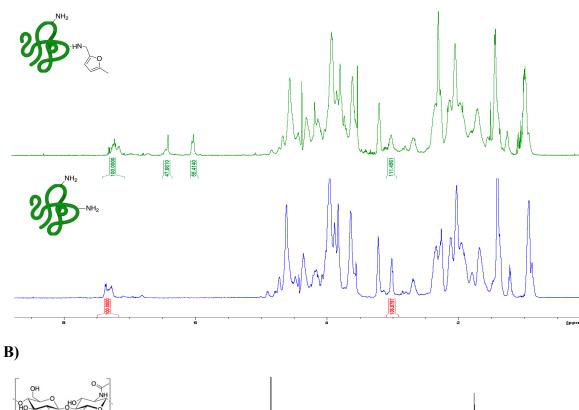


Supplementary Material

1. SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURES





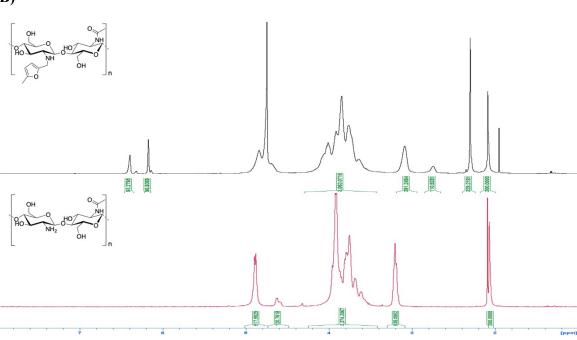
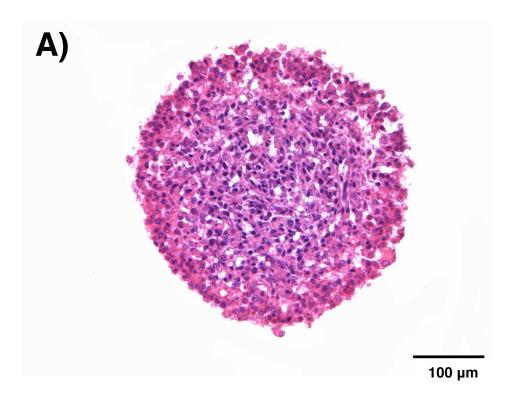
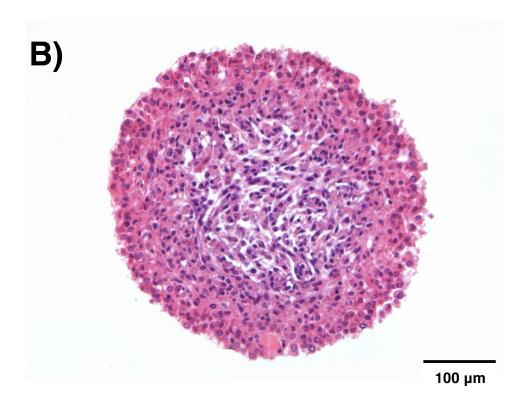


Figure S1: Integrated spectra of gelatin (A) and chitosan (B) unfunctionalized and functionalized with 5-methylfurfural.





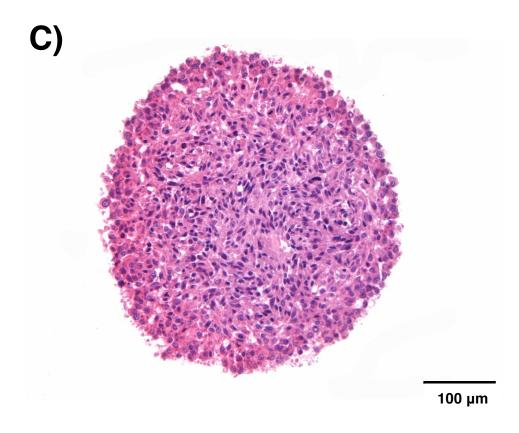


Figure S2. Histological images of spheroids embedded in GE-CH hydrogel at day 1 (A), 3 (B) and 6 (C).