Supplementary Materials

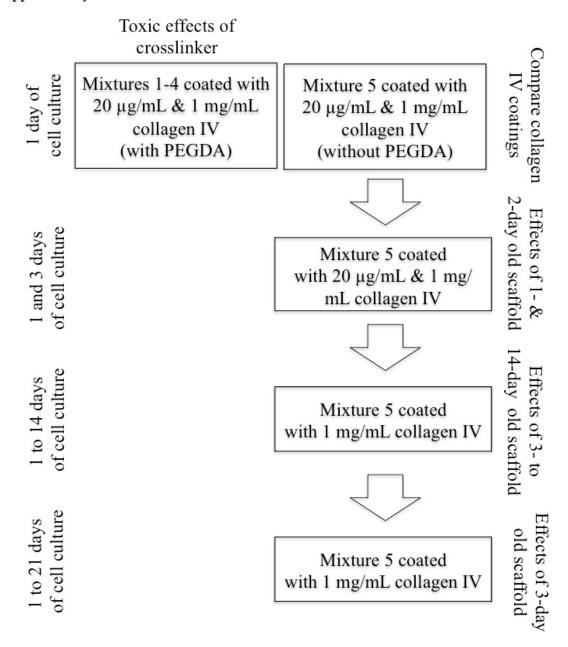
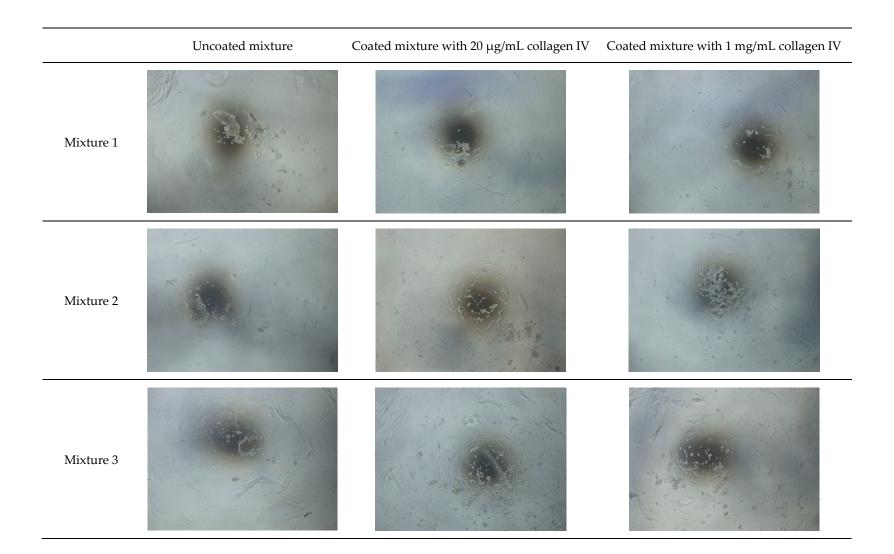


Figure S1. Workflow of experiments.



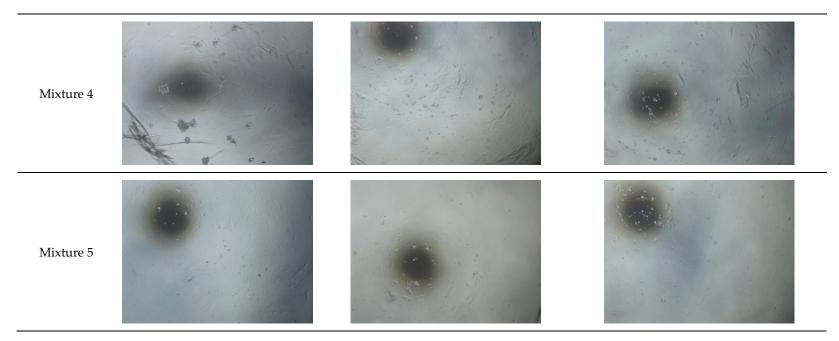
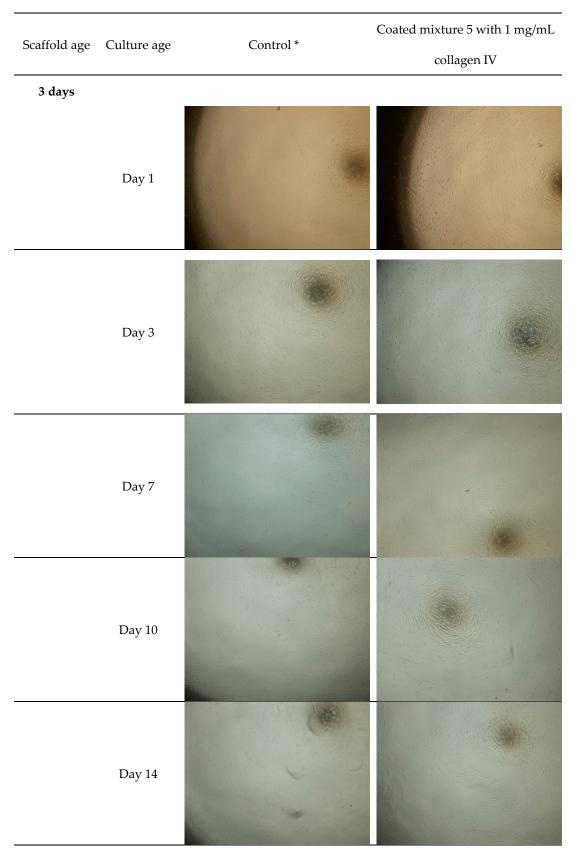
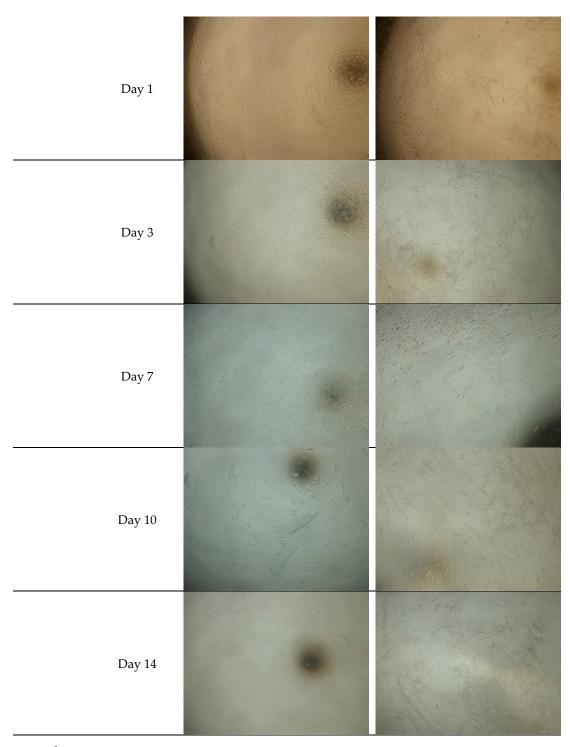


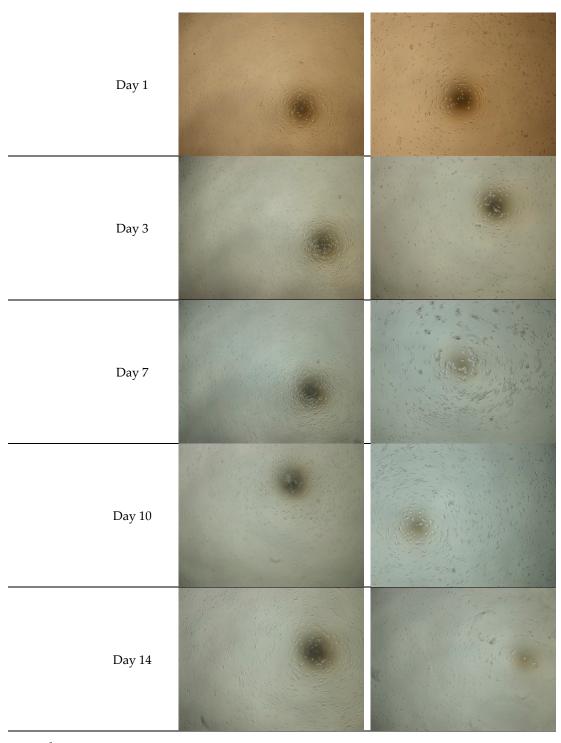
Figure S2. The light microscopic images ($4\times$ magnification) of 1-day old culture of human OMECs on five different mixtures of HA scaffold uncoated and coated with 1 mg/mL and 20 μ g/mL collagen IV.



7 days



10 days



14 days

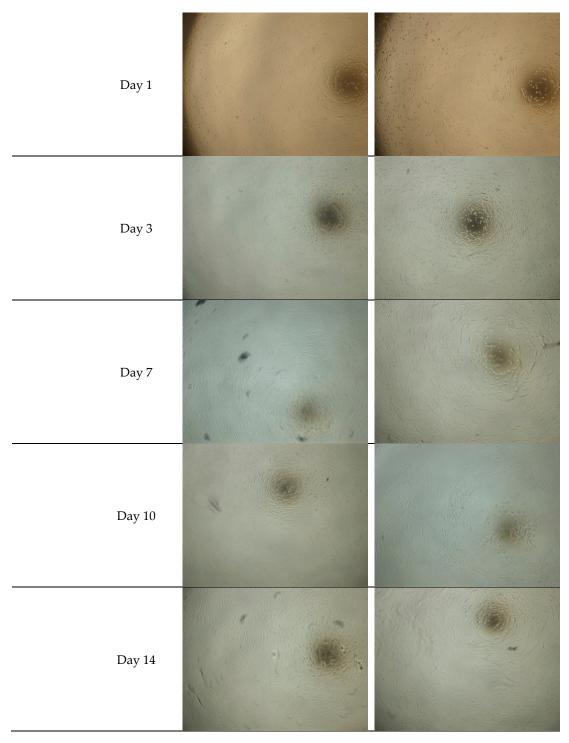
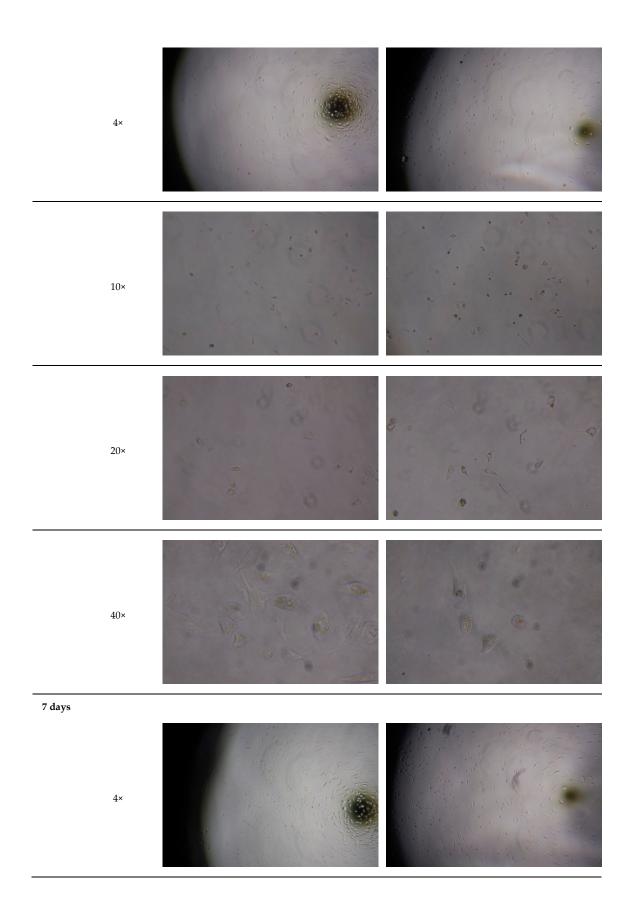
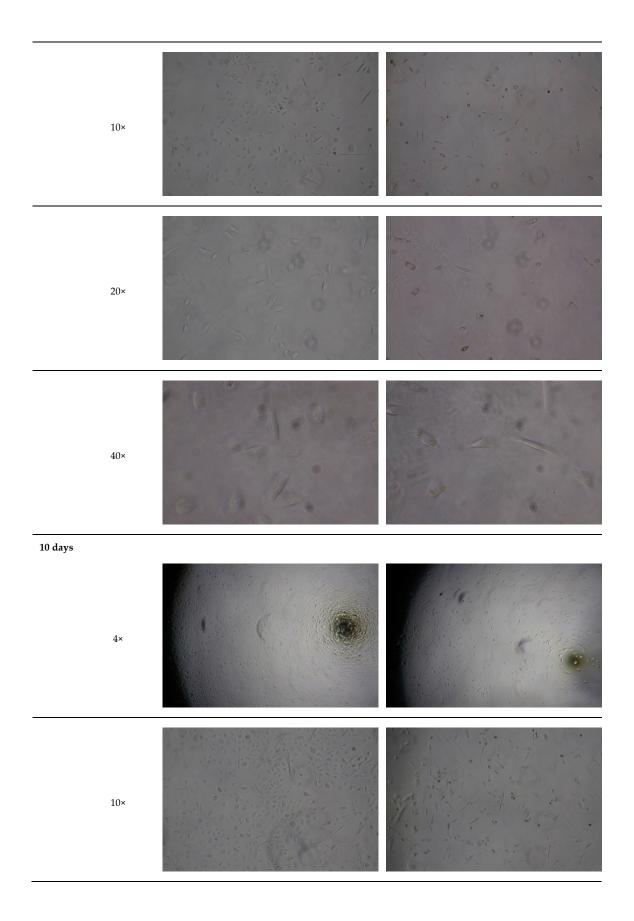


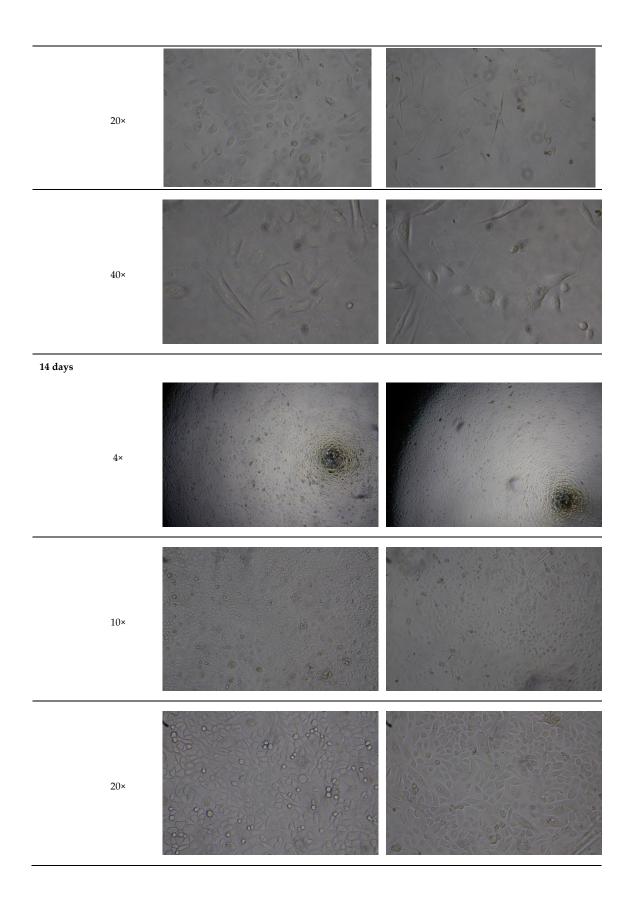
Figure S3. The light microscopic images (4× magnification) of human OMECs after 1, 3, 7, 10 and 14 days of culture on HA scaffolds dried for 3, 7, 10 or 14 days and coated with 1 mg/mL collagen IV. * Cultured human OMECs on coated plastic 24-well-plate with 1 mg/mL collagen IV.

Culture age	Magnification	Control *	Coated mixture 5 with 1 mg/mL collagen IV
1 day	4×		
	10×		
	20×		
	40×		

3 days







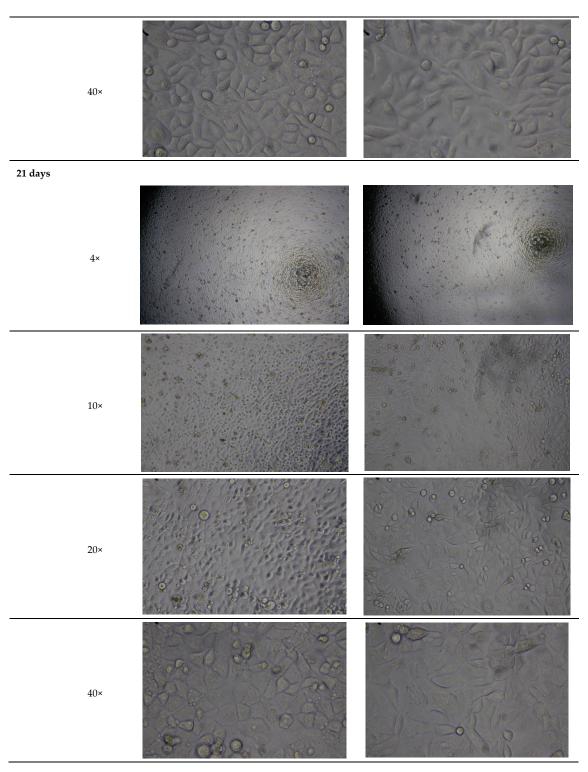


Figure S4. The light microscopic images $(4\times, 10\times, 20\times$ and $40\times$ magnification) of human OMECs after 1, 3, 7, 10, 14 and 21 days of culture on HA scaffold dried for 3 days and coated with 1 mg/mL collagen IV. * Cultured human OMECs on coated plastic 24-well-plate with 1 mg/mL collagen IV.