

Mechanisms of Translocating an Intact Blood-Brain Barrier

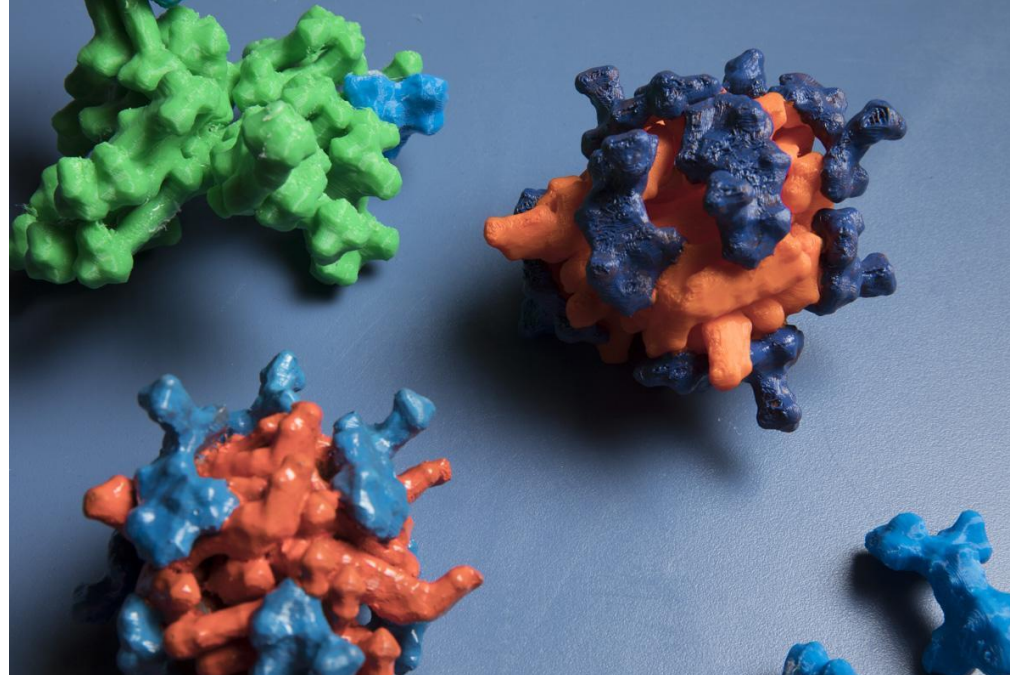
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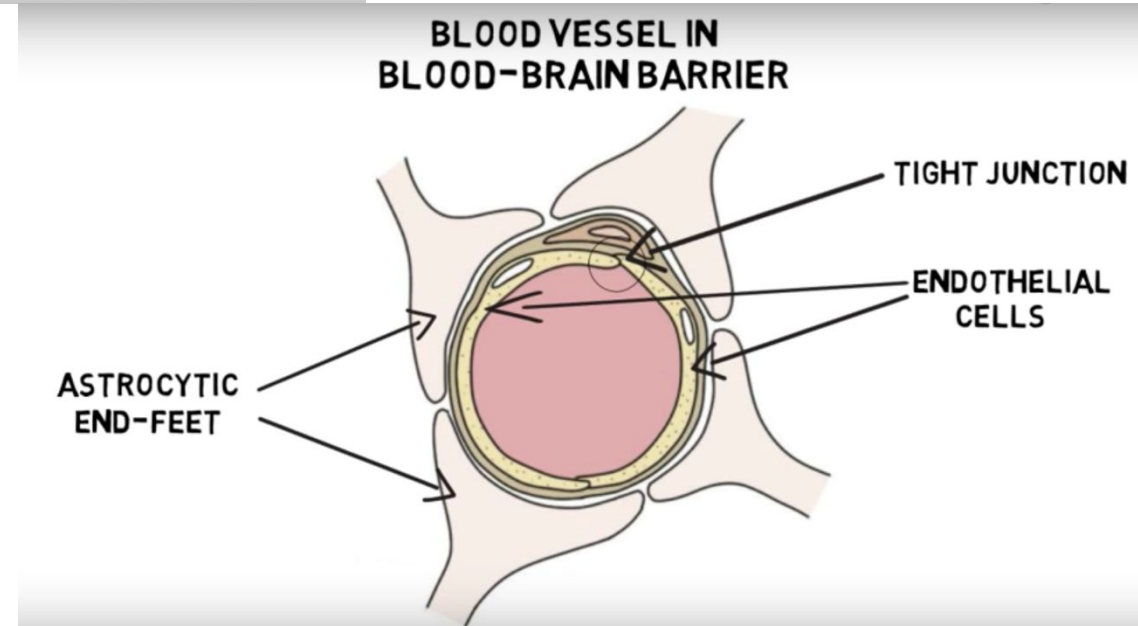
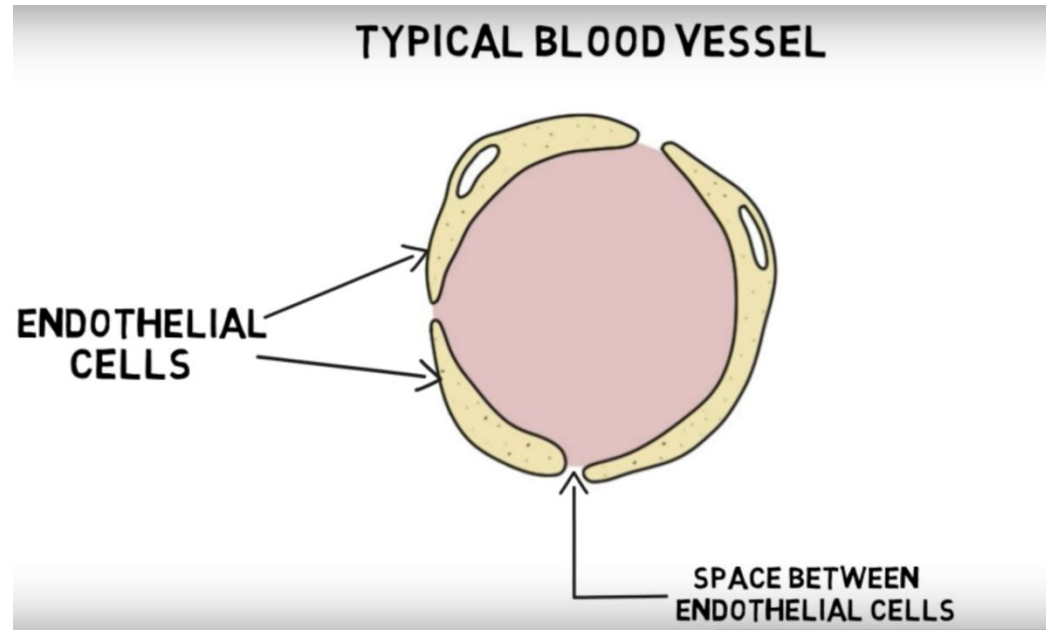


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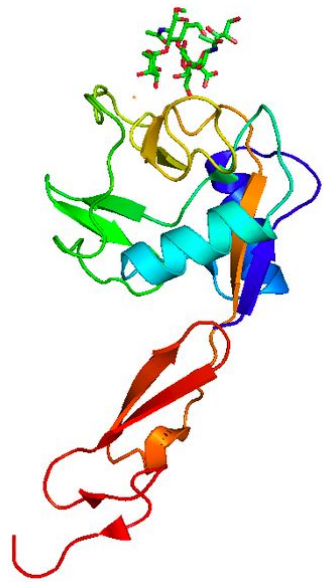
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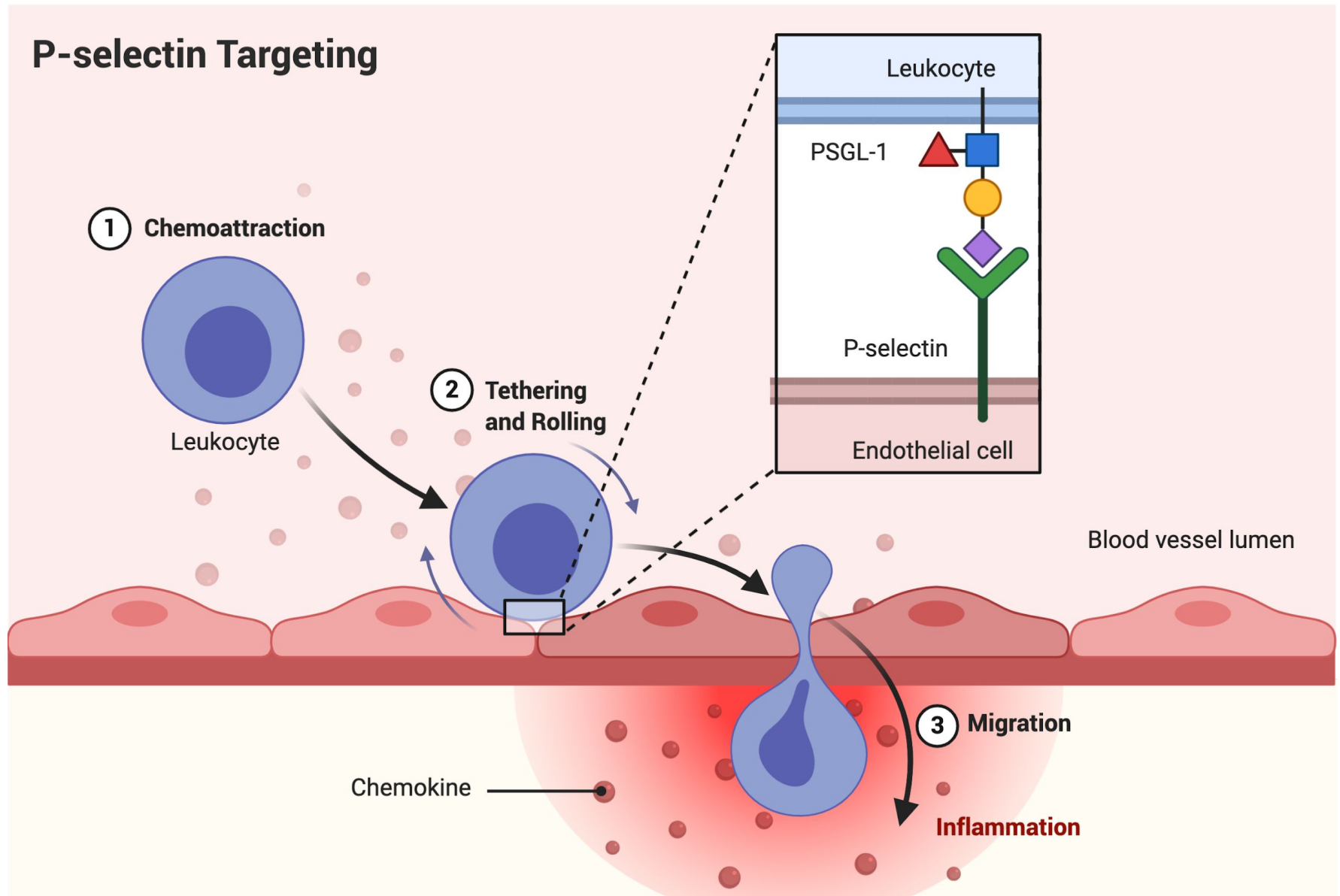
Can We Improve the Delivery of Drugs to CNS Tumors?



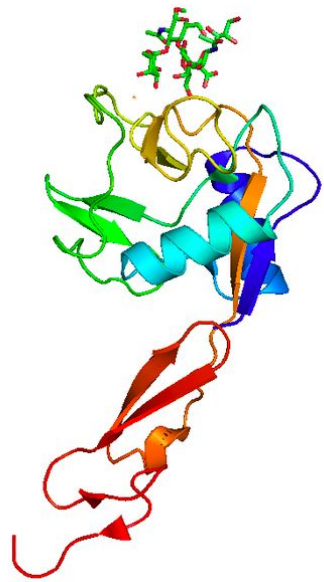
P-selectin is Released to Surface of Activated Endothelial Cells for Immune Cell Localization and Extravasation



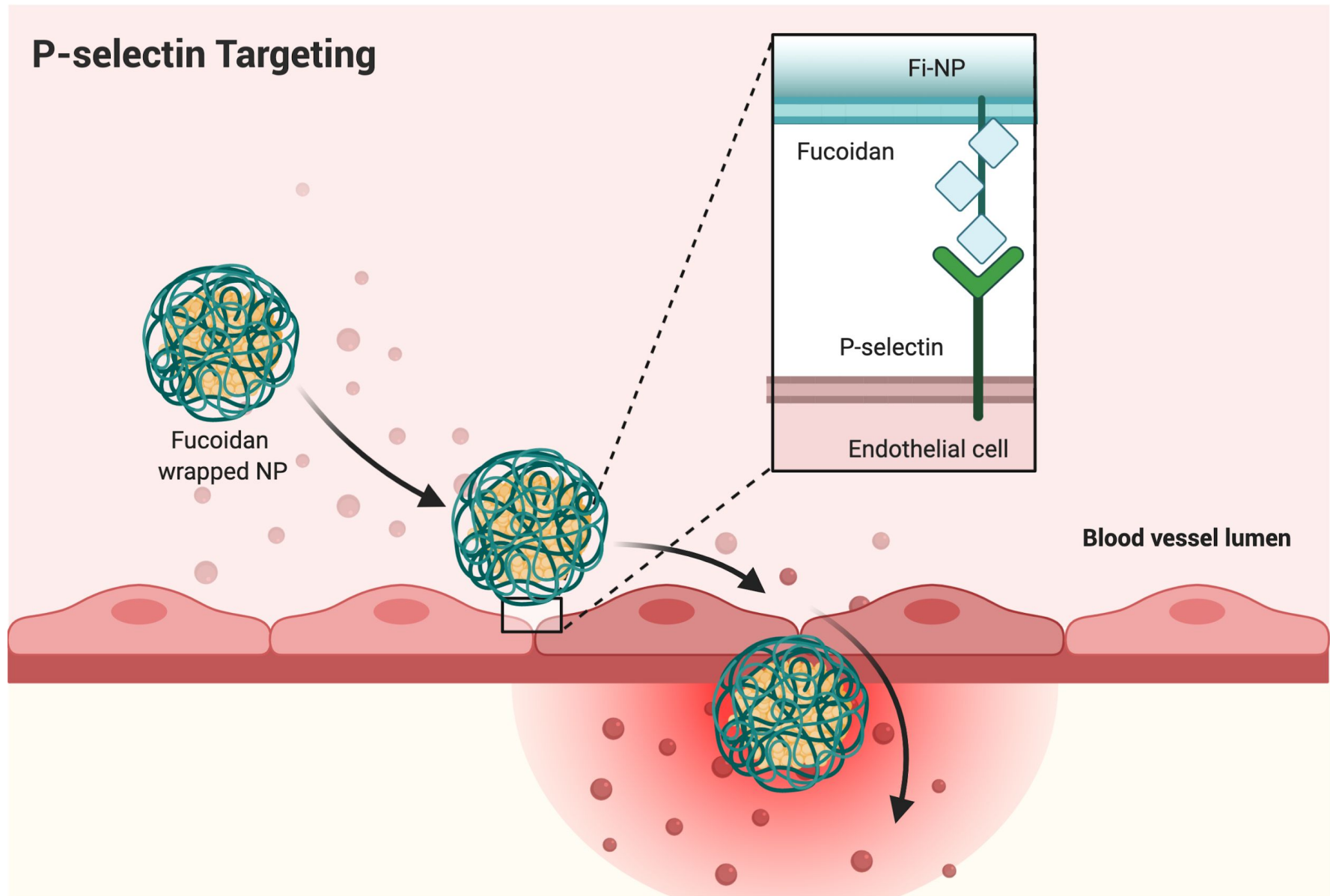
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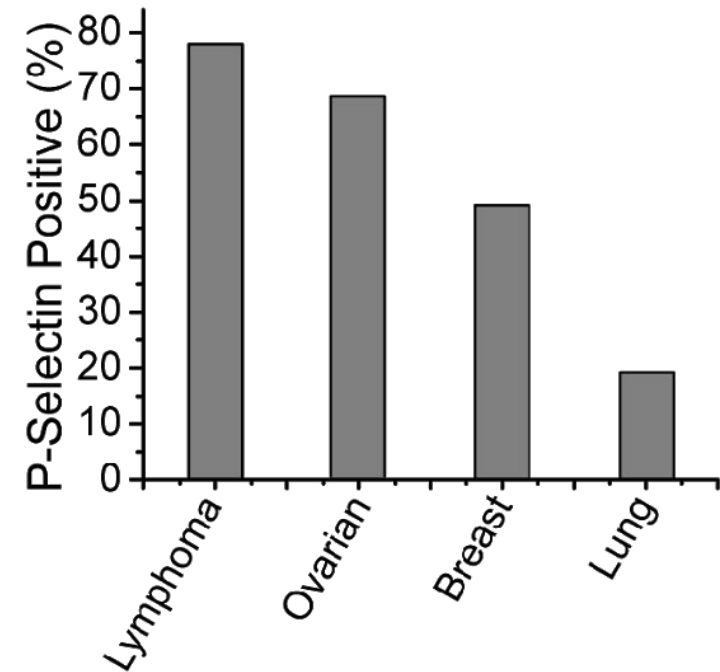
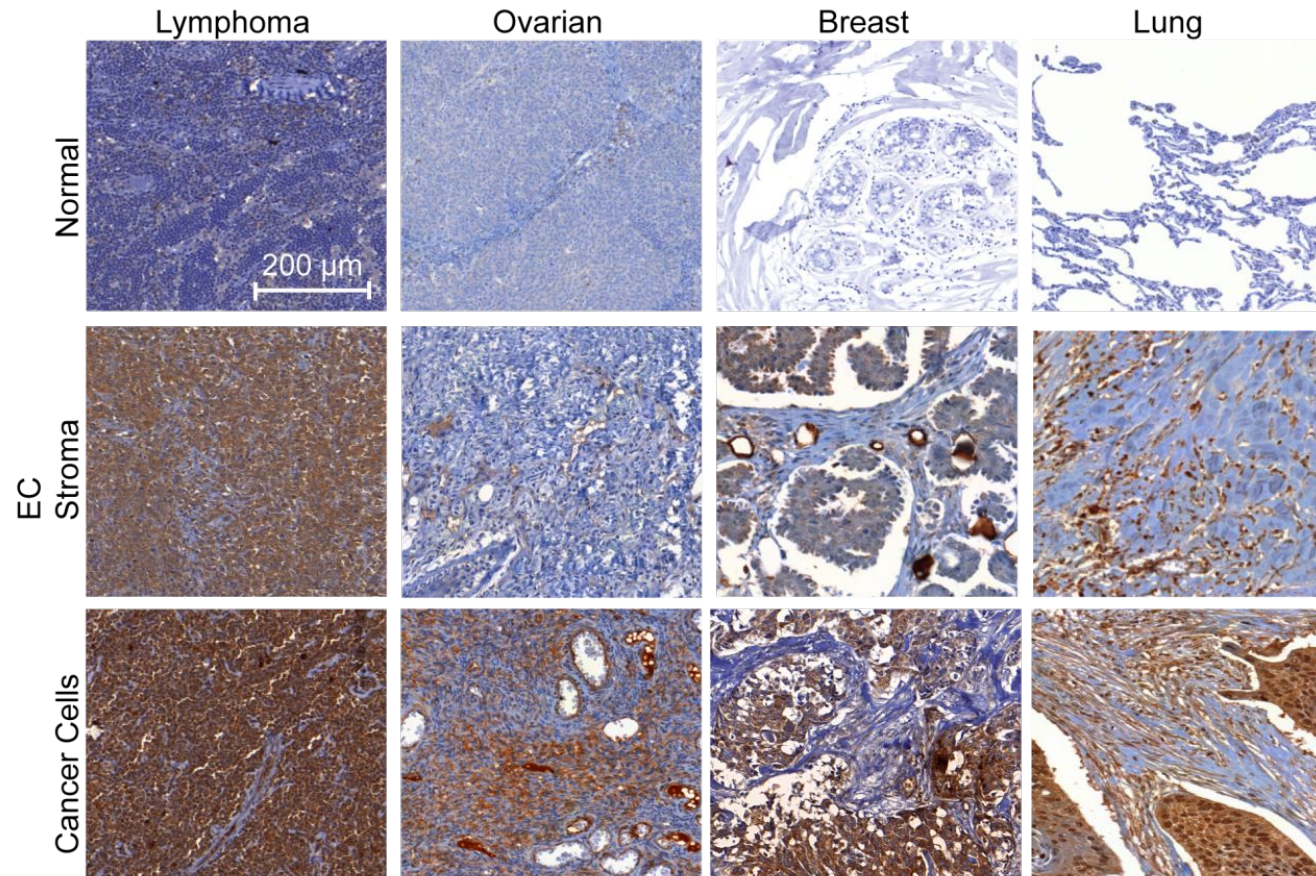
Can P-selectin-Targeting Facilitate Extravasation at Tumor Sites?



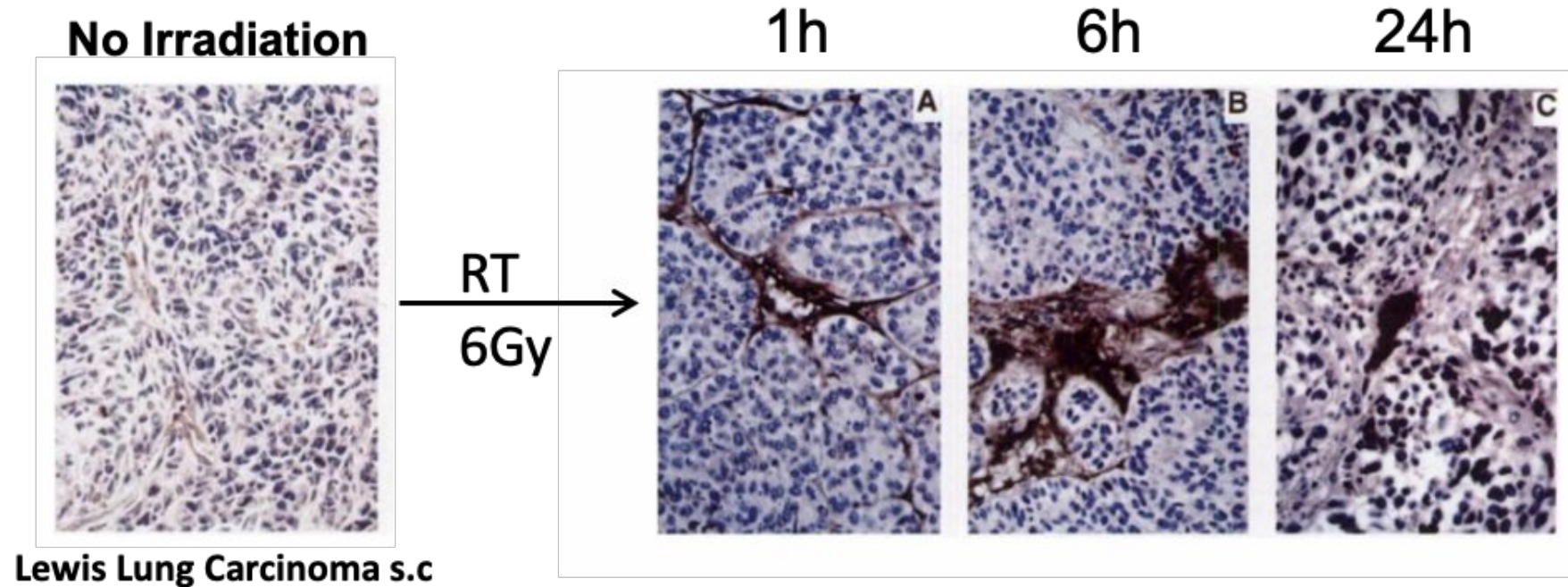
P-selectin



P-selectin is Expressed in Human Cancers on Blood Vessels, Stroma, and Cancer Cells

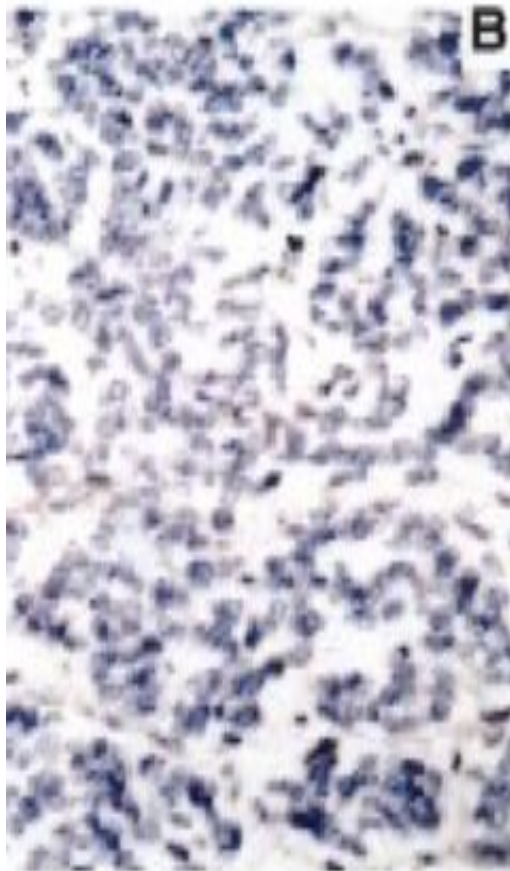


Radiotherapy Induces P-selectin Expression in Vasculature

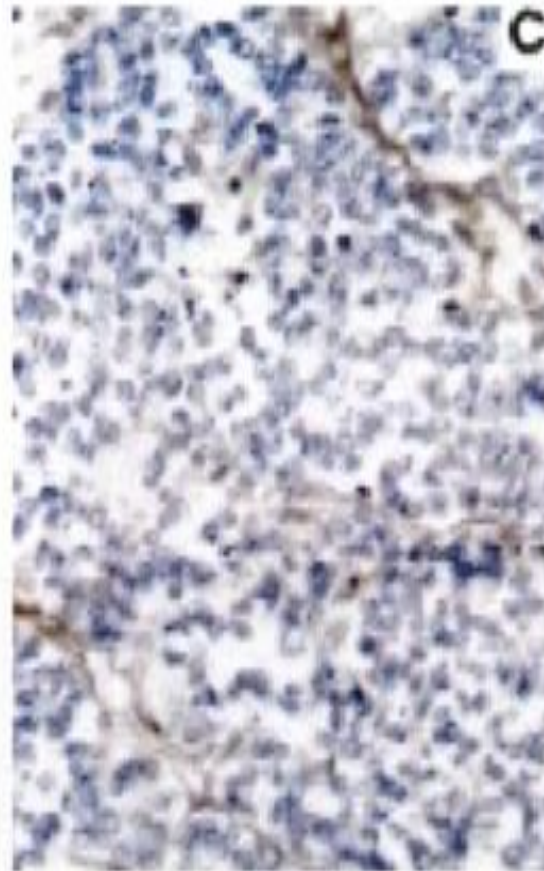


Radiotherapy Induces P-selectin Expression in Brain Tumor Vasculature

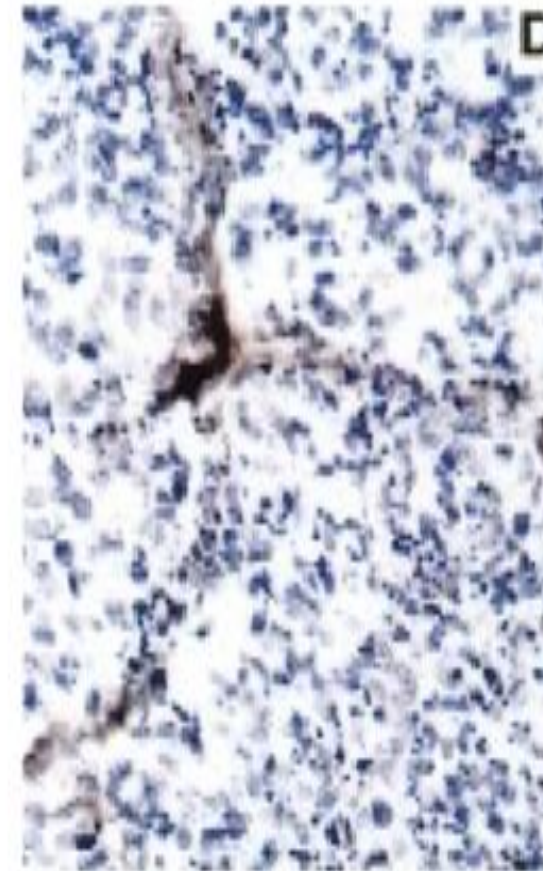
Rat C6 glioma



No XRT

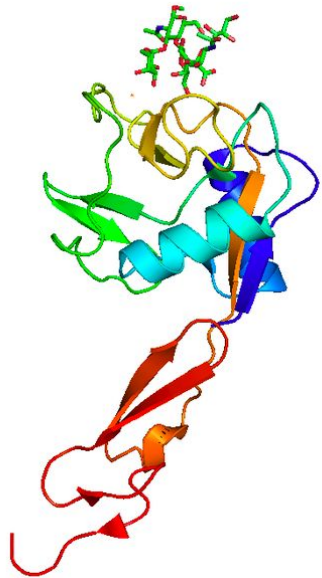


6Gy (1hr)

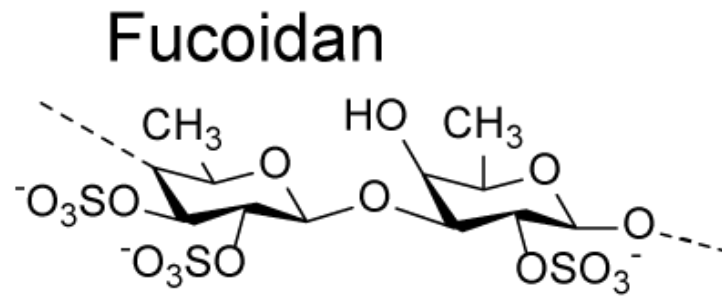


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Polysaccharide Fucoidan Mimics Glycoprotein Binding Interactions to P-selectin



P-selectin

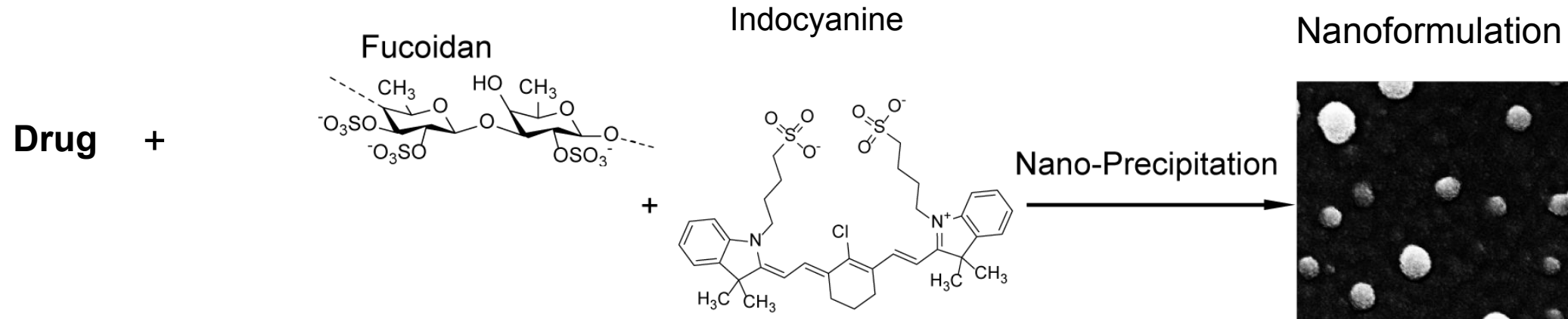


Structural similarity to PSGL-1



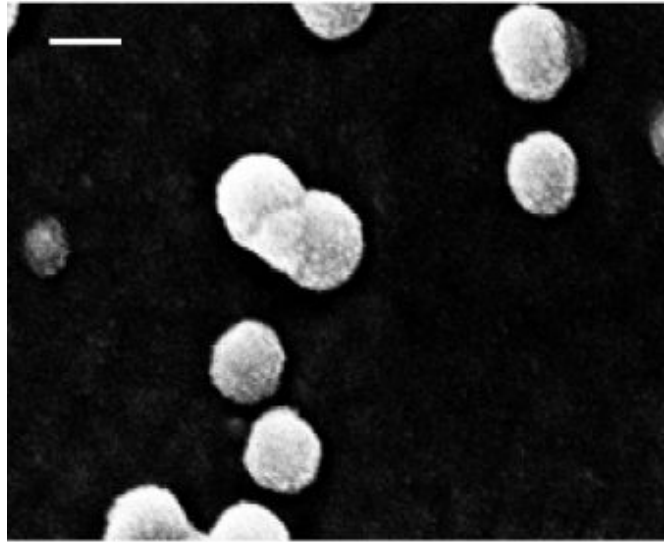
- High affinity to P-selectin (~20nM)
- Structural element for nanoformulation strategy

Nanoformulation Approach

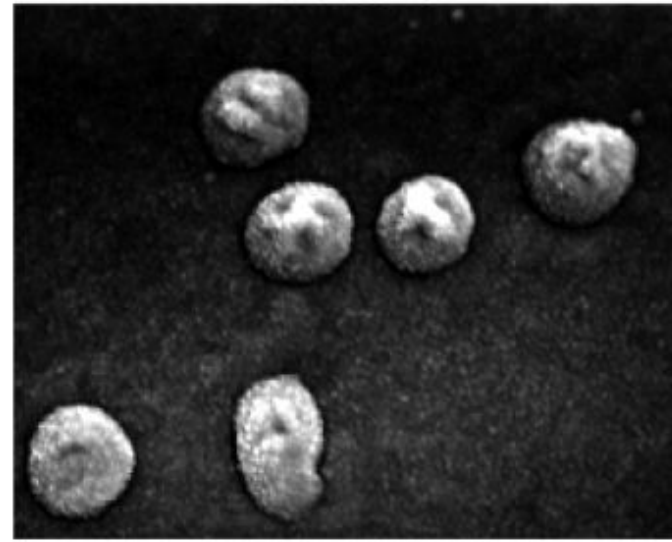


Indocyanine-Drug Suspensions Form Nanoparticles

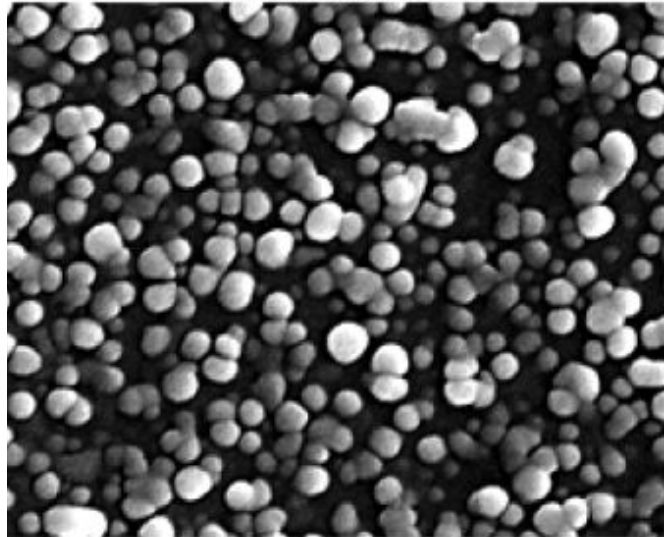
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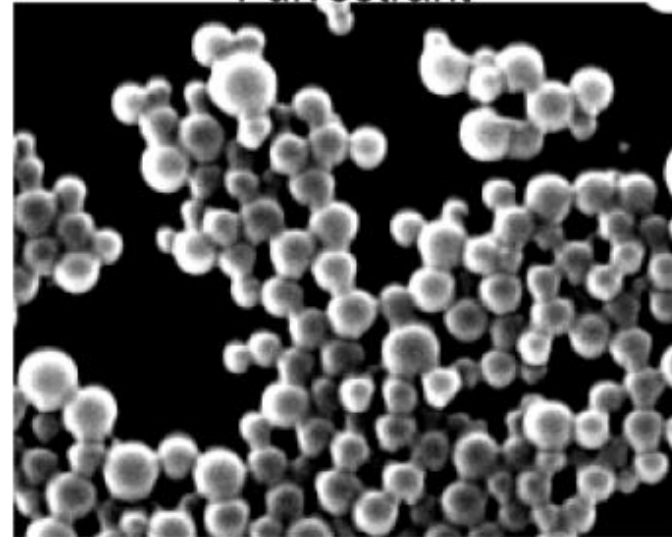
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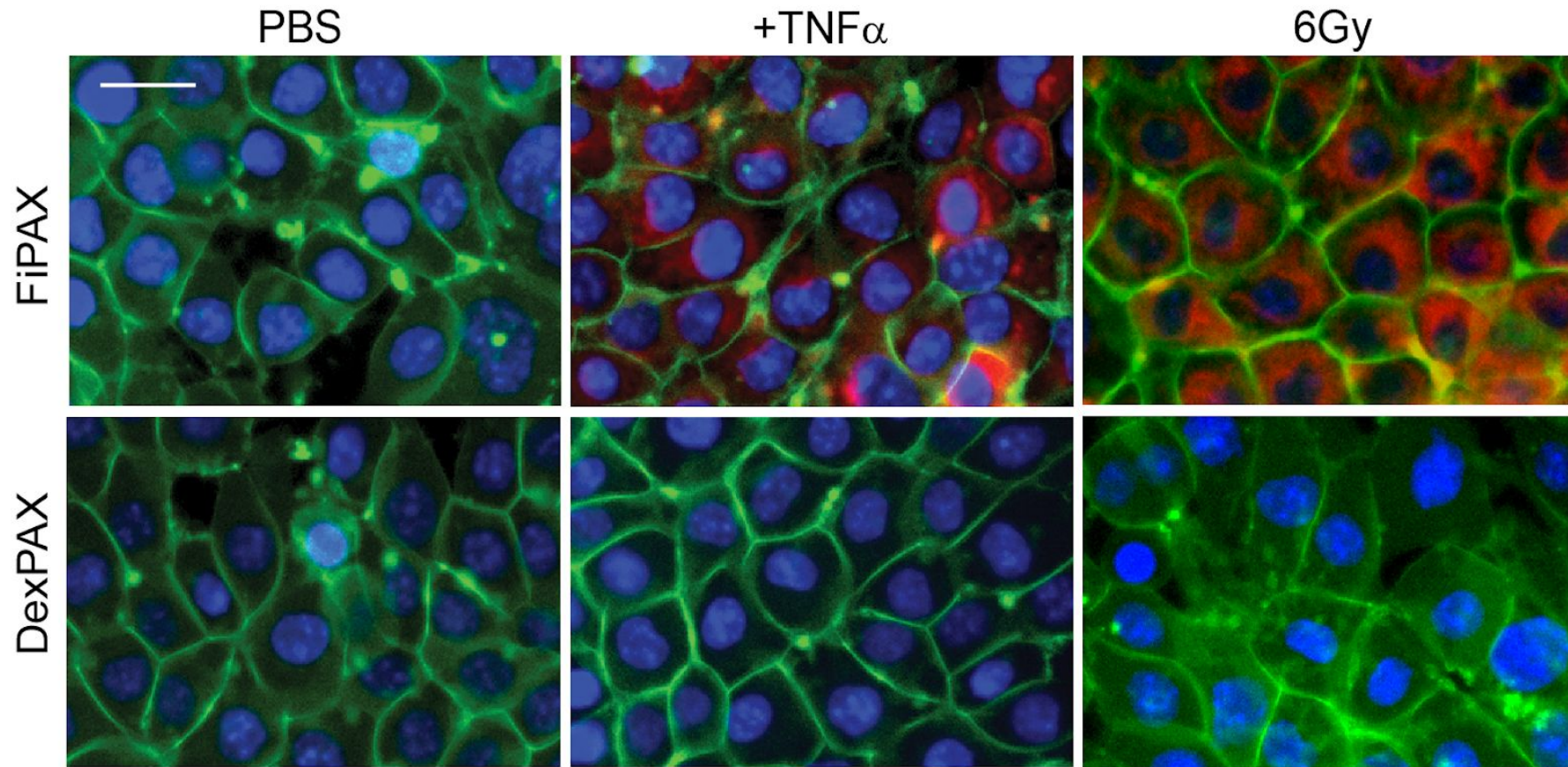
Trametinib



Fulvestrant

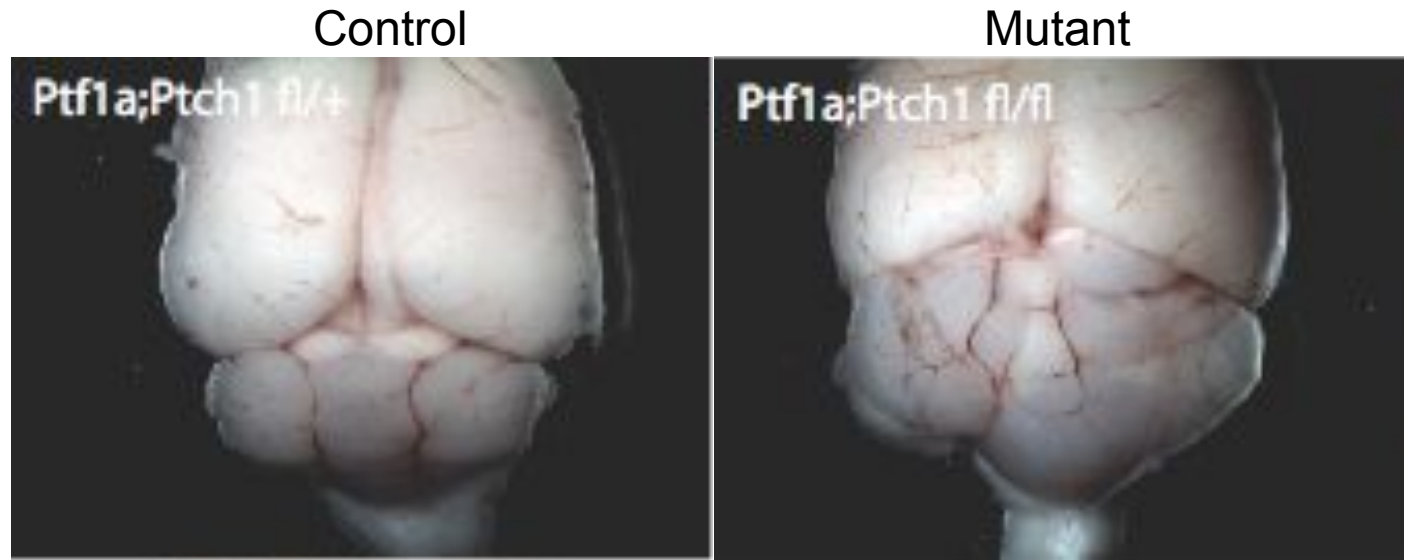


Nanoparticles Bind to Irradiated (or Inflamed) Endothelial Cells



Novel Mouse Model of Sporadic SHH-Driven MB

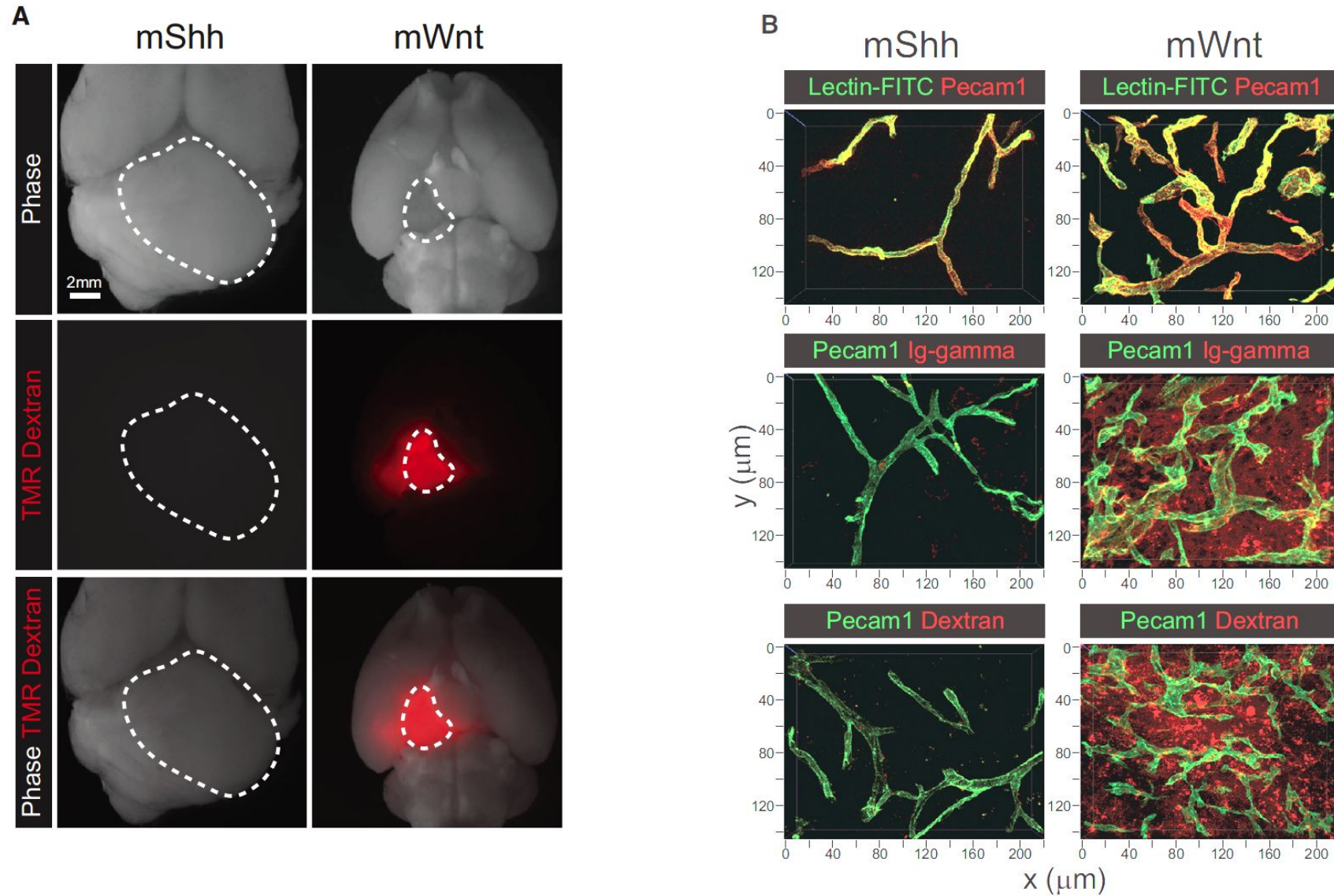
Ptf1a^{cre/+}; *Ptch1*^{fl/fl} mice develop Sonic hedgehog (SHH)-driven medulloblastoma (MB)



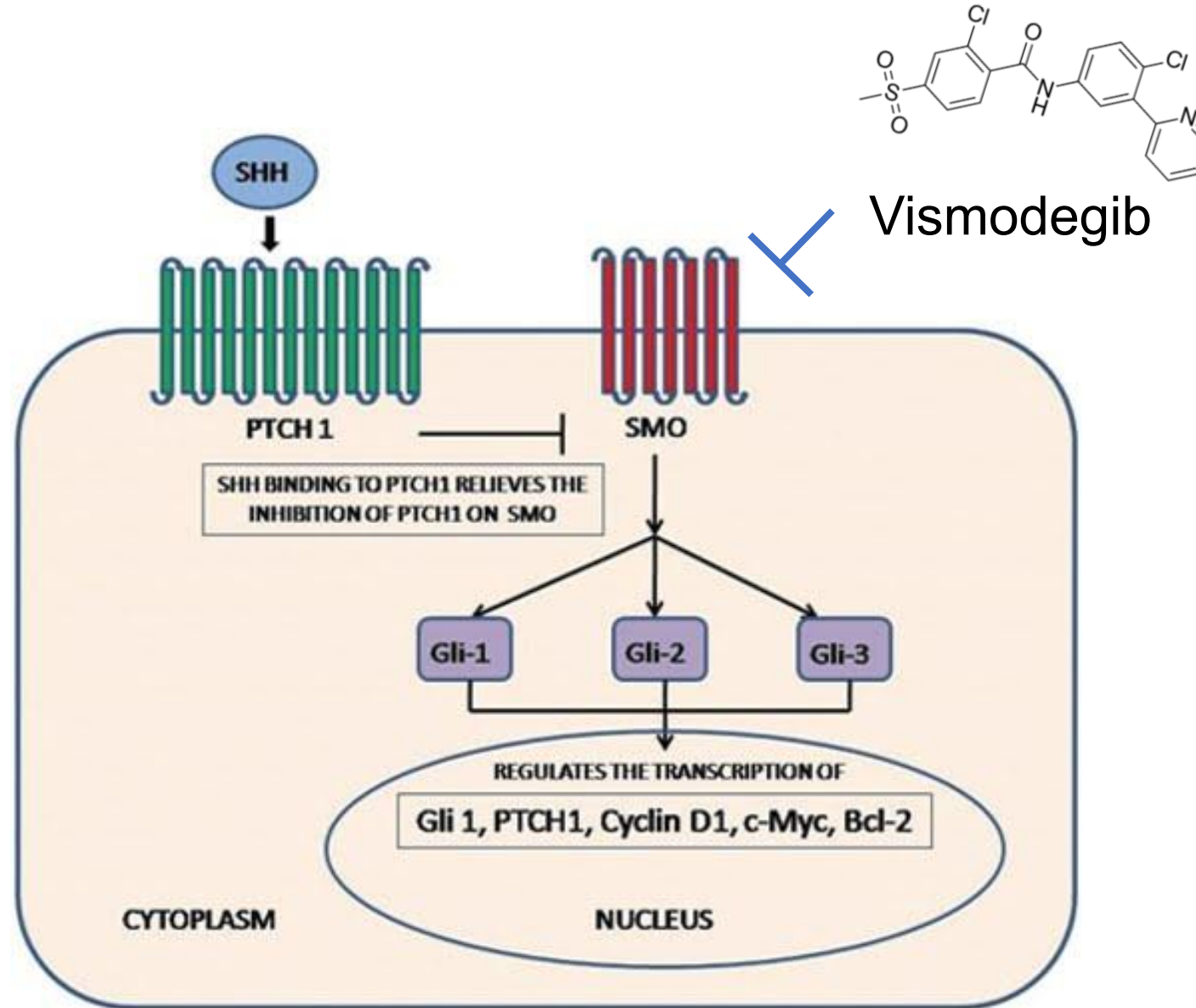
High Penetrance ~ 85%
(n=77/91 mice)

Short Tumor Latency
(mean 13.9 +/- 3.9 weeks)

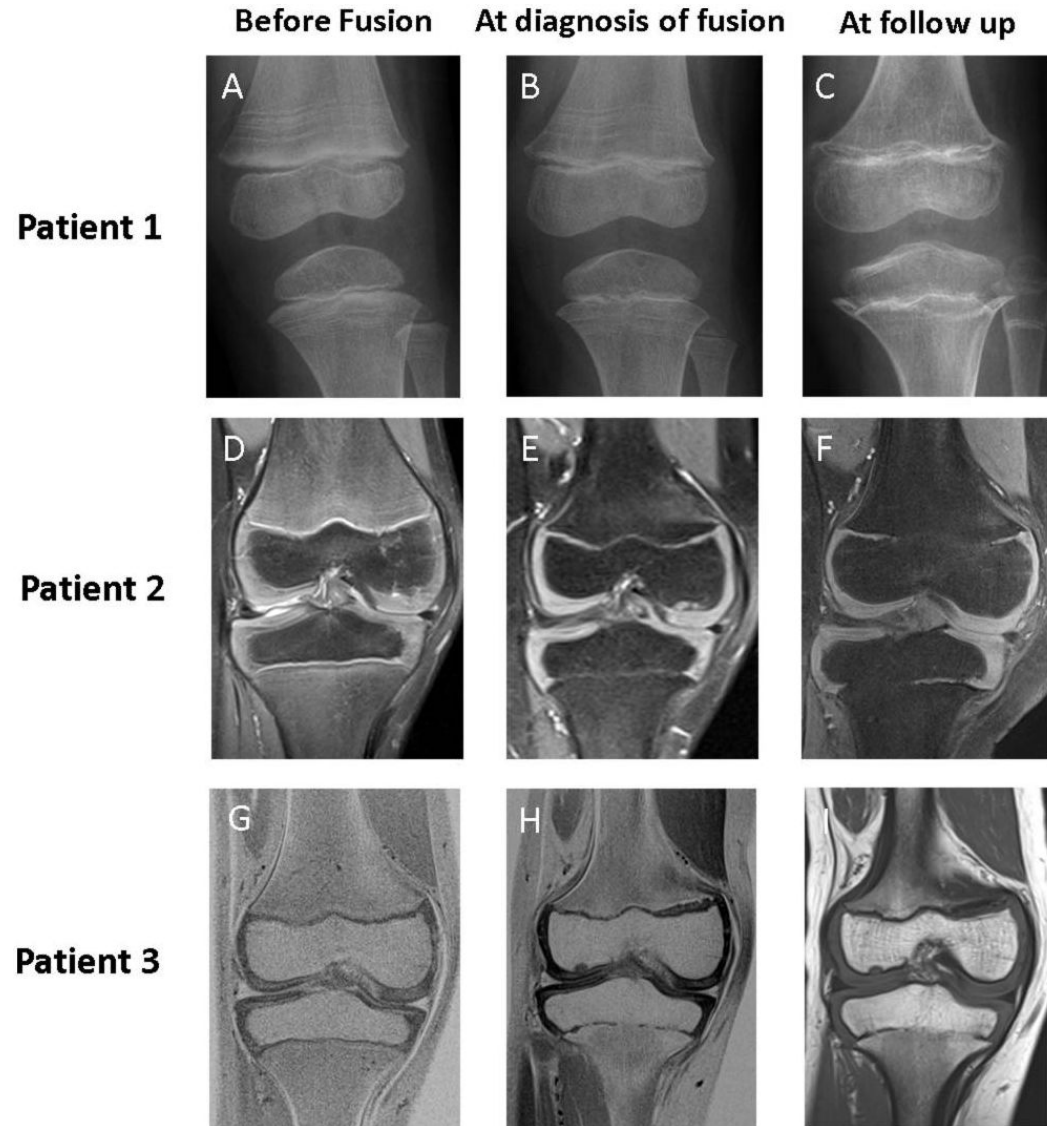
SHH Medulloblastoma Exhibits an Intact Blood-Brain Barrier



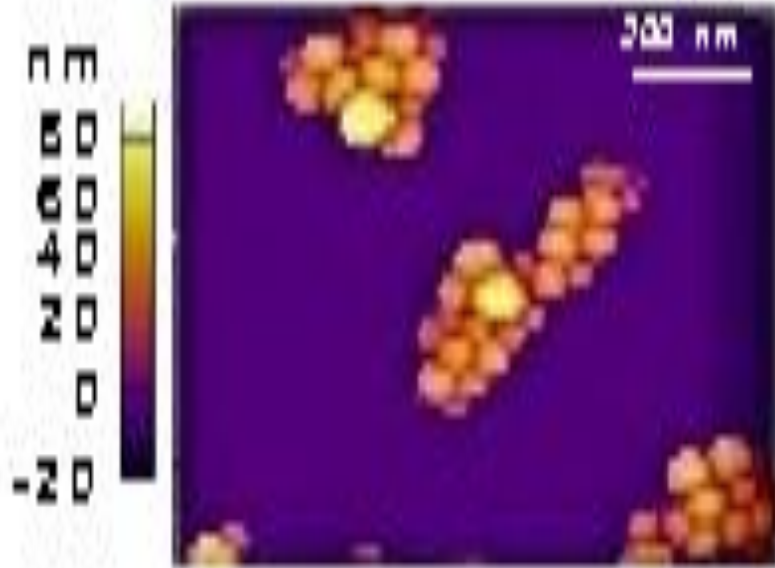
Sonic Hedgehog (SHH) Medulloblastoma



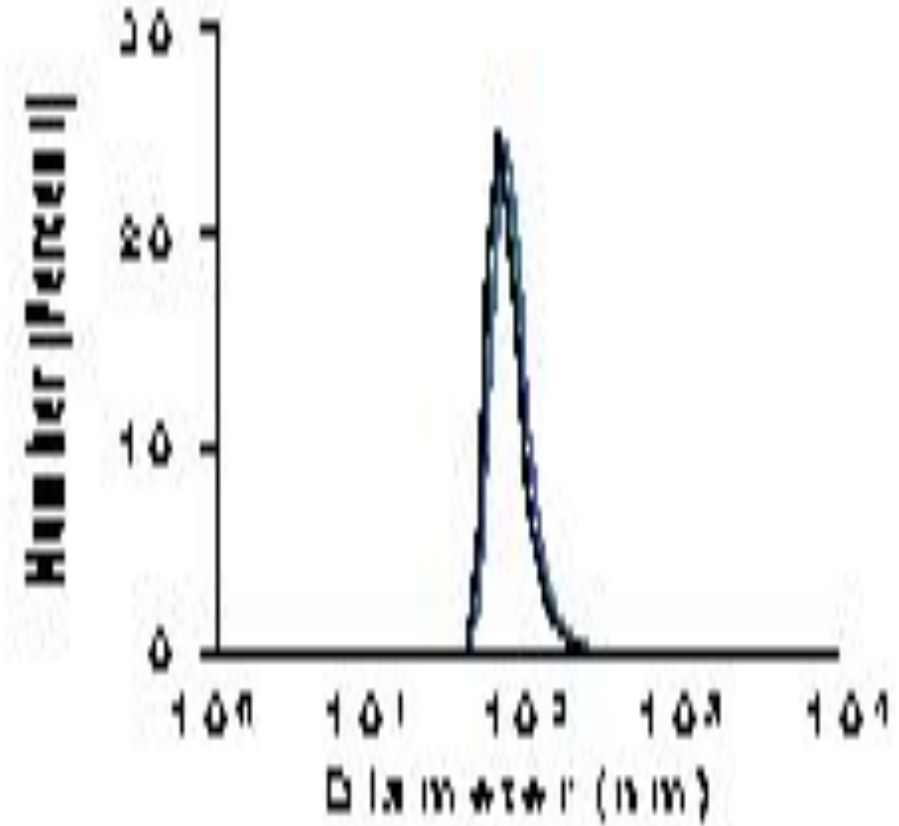
Vismodegib Causes Irreversible Growth Plate Fusions in Children



Fucoidan-Vismodegib Nanoparticles (Fi-Vis)

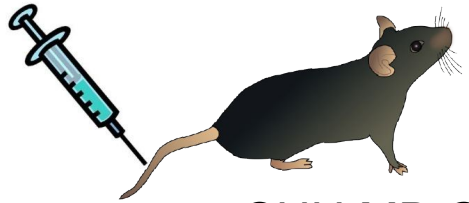


Atomic Force Microscopy

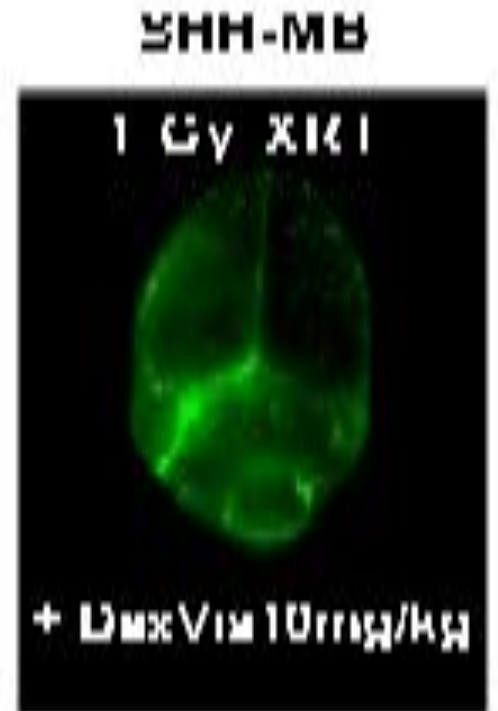
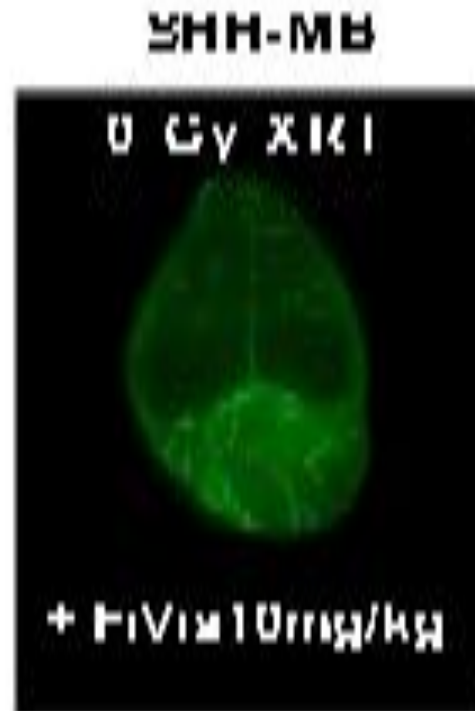


Dynamic Light Scattering

Enhanced Delivery Requires P-selectin-Targeting + Radiation



SHH MB GEM



Tumor Localization is Radiation and P-selectin-Dependent

0 Gy
+
10mg/kg FiVis

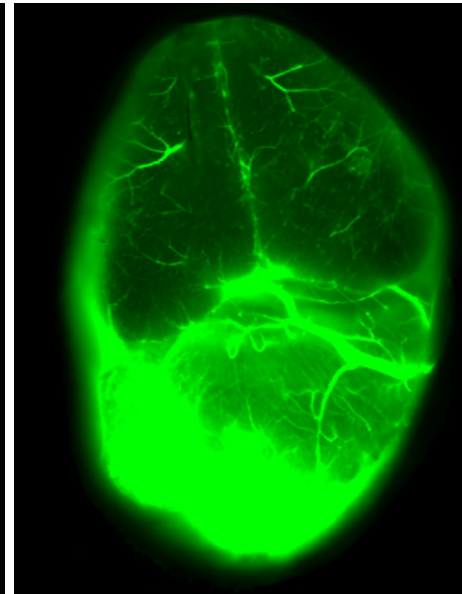
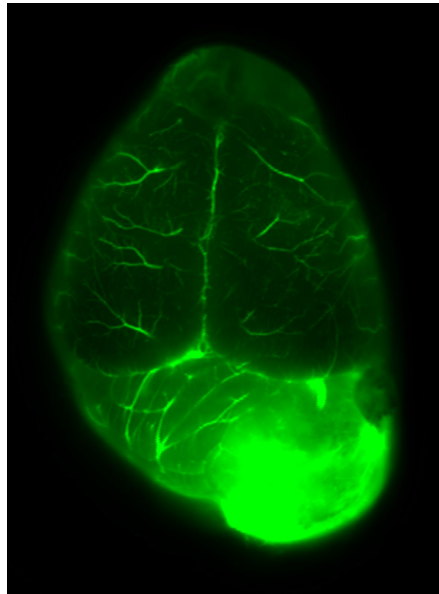
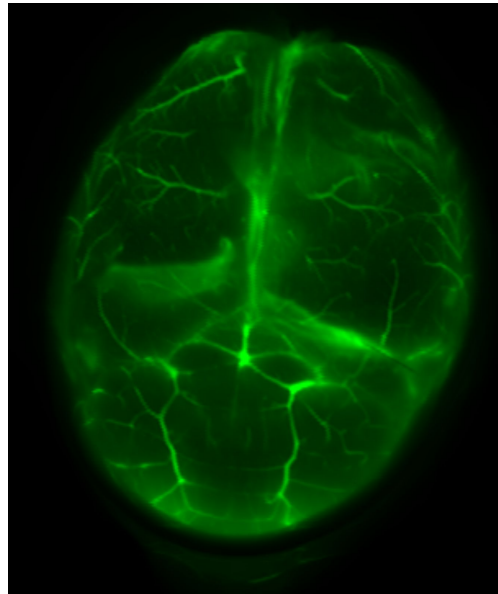
0.25 Gy
+
10mg/kg FiVis

0.25 Gy
+
20mg/kg FiVis

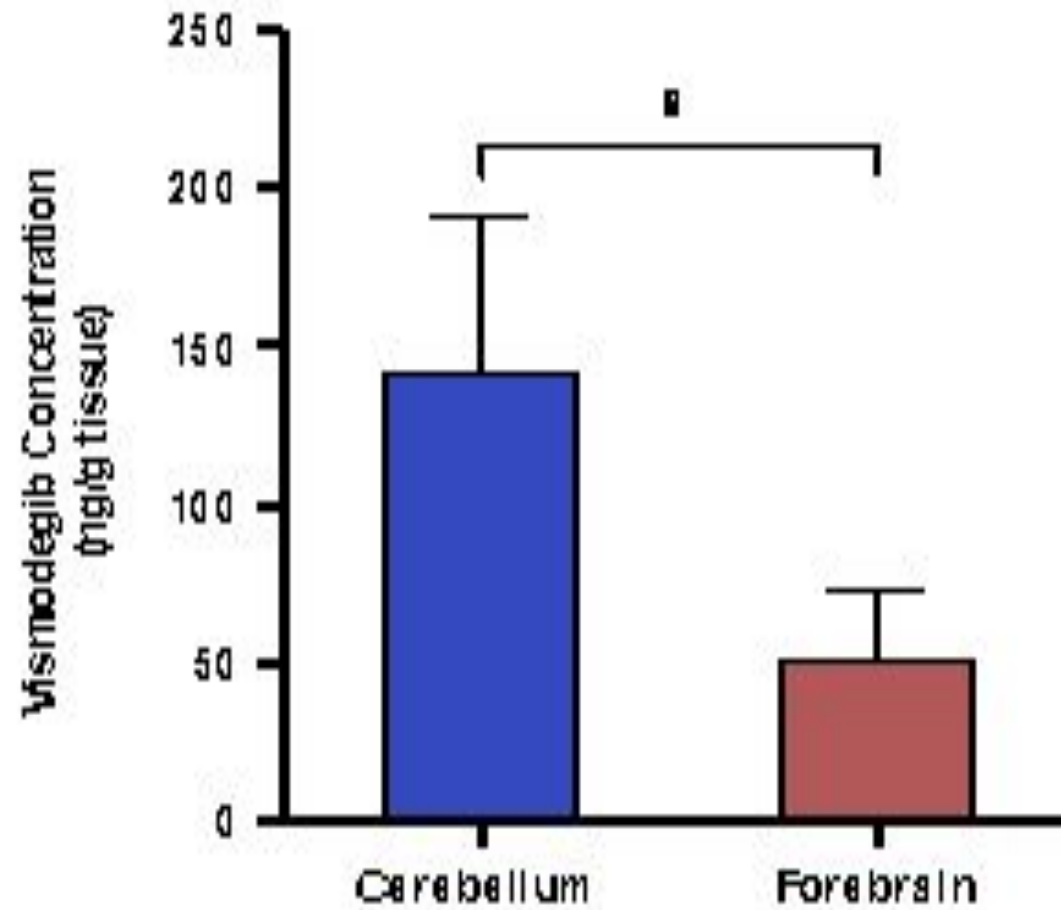
SHH-MB

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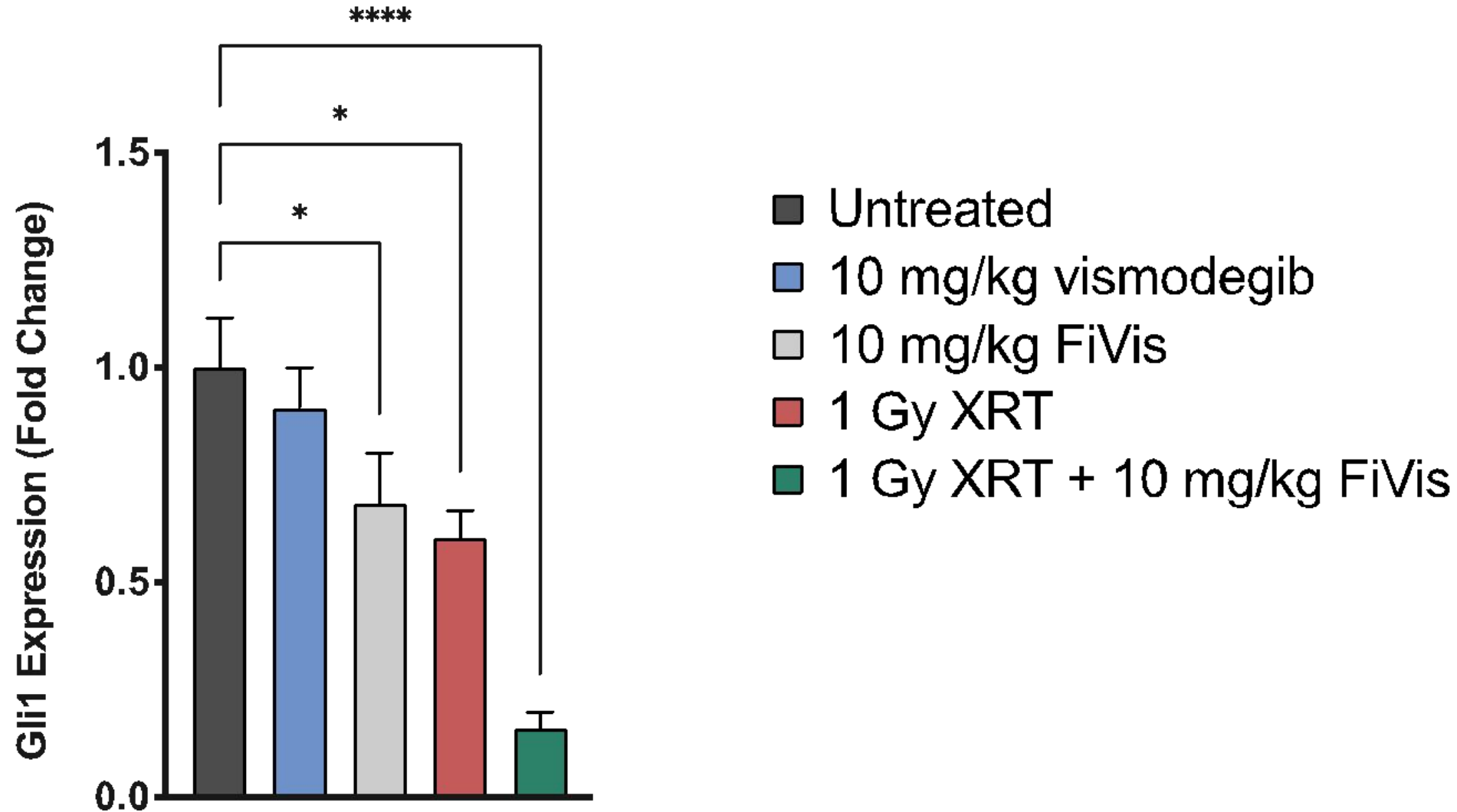
SHH-MB



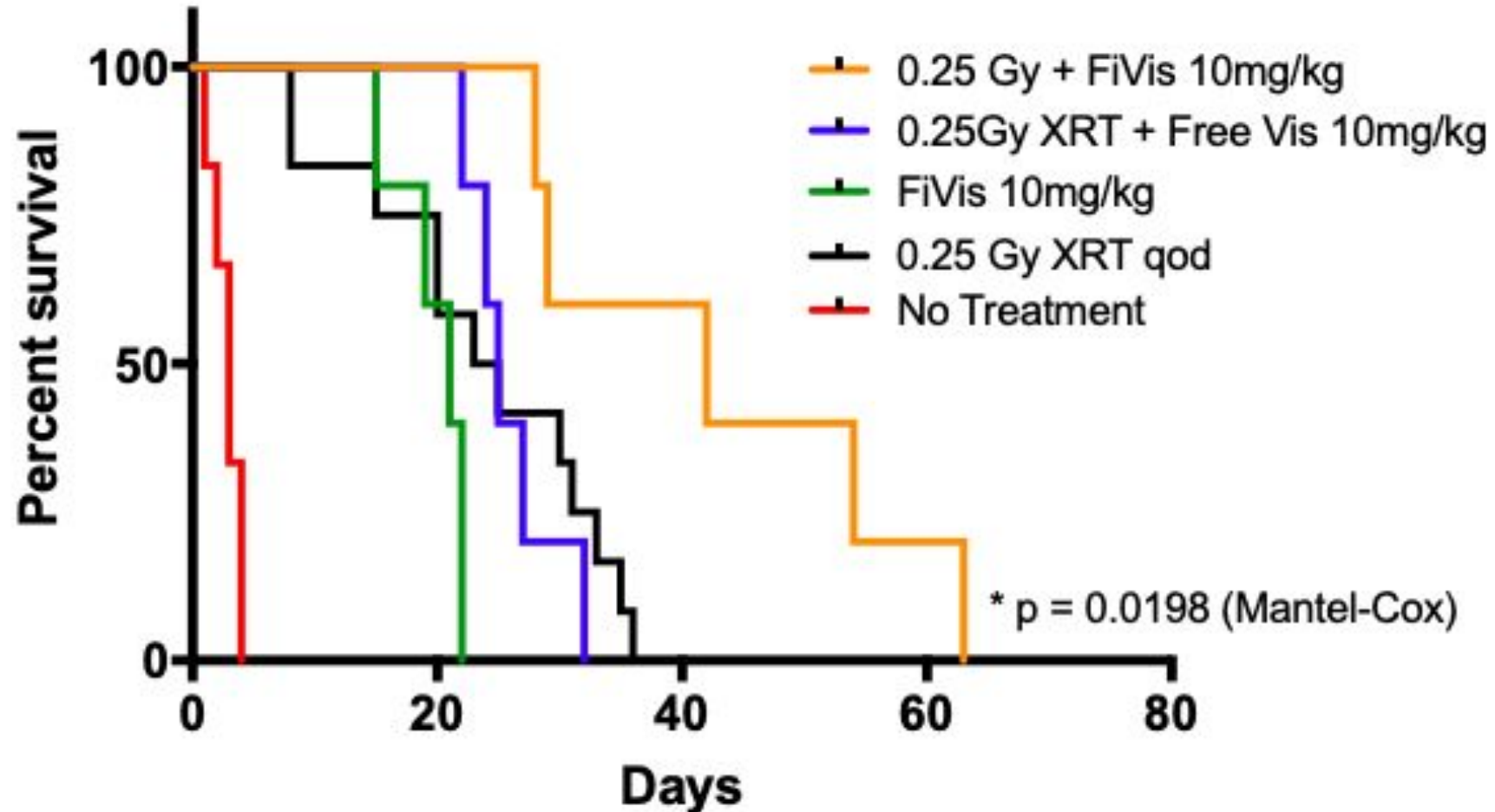
Drug Localizes to the Tumor Region



P-selectin-Targeted Vismodegib-Loaded Nanoparticles Inhibit SHH Effector Gli1 in MB Tumors

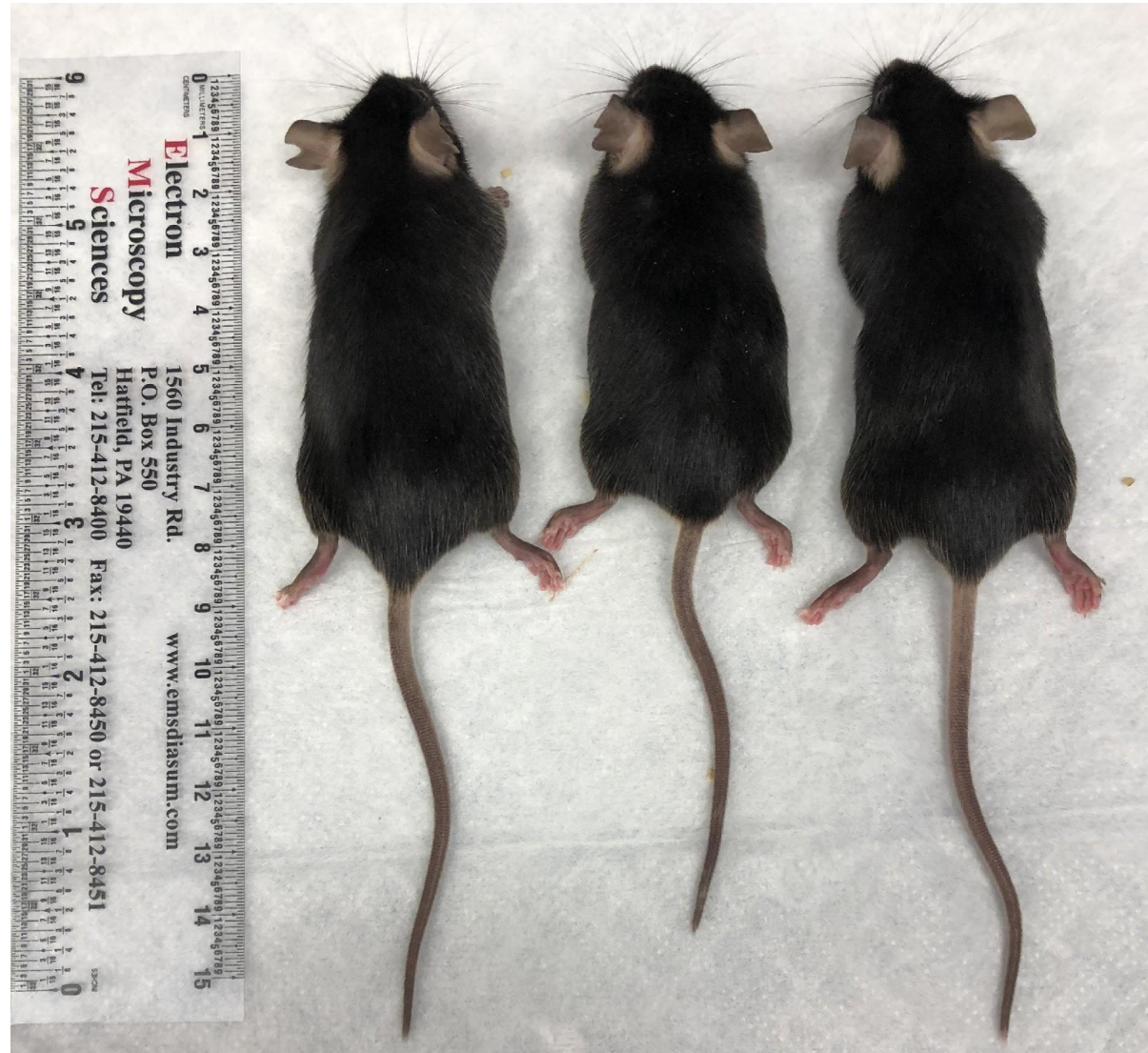


Low Dose RT (0.25 Gy x 8 qod) + Low Dose Vismodegib-Loaded Nanoparticles is Effective



Therapies until day 16

Nanoparticles Obviate Growth Defects



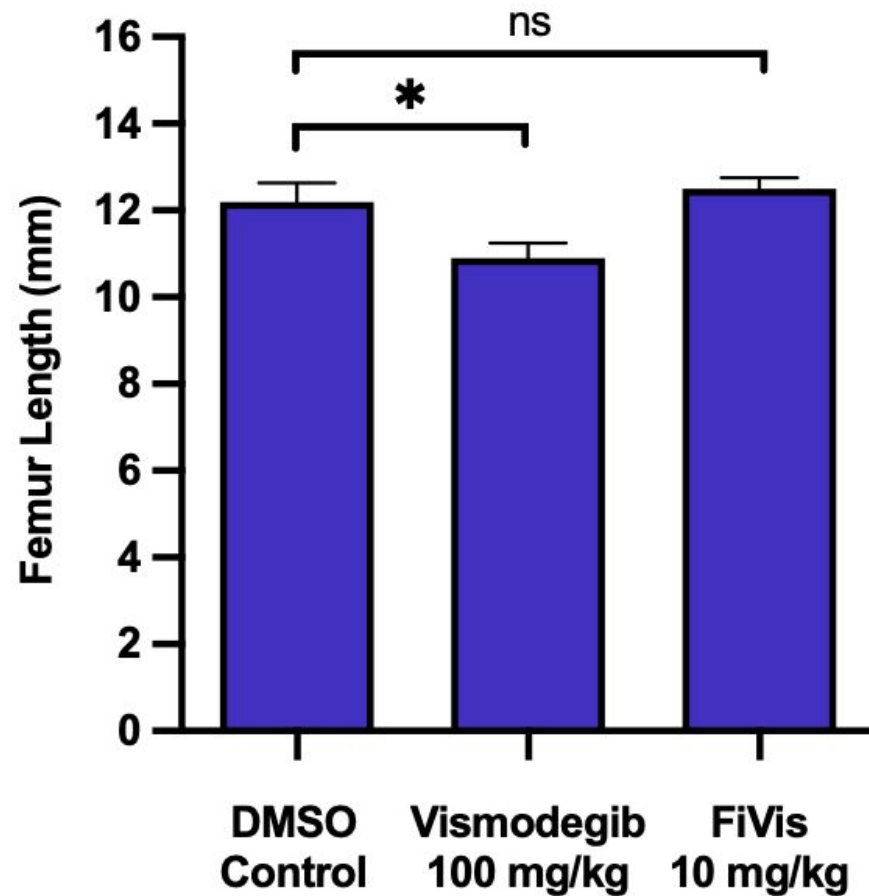
Control




**Free Vis
100mg/kg**

**FiVis NP
10mg/kg**

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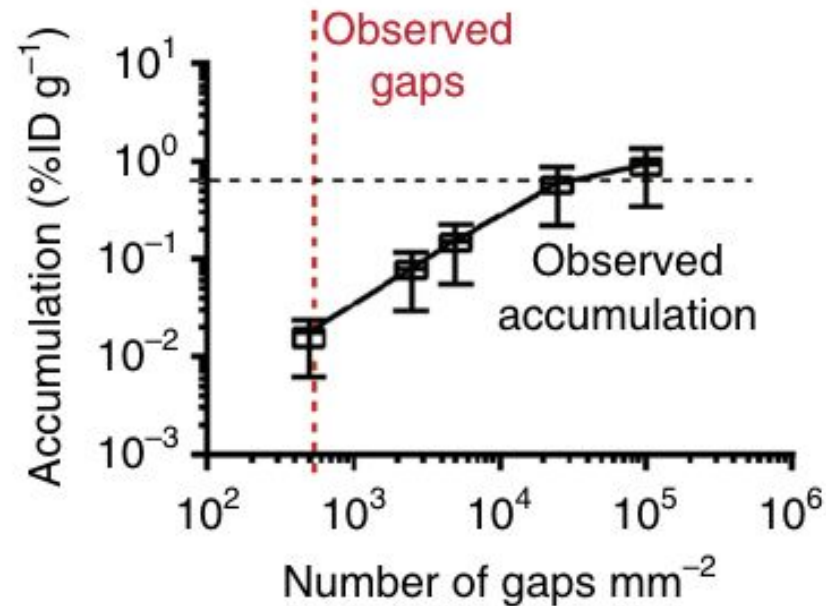


	DMSO Control	Vismodegib 100 mg/kg	FiVis 20 mg/kg
			
Avg. BV/TV	0.121	0.114	0.136
Avg. Tb. N (1/mm)	5.604	4.888	5.694
Avg. Tb. Th (mm)	0.031	0.033	0.034

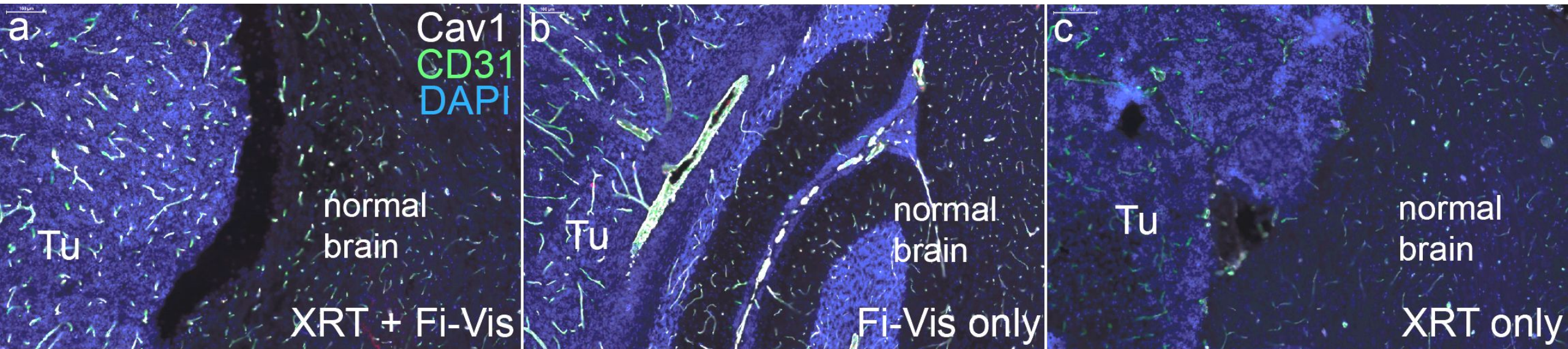
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**What is the mechanism
of BBB Translocation?**

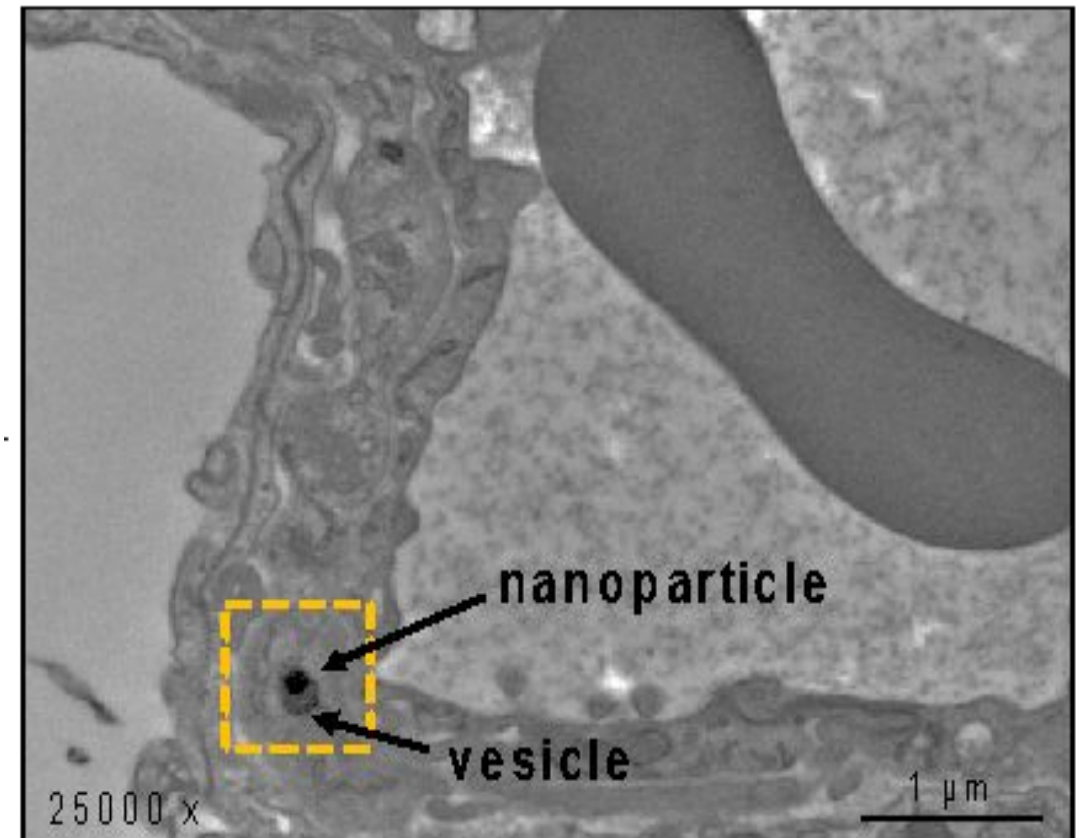
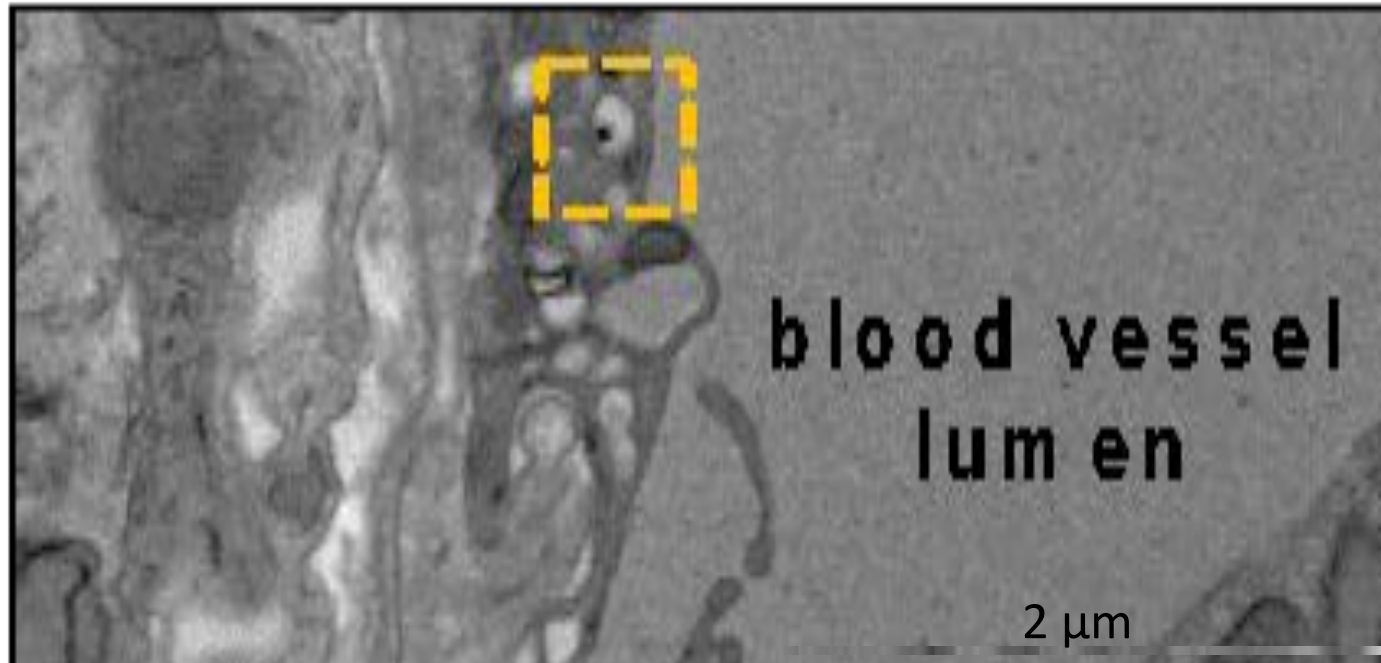
Recent Findings Suggest Vascular Leakiness Does Not Account for Most Nanoparticle Extravasation in Tumor Models



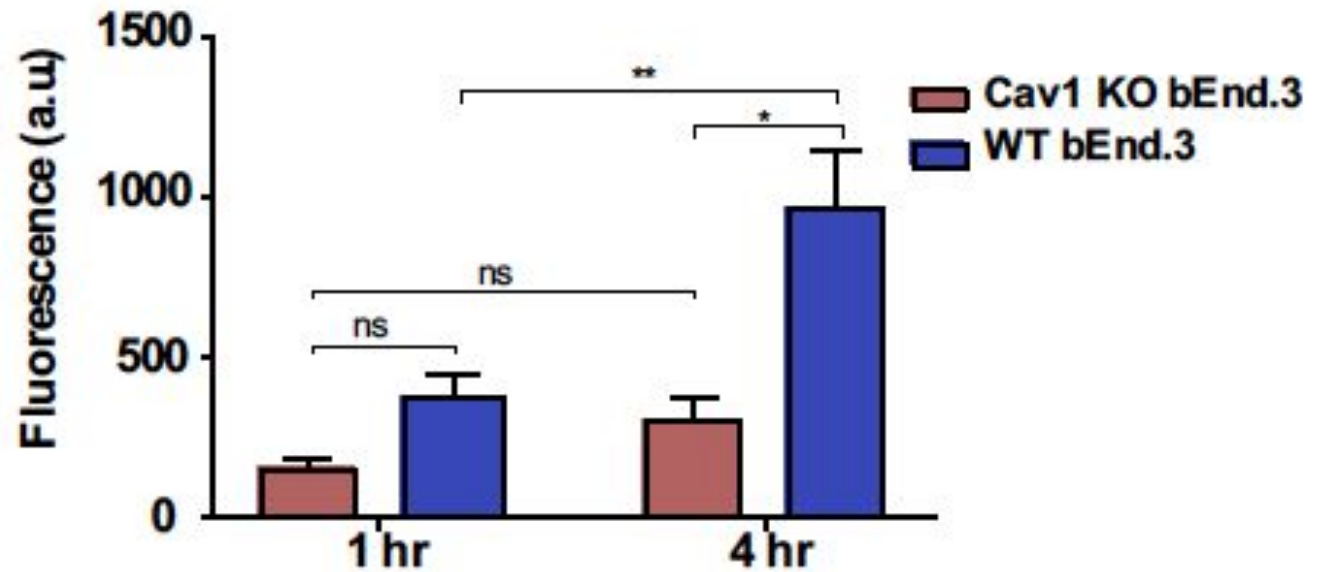
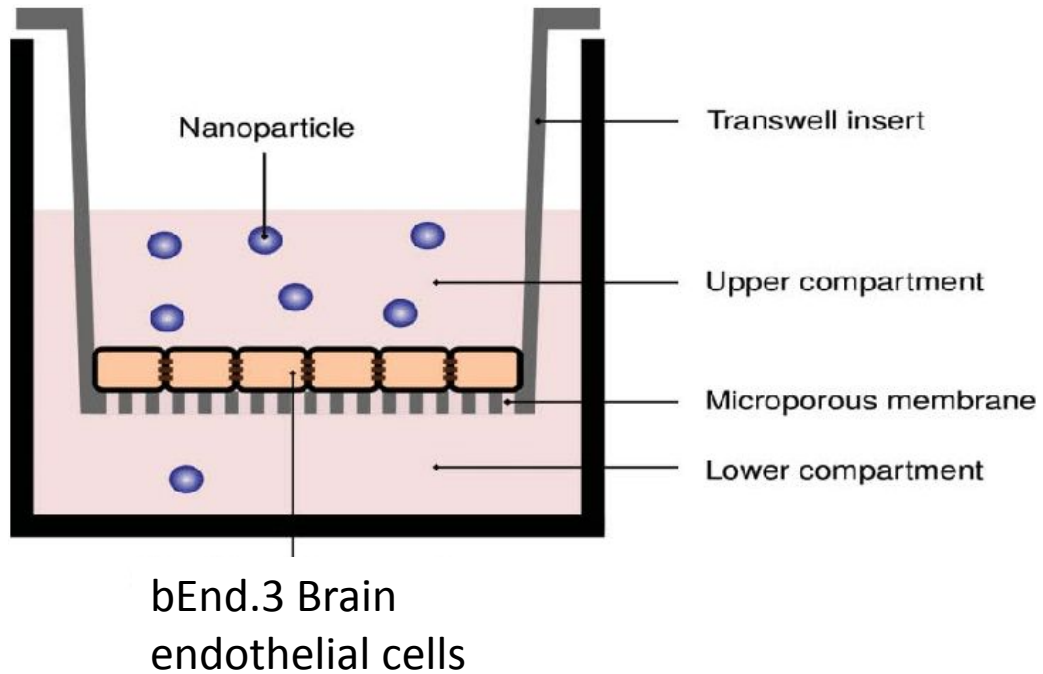
Caveolin-1 is Upregulated Upon Nanoparticle Binding to the Tumor Endothelium



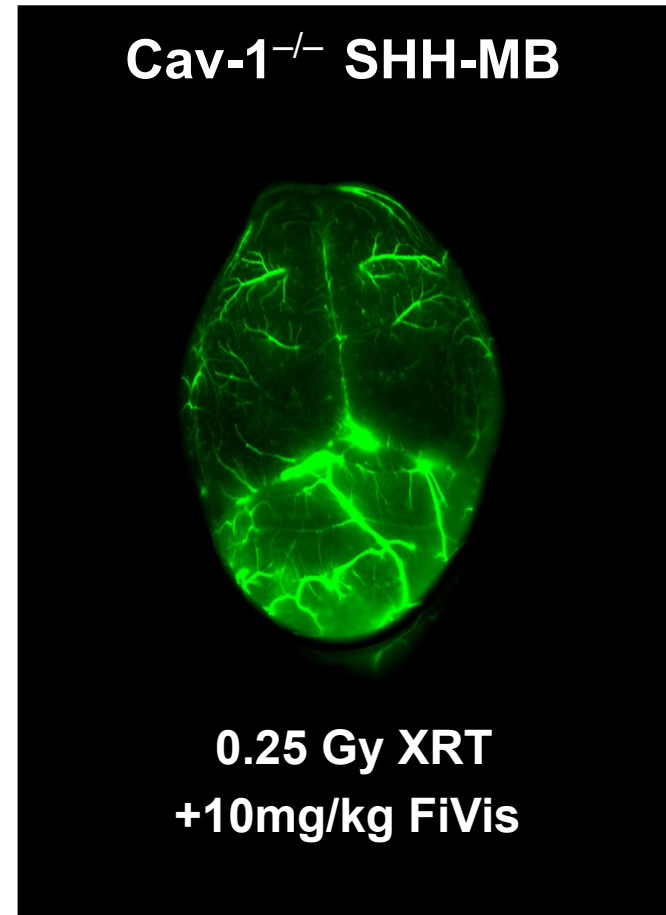
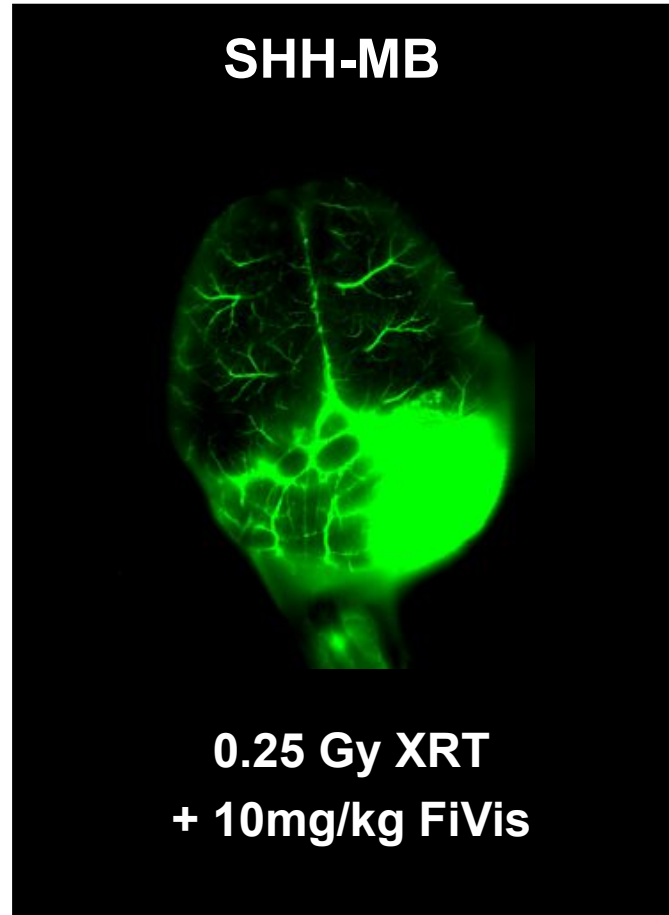
Gold-Coated Fucoidan Particles in Brain Endothelial Vesicles



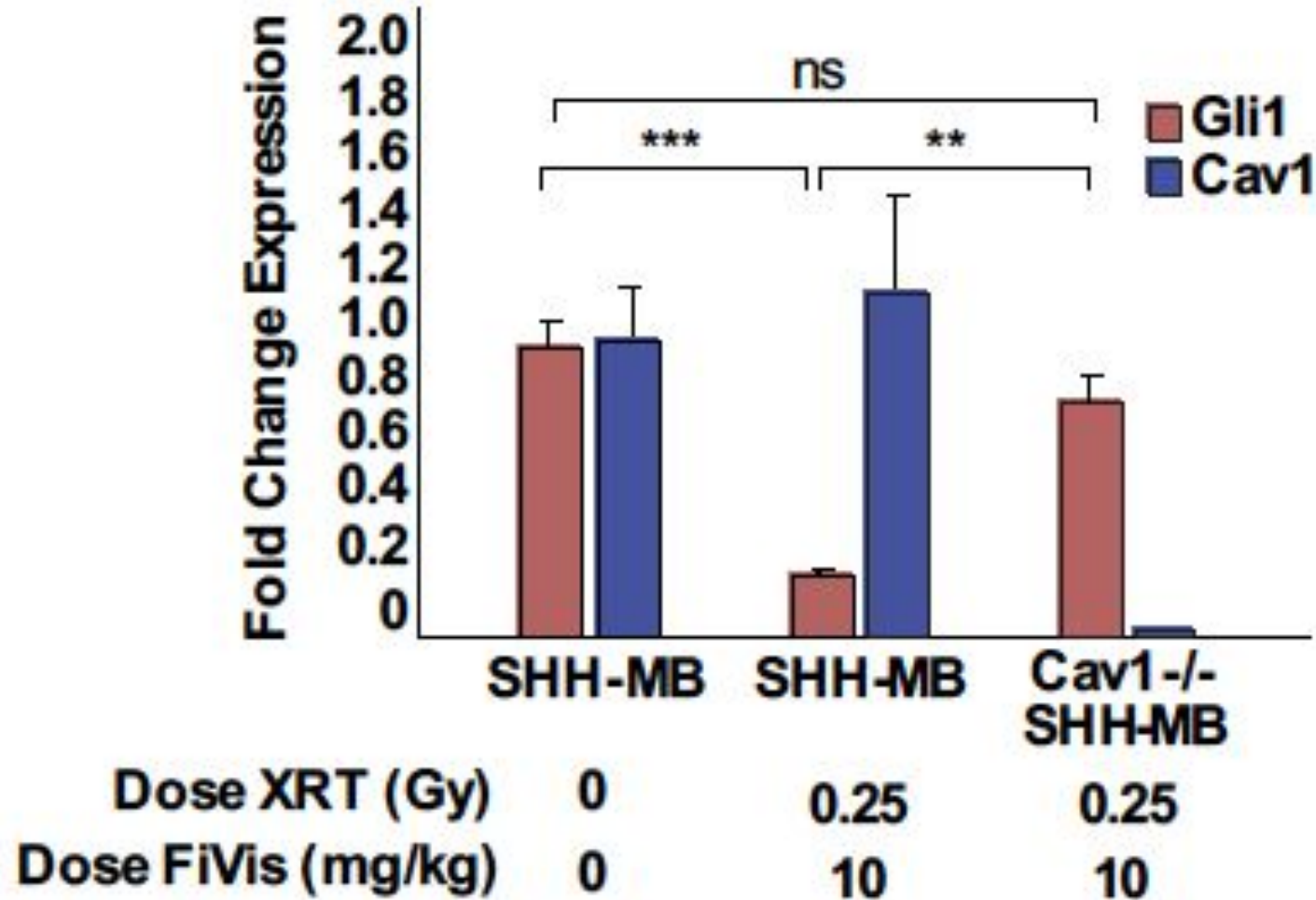
Transwell Migration Assay Shows CAV1 Dependence on Transendothelial Transport



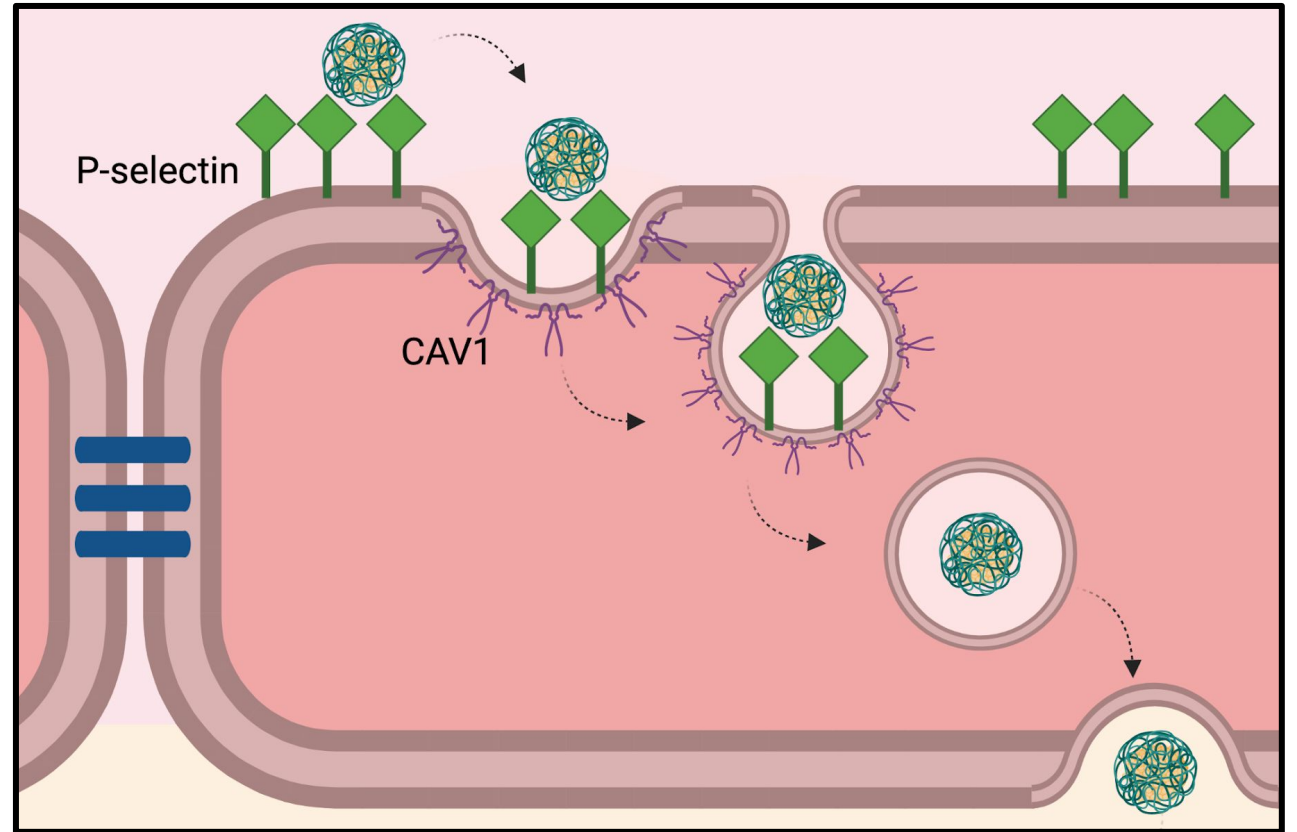
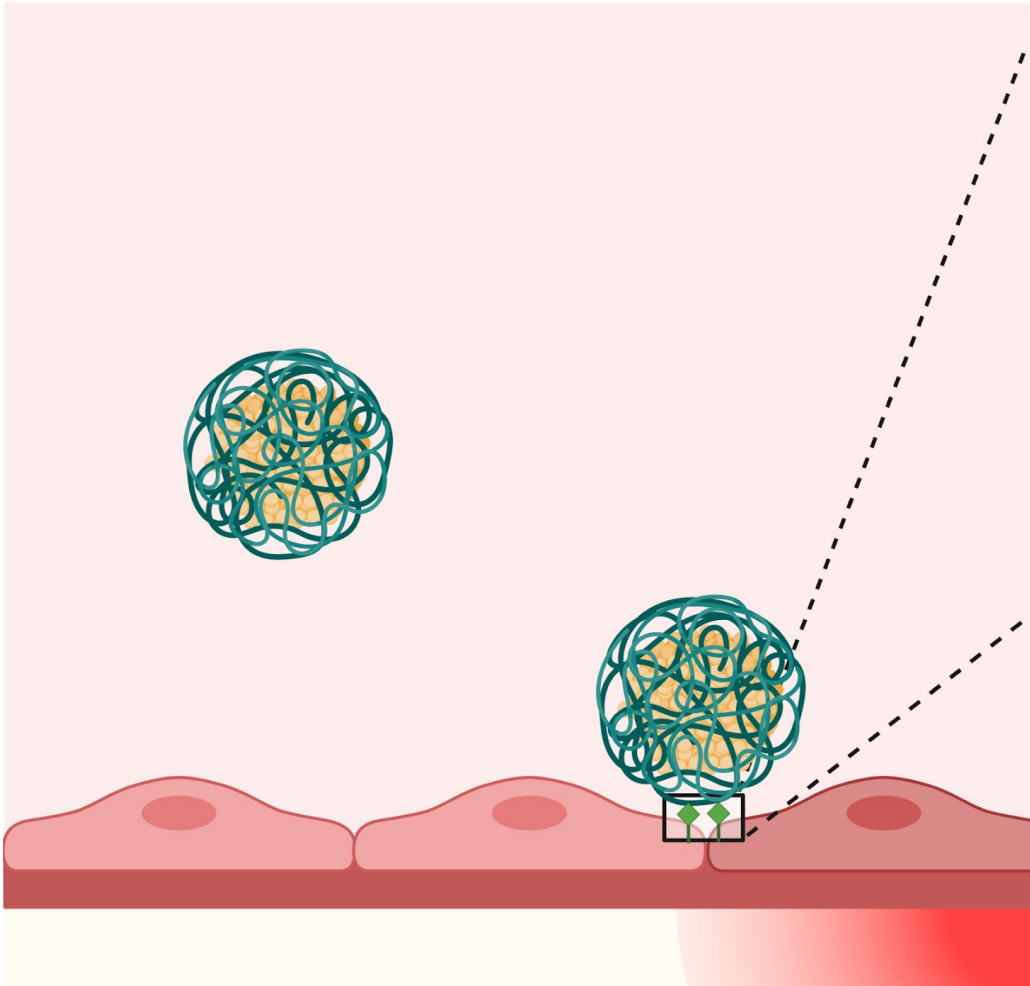
Cav-1 Knockout Prevents BBB Penetration



CAV-1 Knockout Prevents Nanoparticle Delivery/Efficacy



P-selectin/Caveolae Mediate BBB Penetration

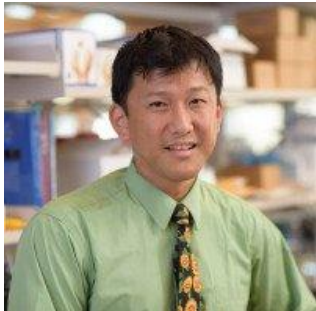


Summary & Next Questions

- P-selectin is a target that enables the targeting of drugs specifically to the sites of CNS disease tissue, via activated endothelium.
- P-selectin-targeted nanoparticles improve brain tumor drug localization, efficacy, and mitigation of toxicities in an intracranial GEM tumor with an intact BBB.
- **A P-selectin/caveolin axis facilitates transendothelial transport across an intact blood-brain barrier.**



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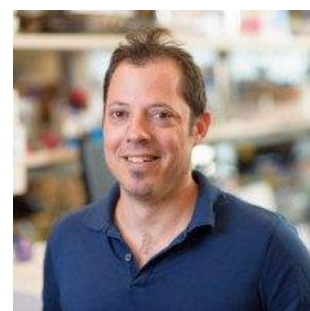
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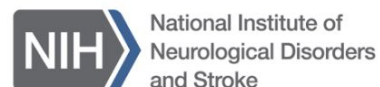
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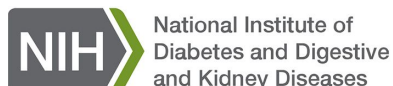
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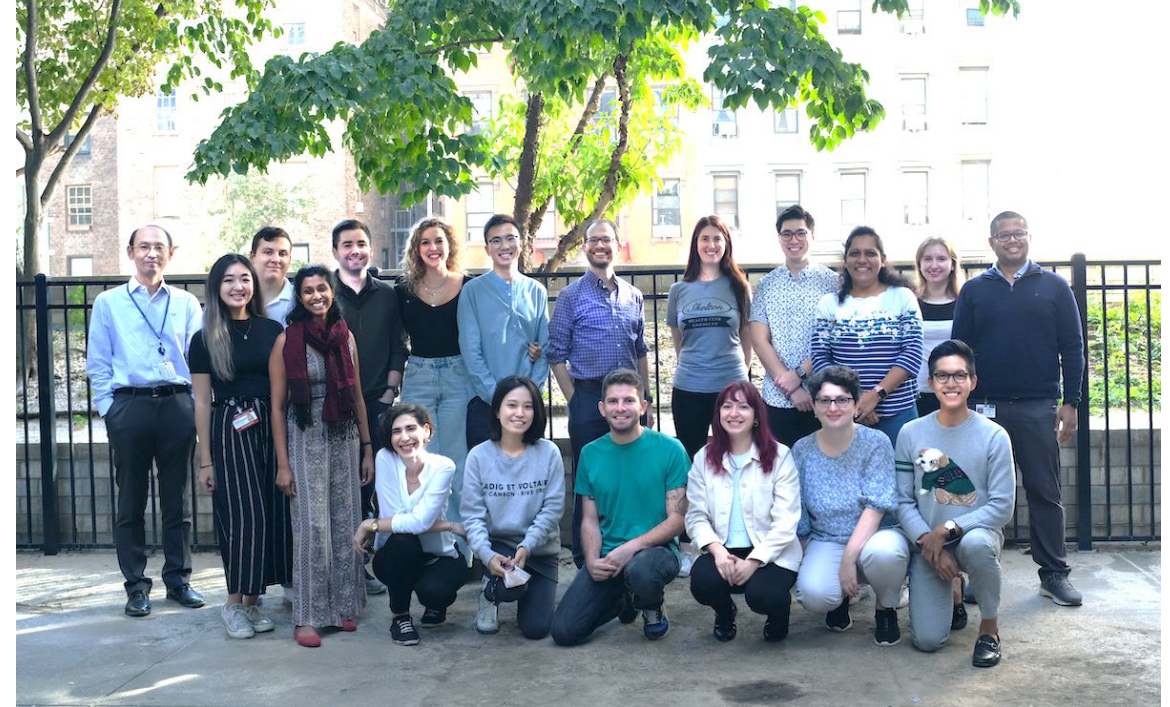
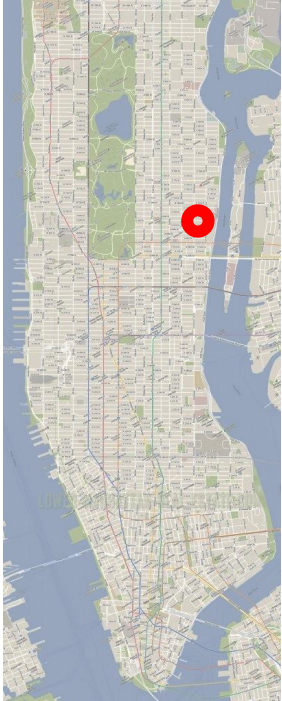



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