Supplementary Materials: Sensitive Bioanalysis Based on in-Situ Droplet Anodic Stripping Voltammetric Detection of CdS Quantum Dots Label after Enhanced Cathodic Preconcentration

Method	Serum Sample	Hospital Method ^a /ng·mL ⁻¹	Our Protocol ^b /ng·L ⁻¹	RD %
1	Normal	0.89	0.83	-6.7
2	Normal	1.39	1.43	2.9
3	Normal	2.08	2.21	6.3
4	Pregnant	2.28	2.42	6.1
5	Lung cancer	5.58	5.37	-3.8
6	Rectal cancer	34.5	33.1	-4.0
7	Liver cancer	5.04	5.21	3.4

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Table S1. Immunoassay of CEA in clinical serum samples by our protocol and the hospital.

^a The hospital method was chemiluminescence method conducted on an Anthos Lucy 2 semi-automatic analyzer; ^b Given as the average value of three successive assays; ^c RD: relative deviation.



Figure S1. δ versus volume of 0.1 M HNO₃ used to dissolve CdS QDs for our protocol (n = 3). Conditions: 500-s enrichment; others are the same as in Figure 1 except for varying volume of HNO₃.



Figure S2. Differential pulse ASV responses at a BSA/anti-CEA/GA-CS/SPCE (**a**) and a neighboring bare SPCE (**b**). The electrodes were incubated with 40 fg·mL⁻¹ CEA and then Ab₂-CdS QDs, and the ASV analysis was then performed. Here, only the immunoelectrode showed an ASV peak, while no obvious response was observed at the bare SPCE.