Near-infrared photothermal therapy of Prussian-blue-functionalized lanthanide-ion-doped inorganic/plasmonic multifunctional nanostructures for the selective targeting of HER2-expressing breast cancer cells

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Fig. S1 (A) X-ray diffraction of silica-coated CMO:Eu NPs. (B) Energy-dispersive X-ray spectrum of CMO@SiO₂, inset shows the FTIR spectra of CMO:Eu and silica-coated CMO:Eu NPs, (C) Excitation spectrum of CMO@SiO₂@GNR-PB NPs(λ_{em} =615 nm), Inset shoes the expansion to the excitation spectrum between 350–480 nm, (D) The deconvolution of UV–visible spectrum of CMO@SiO₂@GNR-PB NPs.



Fig. S2 Temperature increment of the synthesized CMO@SiO₂@GNR-PB solution as a function of laser power extinction.



Fig. S3 Phase (PH), fluorescence (FL), and overlay images of AML12 cells without treatment and treated with HNP-PB or HNP-PB-Ab for 2 h. Scale bar: $100 \mu m$.



Fig. S4 Raman streamline mapping of AML12 cells without treatment and treated with HNP-PB or treated with HNP-PB-Ab for 2 h (peak at 2152 cm⁻¹ from PB was selected for mapping). Scale bar: 10 μ m.



Fig. S5 Cell viability of MDA-MB-435 and AML12 cells: control and treated cells with different concentrations of HNP-PB for 24 h (error bars are the standard deviation of the mean; N = 3, **P* <0.05).