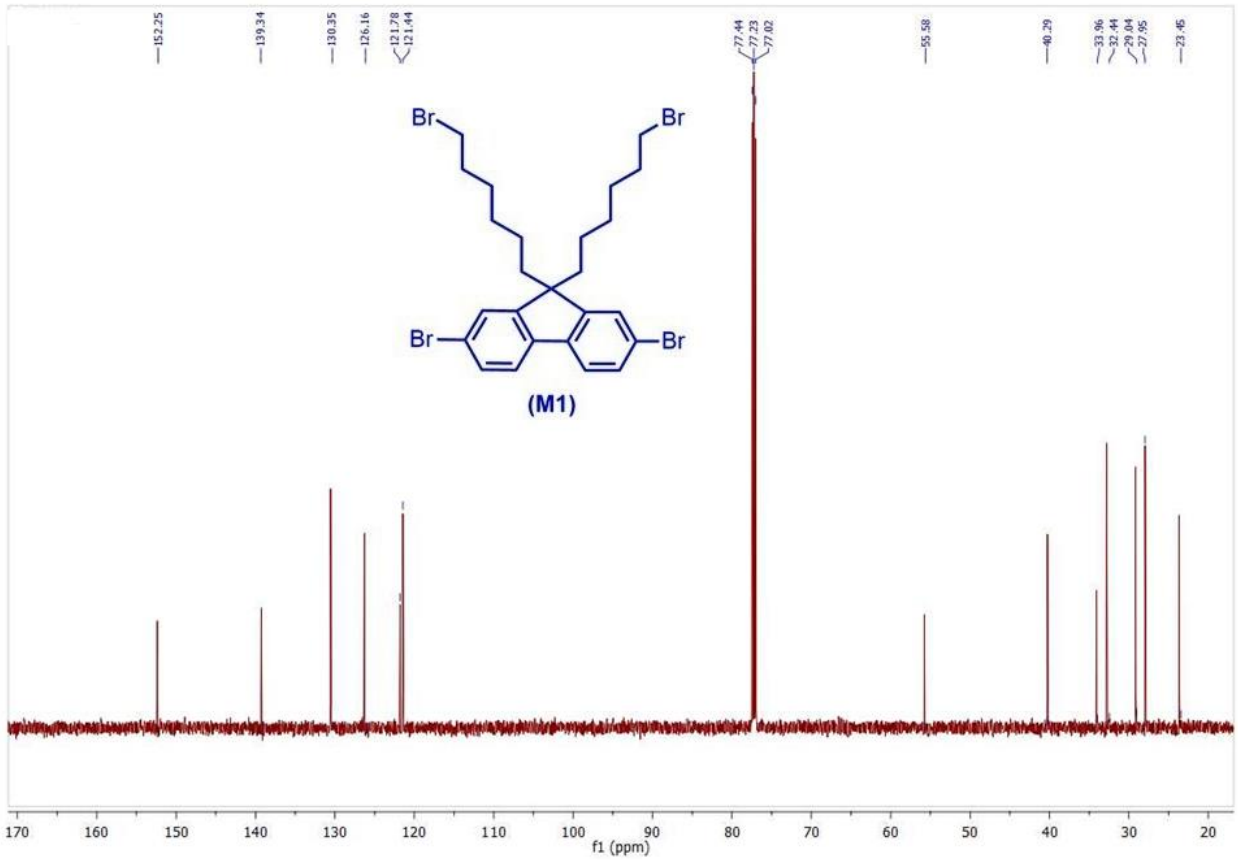
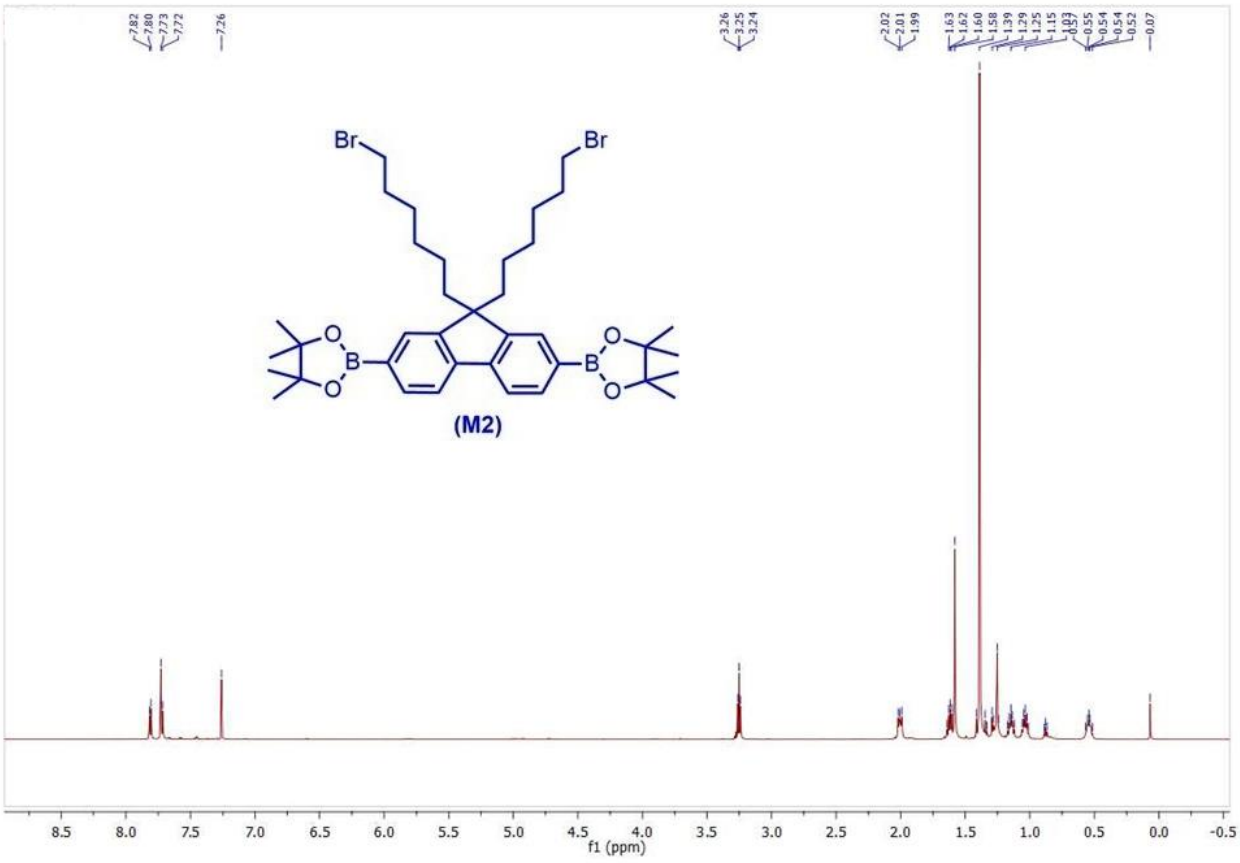


Figure S2: ^{13}C NMR spectra of M1



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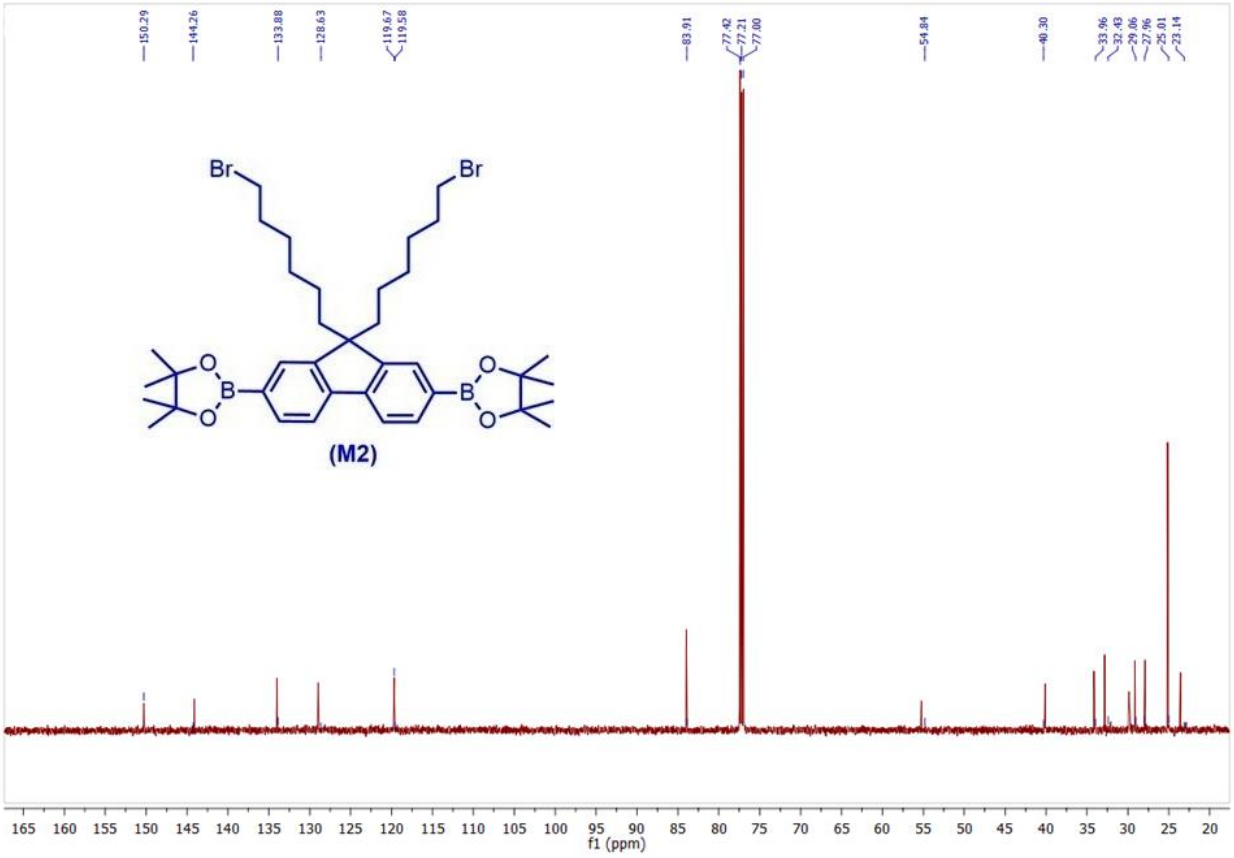

Figure S4: ^{13}C NMR spectra of M2.

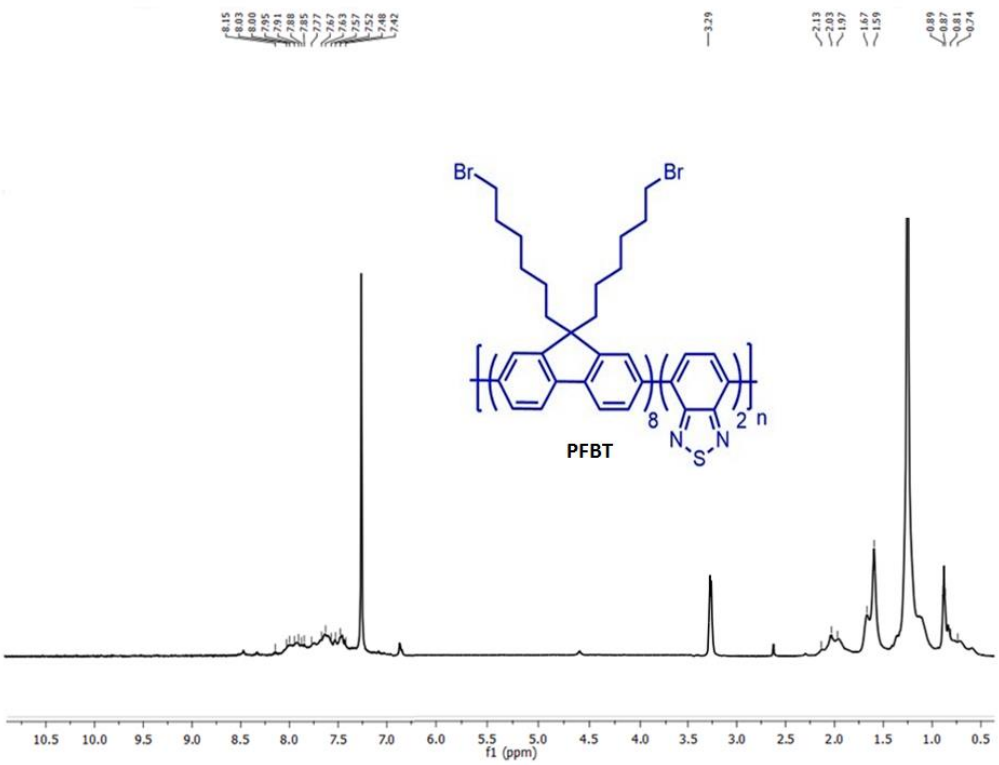

Figure S5: ^{1}H NMR spectra of the polymer PFBT.

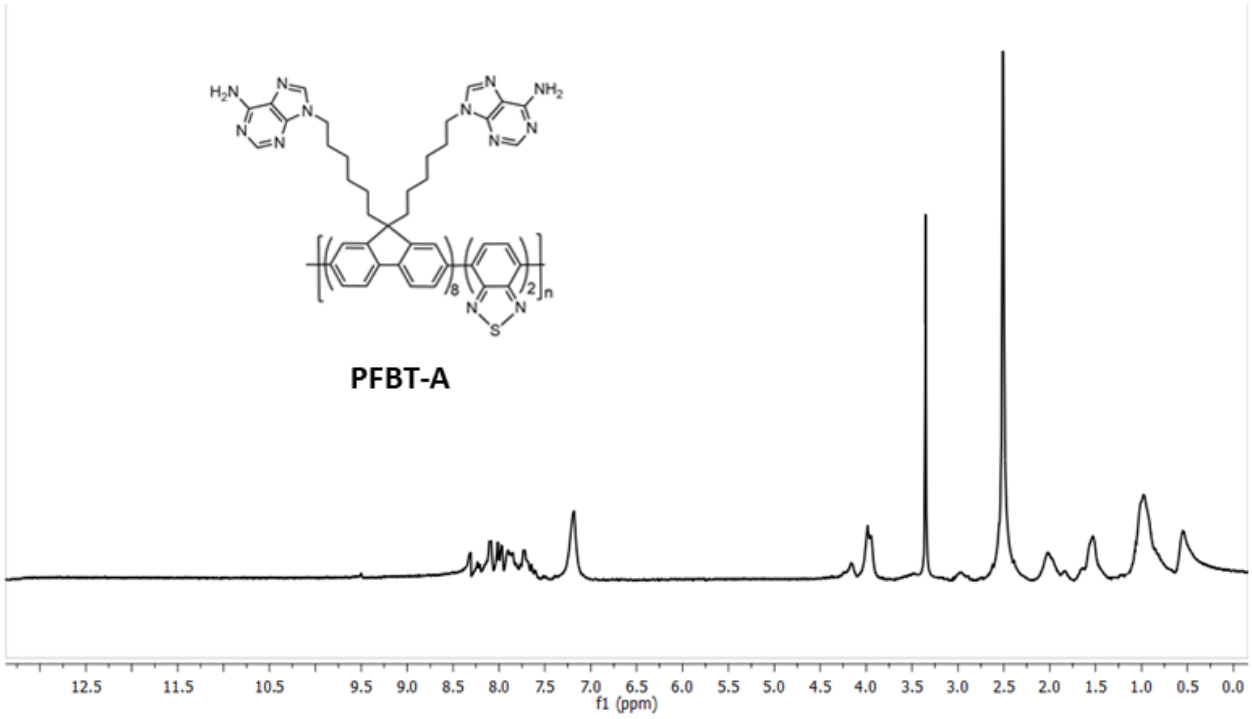

Figure S6: ^{1}H-NMR spectra of the polymer bioconjugate PFBT-A.

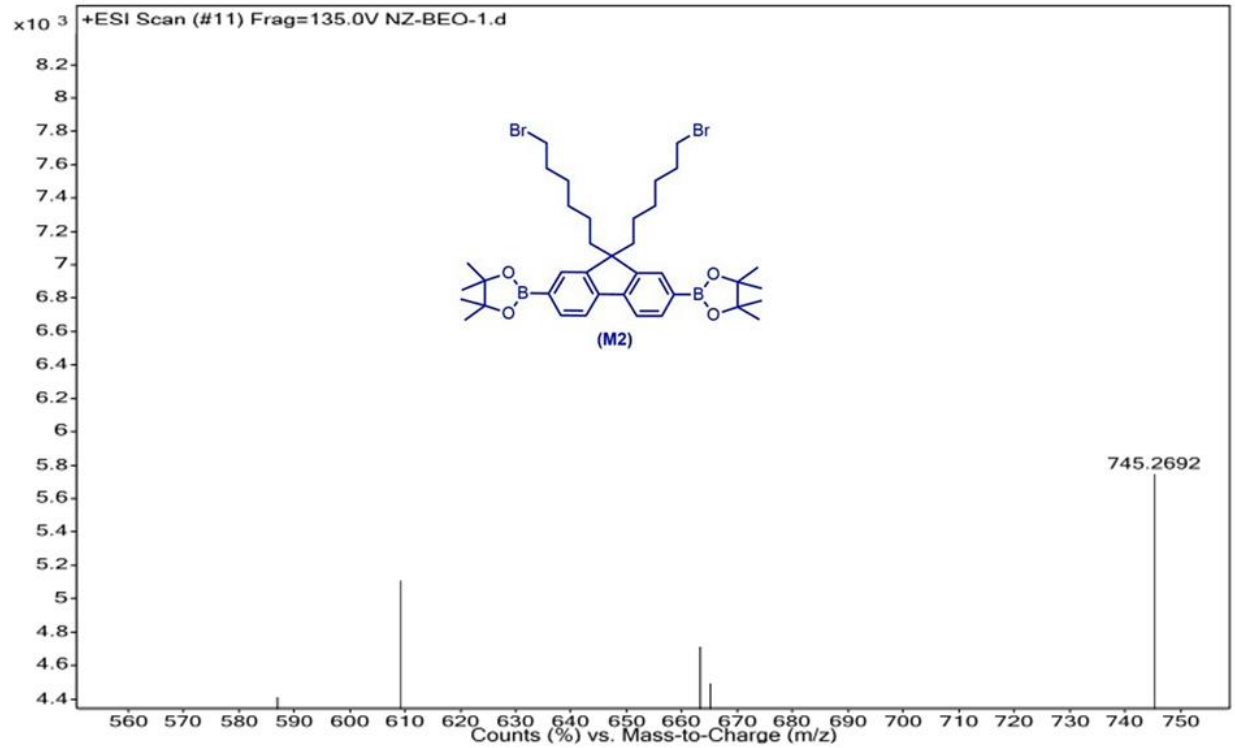

Figure S7: HRMS spectra of M2.

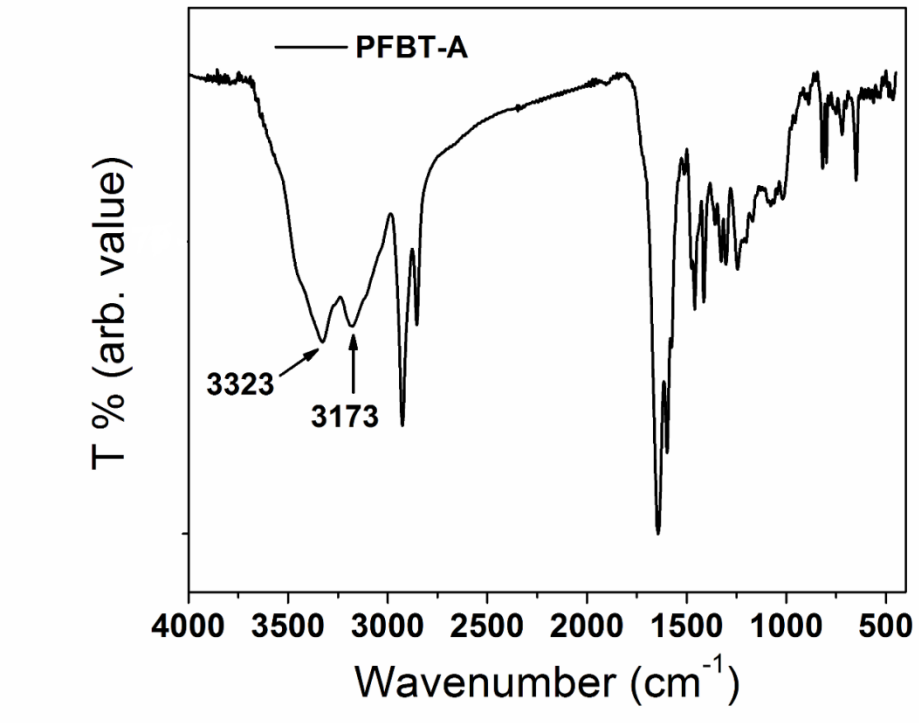

Figure S8: FT-IR spectra of the polymer bioconjugate PFBT-A.

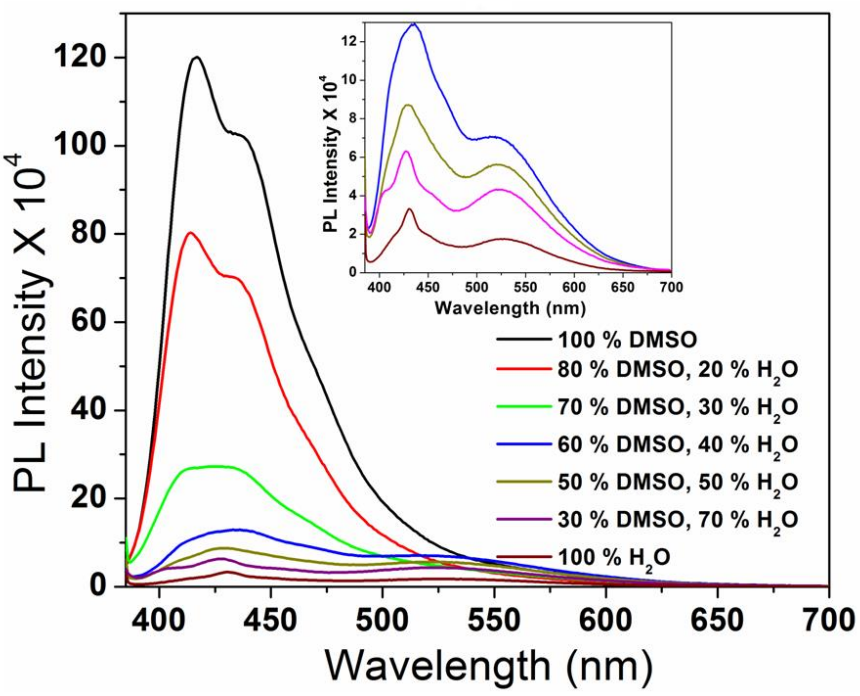

Figure S9: PL intensity of PFBT-A (1 μM) in different DMSO: HEPES mixtures. Inset: the enlarged portion of the curves from 40 % H_2O to 100 % H_2O.

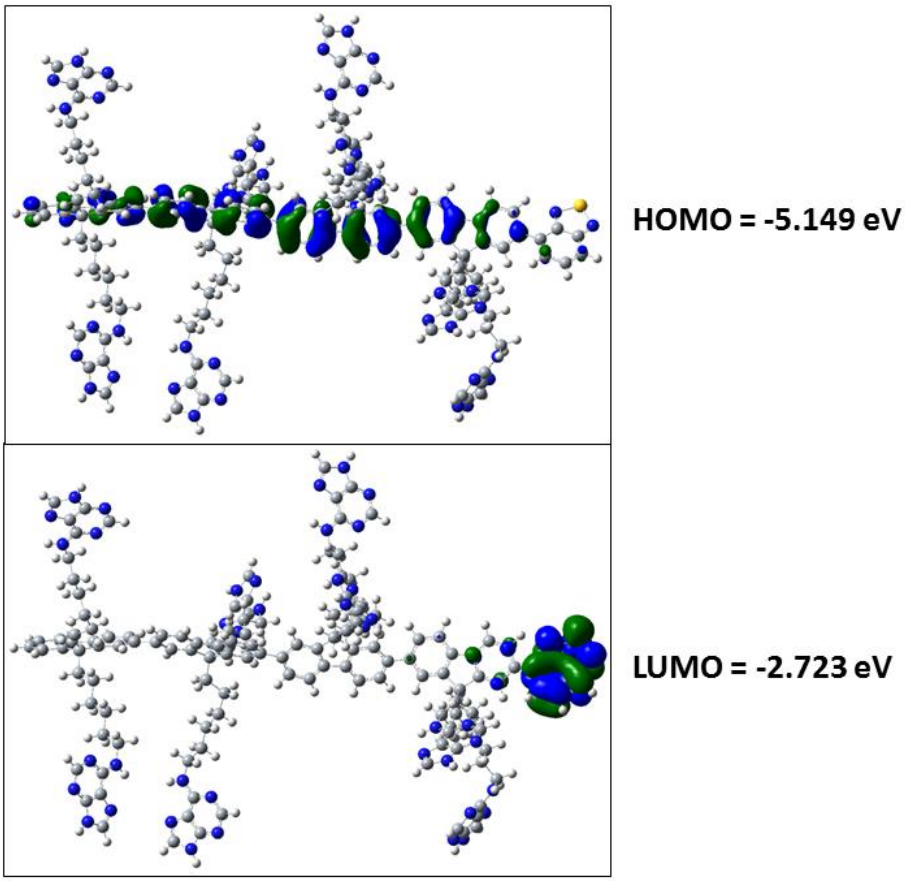

Figure S10: HOMO-LUMO hybrid structures of the polymer bioconjugate PFBT-A. Theoritical Band Gap = 2.426 eV

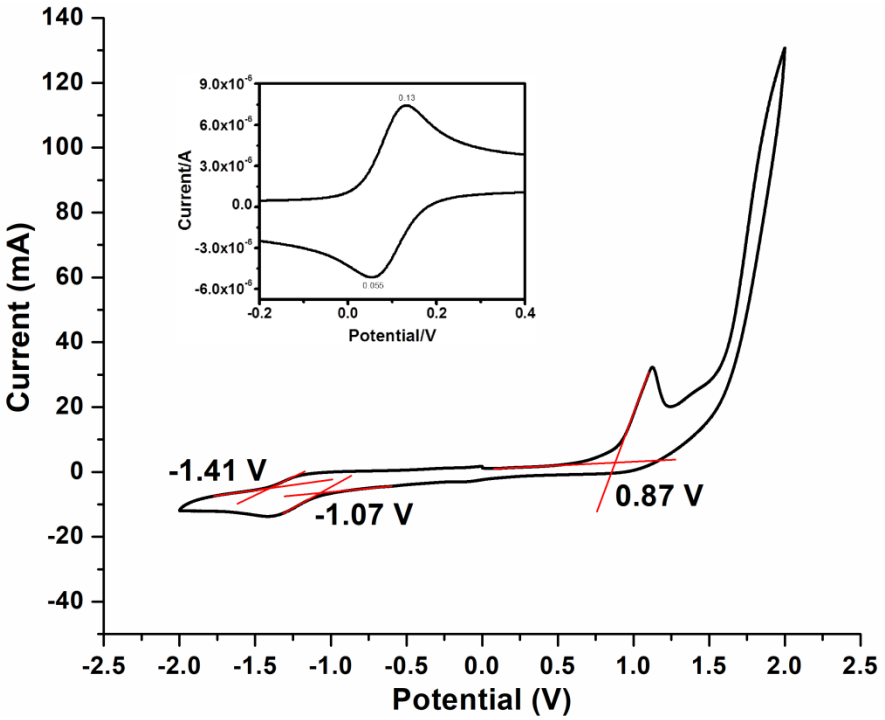

Figure S11: Cyclic voltammogram of PFBT-A film recorded on glassy carbon electrode with a scan rate of 50 mV s^{-1}. The inset corresponds to the cyclic voltammogram of ferrocene.

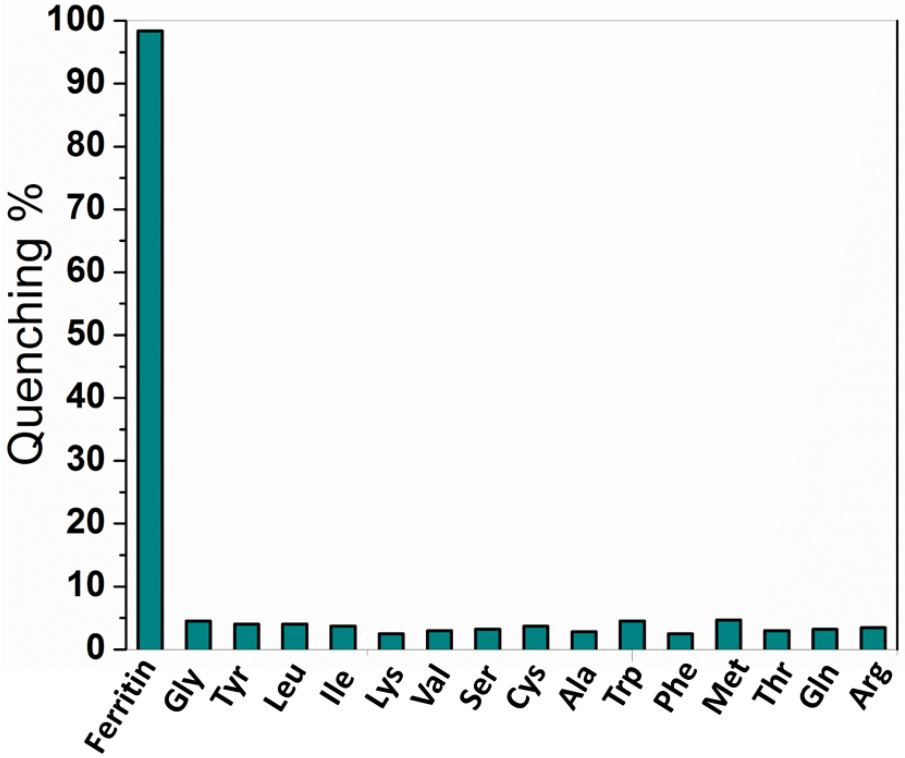

Figure S12: Selectivity study of PFBT-A (1 μM) in different amino acids (1 μM). [Gly=glycine, Tyr=tyrosine, Leu=leucine, Ile=isoleucine, Lys=lysine, Val=valine, Ser=serine, Cys=cysteine, Ala=alanine, Trp=trptophan, Phe=phenylalanine, Met=methionine, Thr=threonine, Gln=glutamine, Arg=arginine].

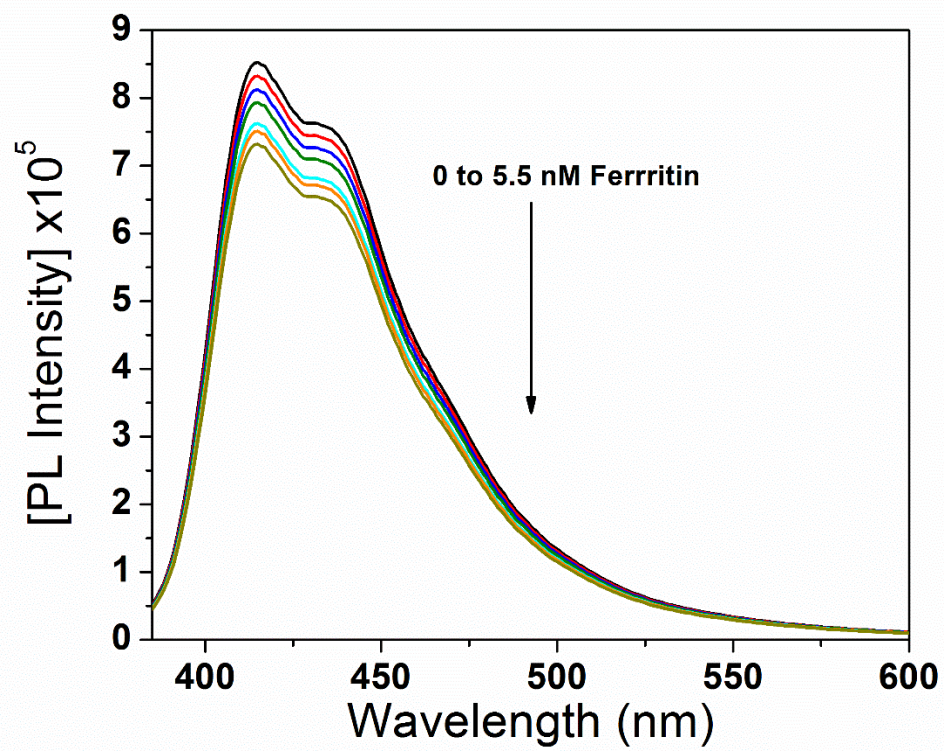

Figure S13: PL detection limit plots of PFBT-A.

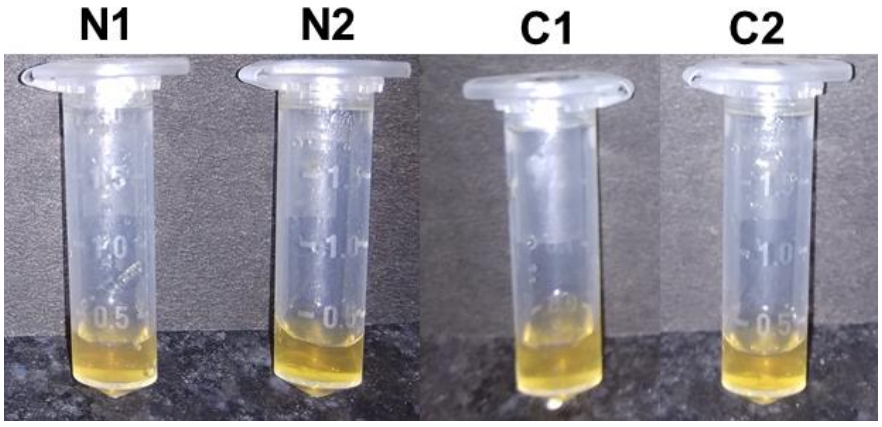

Figure S14: Pictures of the serum samples taken for study.

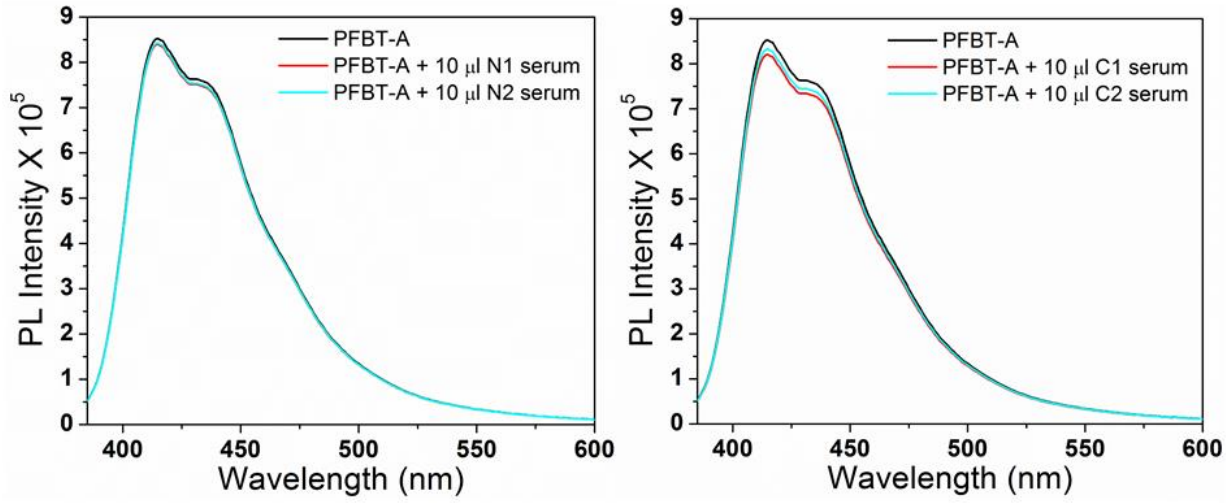

Figure S15: PL quenching of PFBT-A in presence of normal and cancer blood serums.