SUPPORTING INFORMATION:

Towards the Optimization of Dinitrosyl Iron Complexes as Therapeutics for Smooth Muscle Cells

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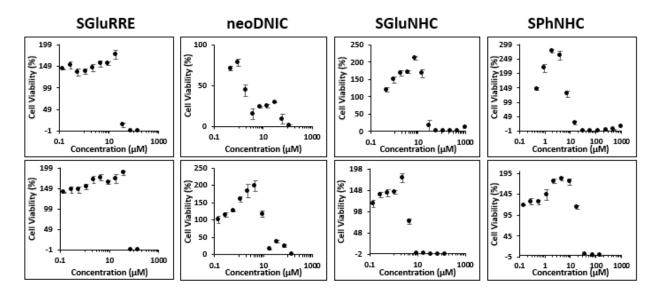


Figure S1. MTS viability assay curves for SMC grown to confluence treated with DNIC's at varying concentrations. Each trial is a set of biological triplicates.

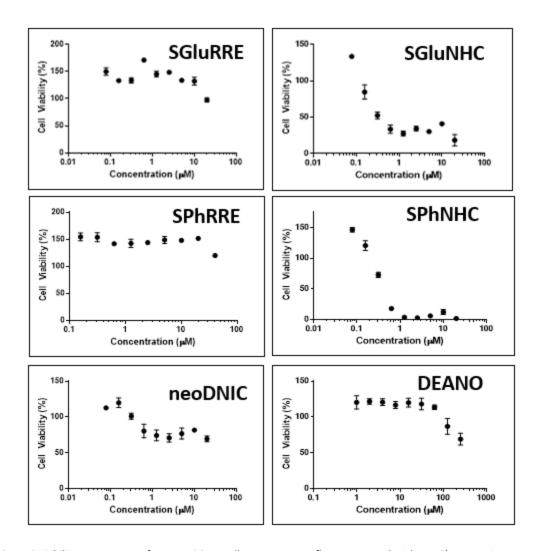


Figure S2. MTS viability assay curves for RAW 264.7 cells grown to confluence treated with DNIC's at varying concentrations. Each trial is a set of biological triplicates.

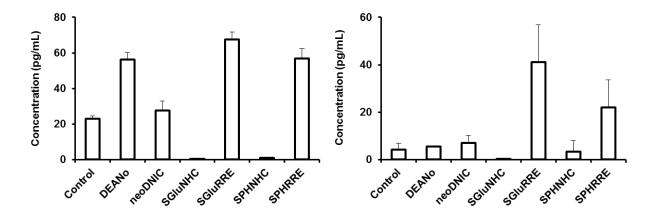


Figure S3: The expression of the mouse cytokines, regulated upon activation normal T-cell expressed and presumably secreted (RANTES) (left panel) and tumor necrosis factor- α (TNF- α) (right panel), following the treatment of RAW 264.7 cells with media (control), **DEANo, neoDNIC, SGIuRHE, SPhNHC and SPhRRE** at 5 μ M for 24 h.

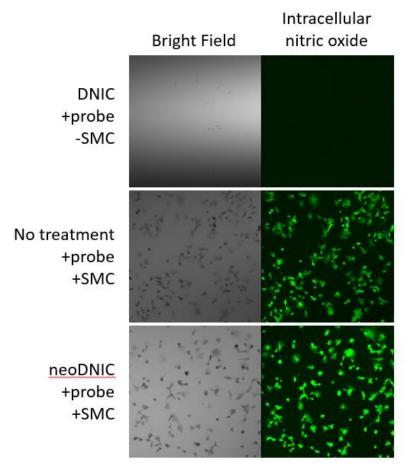


Figure S4: Confocal microscopy images collected with a 10x objective (image size 1.3 μ m × 1.3 μ m). The brighter the green fluorescence, the more nitric oxide present. Concentrations of DNIC are as follows. 30 μ M: SPhRRE, SGluRRE; 5 μ M neoDNIC; 3 μ M: SPhNHC, SGluNHC. To aid in visualization, 100 μ M ι -NNA (ι -nitroarginine), an NOS inhibitor was added to each well.

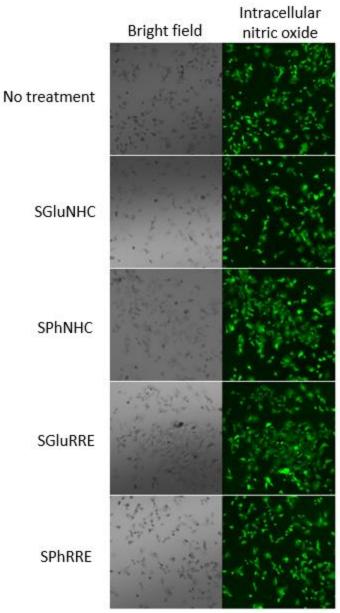


Figure S5: Confocal microscopy images collected with a 10x objective (image size 1.3 μ m \times 1.3 μ m). The brighter the green fluorescence, the more nitric oxide present. Concentrations of DNIC are as follows. 30 μ M: SPhRRE, SGluRRE; 3 μ M: SPhNHC, SGluNHC. To aid in visualization, 100 μ M ι -NNA (ι -nitroarginine), an NOS inhibitor, was added to each well. No treatment indicates that only ι -NNA was present and no DNIC treatments were added.