Supplementary Information

Table S1. The viability (RLU \times 10³) of BMMNCs 18 h after exposure to radiation.

| XBJ (μL/mL) | 0 Gy | 1 Gy | 4 Gy |
|-------------|------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 0 | 77 ± 4 | 57 ± 1 | 41 ± 1 |
| 1 | 89 ± 5 ** | $61 \pm 1 **,#$ | $47 \pm 3 * ^{,\#}$ |
| 5 | 88 ± 2 * | 57 ± 2 ## | 42 ± 2 ## |
| 10 | 79 ± 2 | 50 ± 3 ## | 38 ± 2 ## |
| 25 | 64 ± 2 * | $40 \pm 2 **,#$ | $33 \pm 1 **, ##$ |
| 50 | 37 ± 2 ** | 26 ± 1 ## | $23 \pm 1 **, ##$ |
| 100 | 15 ± 1 ** | $14 \pm 0 **,#$ | $12 \pm 0 **, ##$ |
| 200 | 4 ± 0 ** | $3 \pm 0 **, ##$ | $3 \pm 0 **, ##$ |

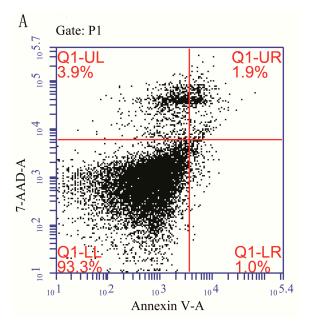
Bone marrow mononucleated cells were exposed to 0, 1 and 4 Gy of radiation after treatment with XBJ for 0.5 h. The viability of the cells was determined at 6 h after radiation exposure. The data are expressed as the means \pm SEM (n = 4 for each group). *p < 0.05, **p < 0.01 vs. control group; *p < 0.05, **p < 0.01 vs. the IR alone group.

Table S2. The ROS levels of BMMNCs 6 h after exposure to radiation.

| XBJ (μL/mL) | 0 Gy | 1 Gy | 4 Gy |
|-------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 0 | 3429 ± 44 | 3494 ± 104 | 3564 ± 56 |
| 1 | 3584 ± 75 | 3488 ± 116 | 3249 ± 111 * |
| 5 | 3232 ± 41 * | $3842 \pm 157 * ^{,\#}$ | $4291 \pm 135 **, ##$ |
| 10 | 3142 ± 83 * | 3330 ± 129 | 3518 ± 12 [#] |
| 25 | 2711 ± 24 ** | $2927 \pm 51 **, ***$ | $3346 \pm 79 * ^{,\#}$ |

Bone marrow mononucleated cells were exposed to 0, 1 and 4 Gy irradiation after treated with XBJ for 0.5 h. Then, the ROS levels of cells were detected by flowcytometry at 6 h after irradiation exposure. The data were expressed as mean \pm SEM (n = 3 for each group). *p < 0.05, **p < 0.01 vs. the control group; *p < 0.05, **p < 0.01 vs. the IR alone group.

Figure S1. Representative graph for apoptosis analysis. Mice were treated with i.p. injection of the vehicle or XBJ after exposure to 2 Gy TBI, as described in the Experimental Section. BMMNCs were collected from the mice after euthanization nine days after 2 Gy TBI and incubated with FITC-Annexin V and 7-AAD, as per the manufactures instructions. Then, the BMMNCs were detected by flowcytometry and analyzed by the requisite software. **(A)** Apoptosis of control cells; **(B)** apoptosis of |IR cells.



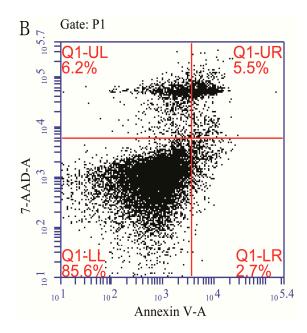
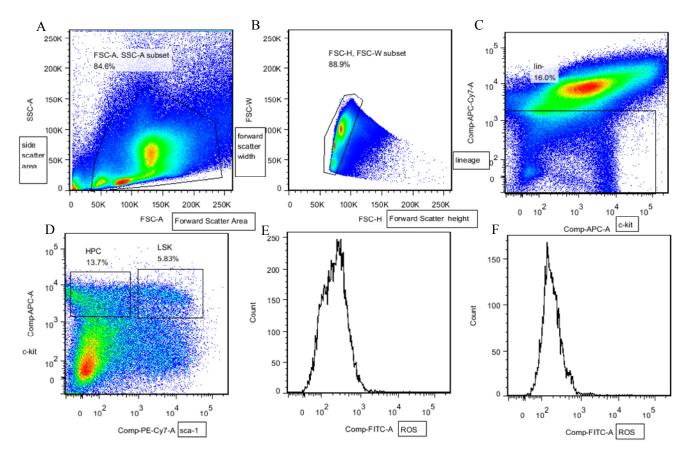


Figure S2. Representative ROS measurement. Mice were treated with i.p. injection of the vehicle or XBJ after exposure to 2 Gy TBI, as described in the Experimental Section. BMMNCs were collected from the mice after euthanization nine days after 2 Gy TBI and incubated antibodies, such as biotin-lineage (CD5, B220, Ter-119, CD11b, Gr-1), APC-c-kit, PE-cy7-Sca-1 and streptavidin-APC-cy7, as per the manufactures' instructions. Then, the cells were detected by flowcytometry and analyzed by the requisite software. (A) Bone marrow mononucelated cells (gated); (B) adhesion cells removement; (C) lineage negative cells gated; (D) HSC and HPC gated; (E) representative HSC ROS detection; (F) representative HPC ROS detection.



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