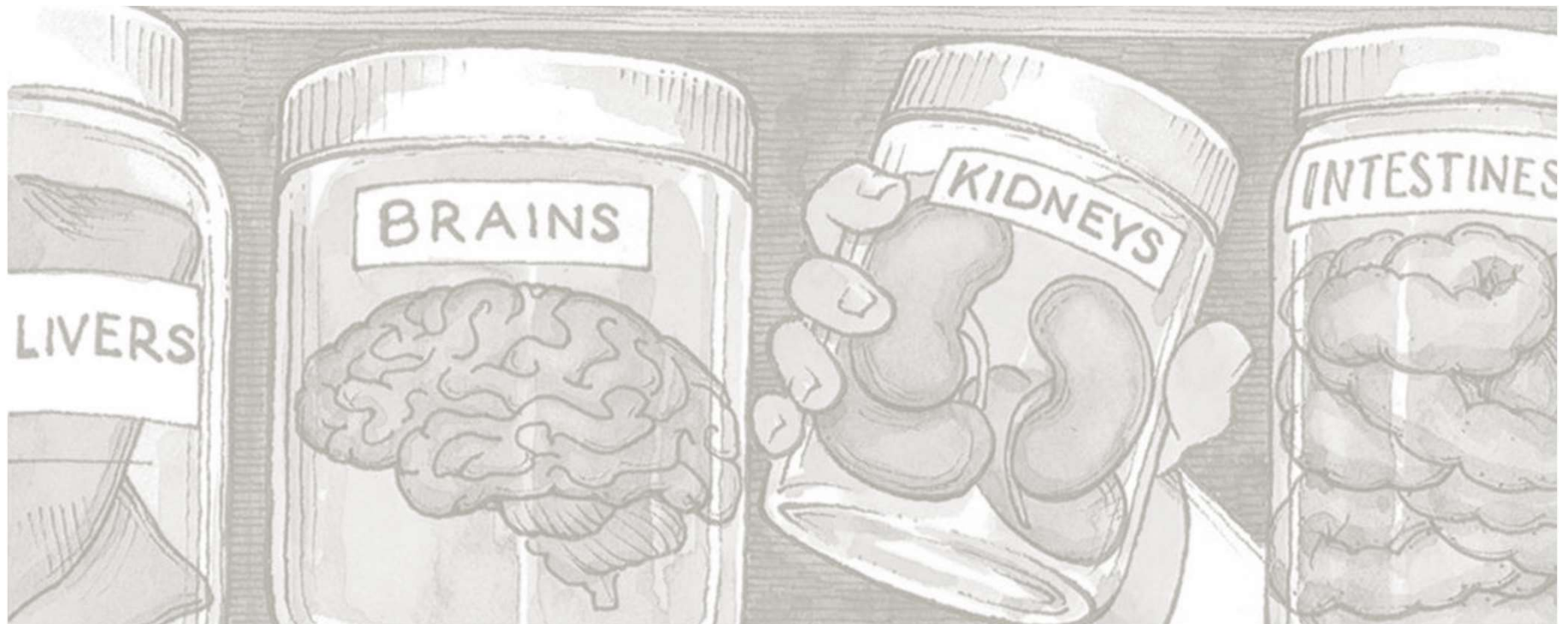
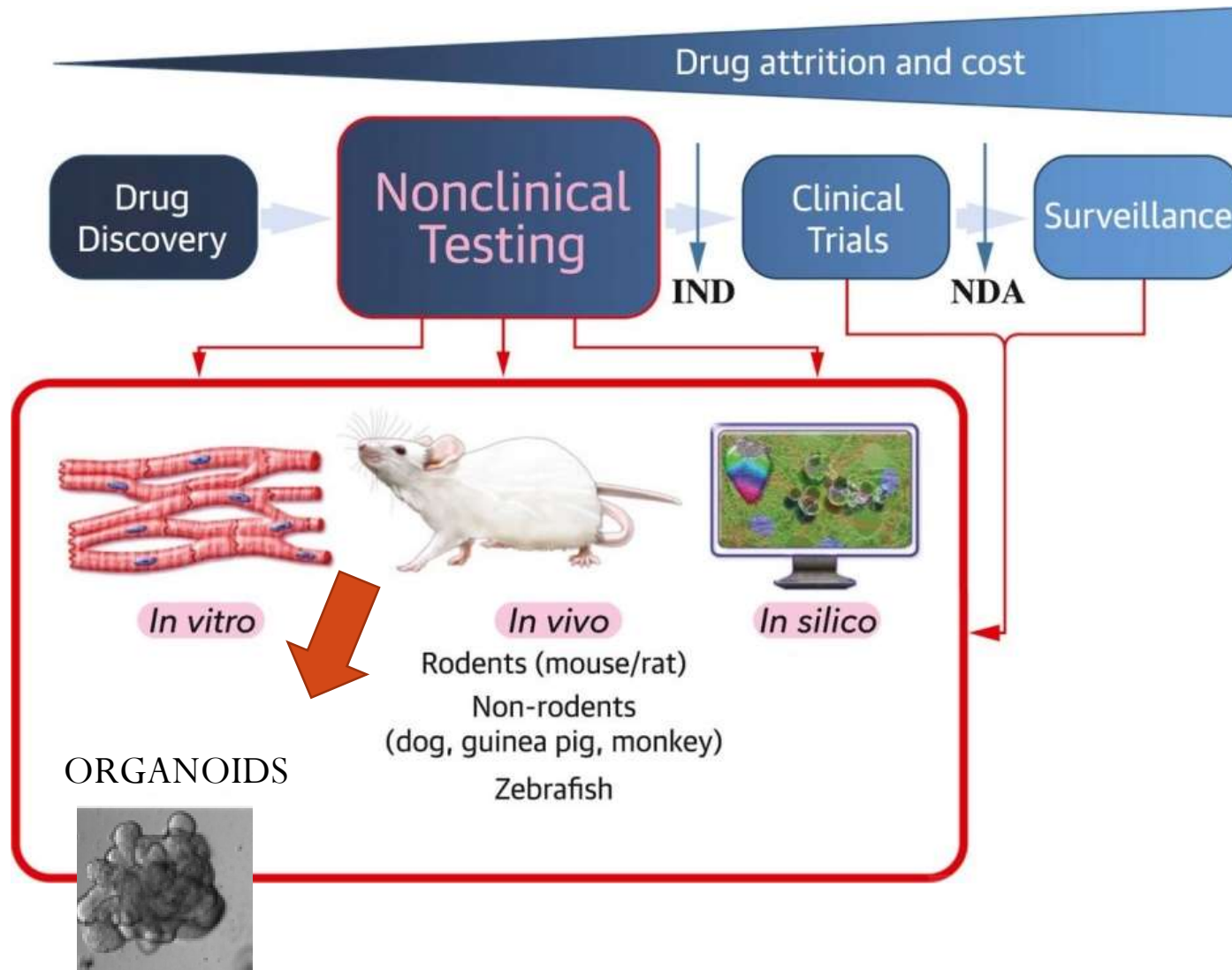


Three-dimensional Organoids as preclinical models

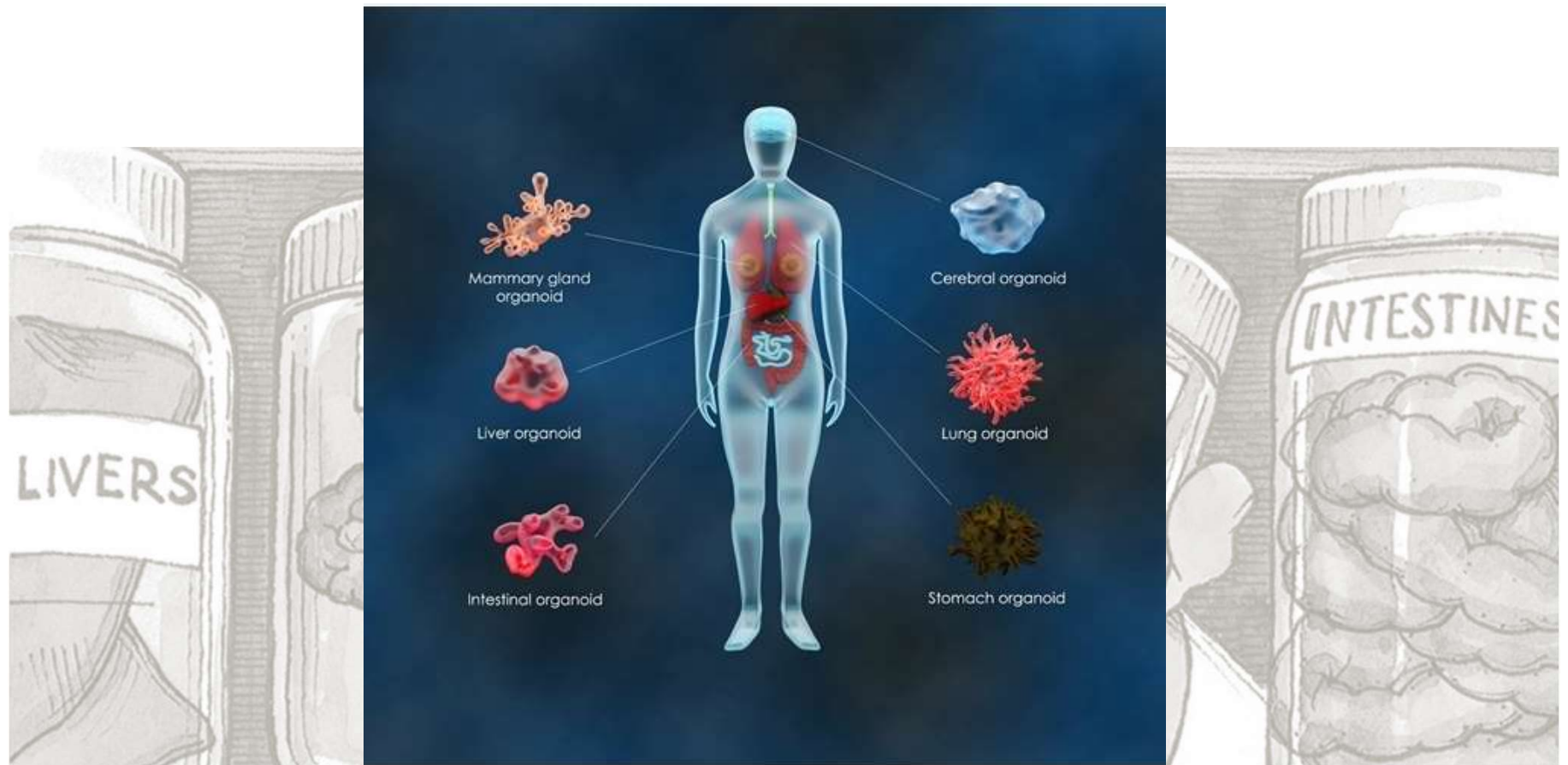


Preclinical models



An **ORGANOID** is defined as a cellular structure containing multiple organ-specific cell types, capable of recapitulating some specific function of the organ, and spatially organized similarly to an organ.

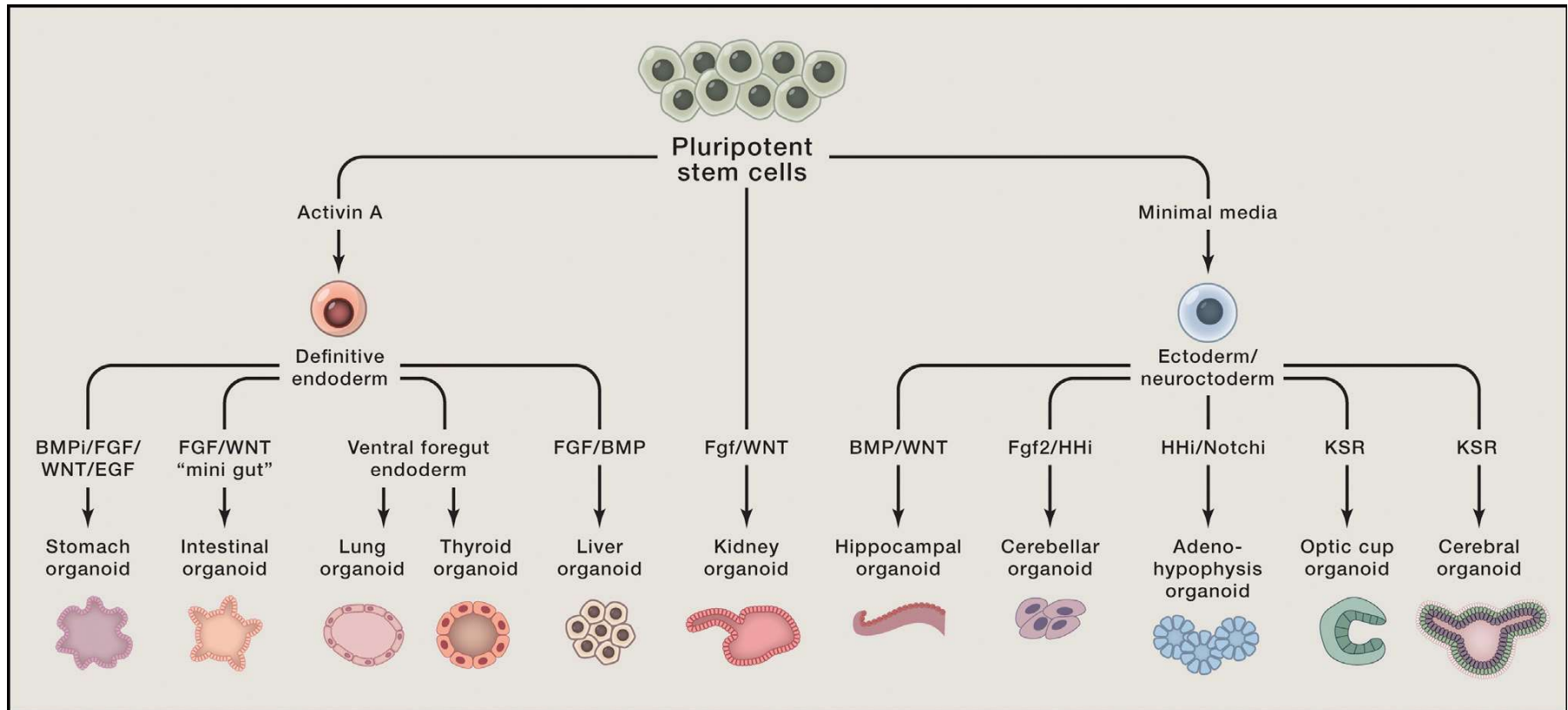
ORGANOIDS can be derived from pluripotent stem cells or adult stem cells.



Modeling Development and Disease with Organoids

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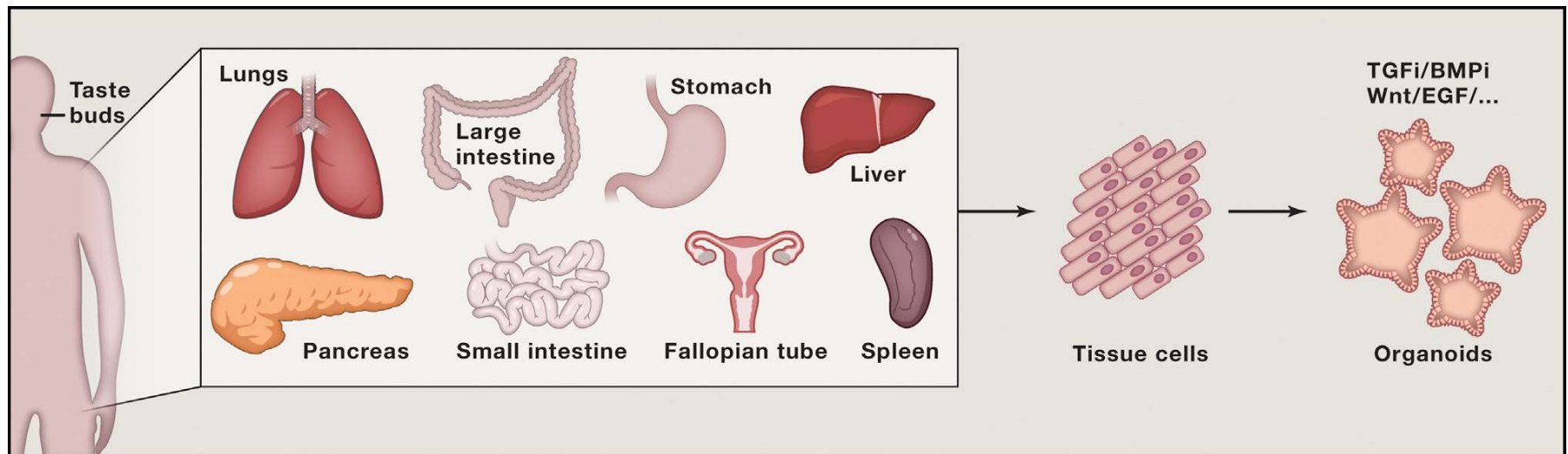


Schematic of the Various Organoids that Can Be Grown from PSCs and the Developmental Signals that Are Employed

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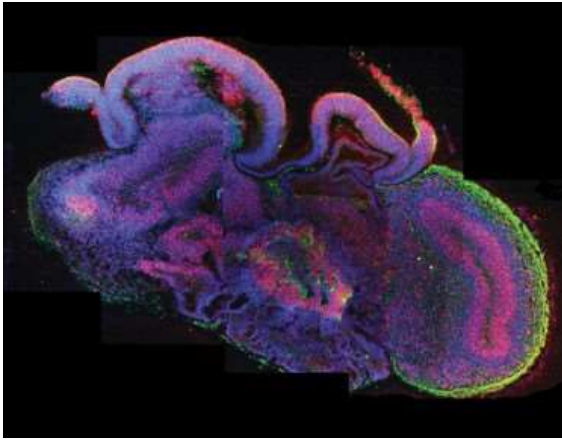
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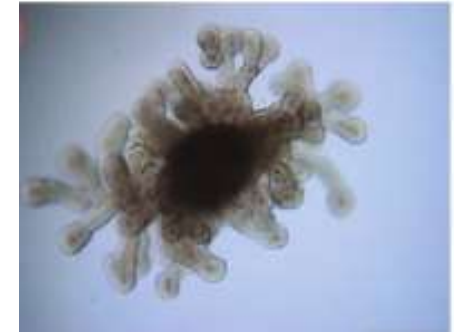
Schematic of the Various Regions of the Body that Can Be Cultured as aSC-Derived Organoids

ORGANOIDS

CEREBRAL
ORGANOID



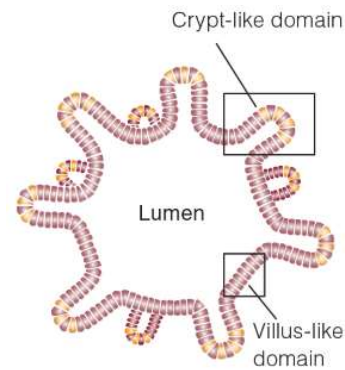
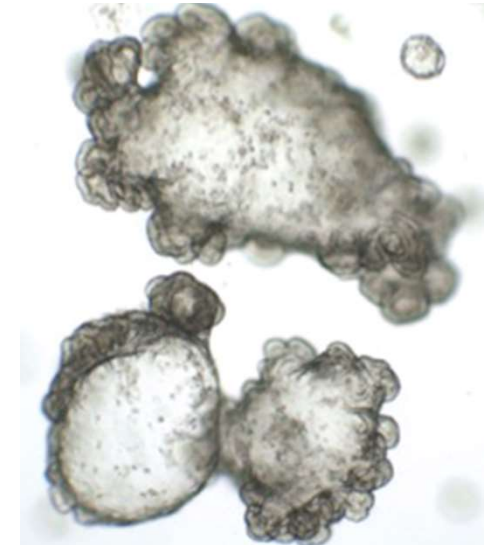
LUNG
ORGANOID



INTESTINAL
ORGANOID



LIVER
ORGANOID



History of organoid methodologies

REVIEW

Organogenesis in a dish: Modeling development and disease using organoid technologies

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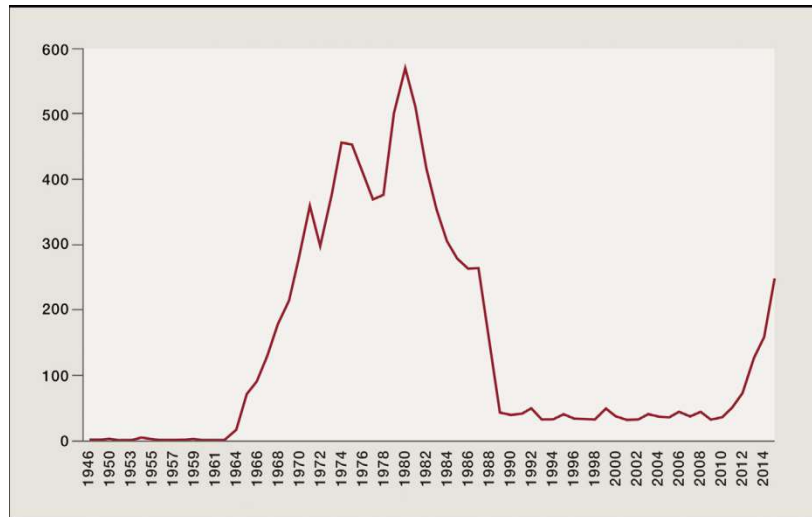
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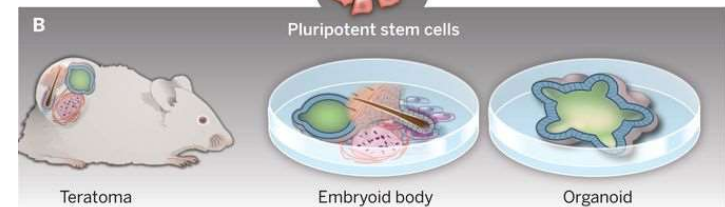
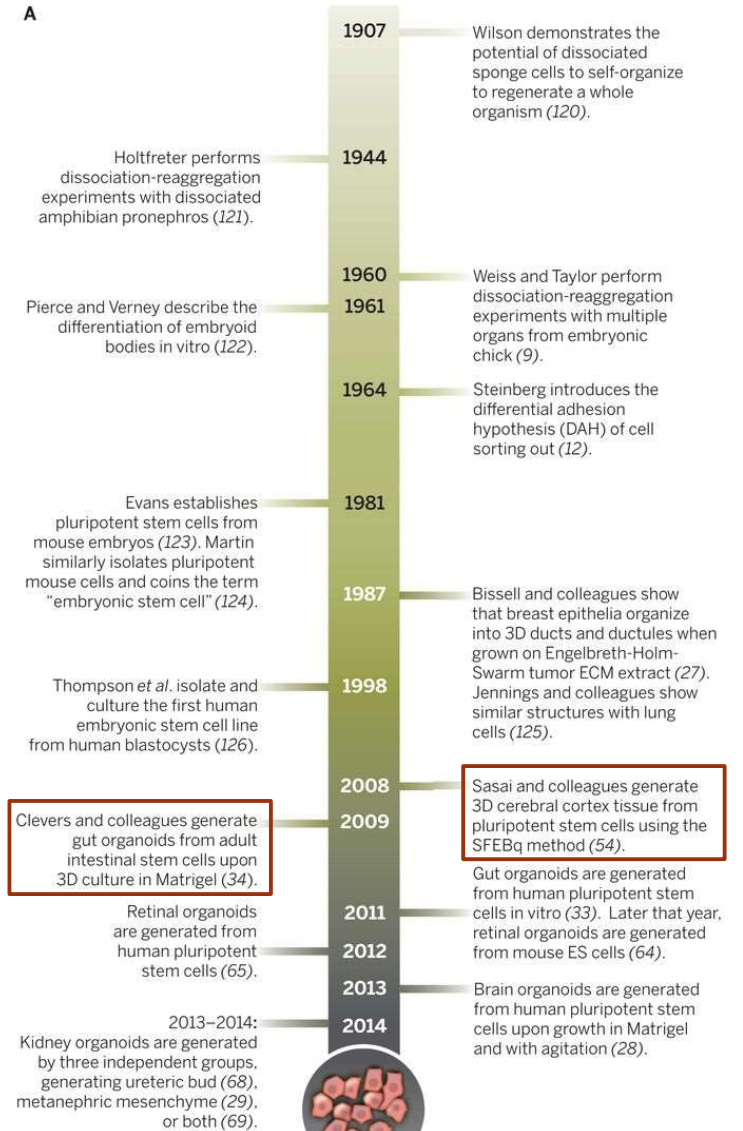
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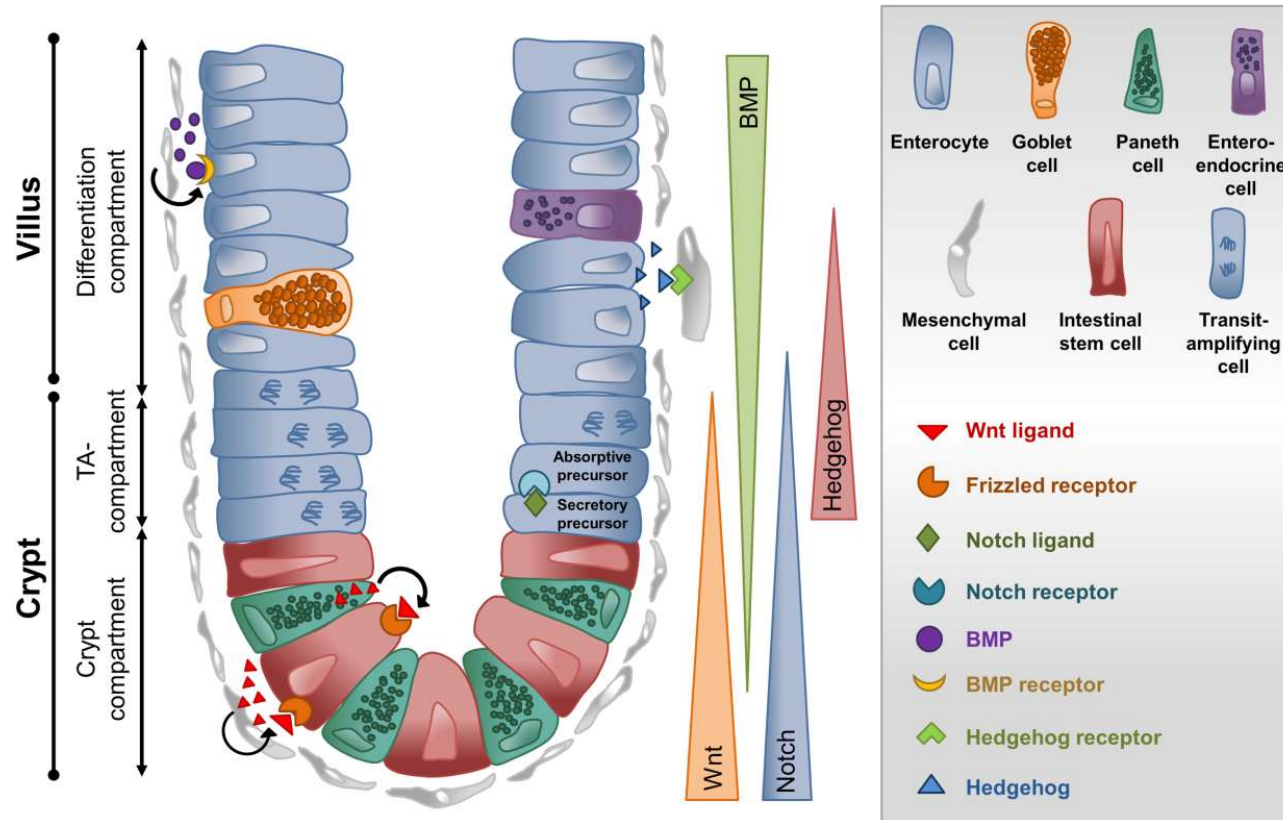
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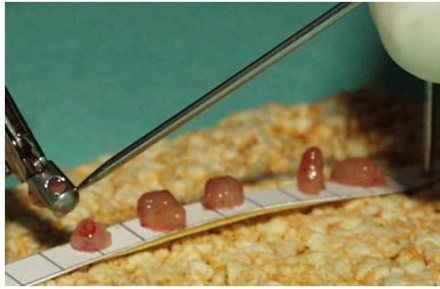
The ability to prod stem cells into three-dimensional tissue models makes for a powerful way to study human biology. But these exciting tools are still works in progress.

Intestinal organoid culture method

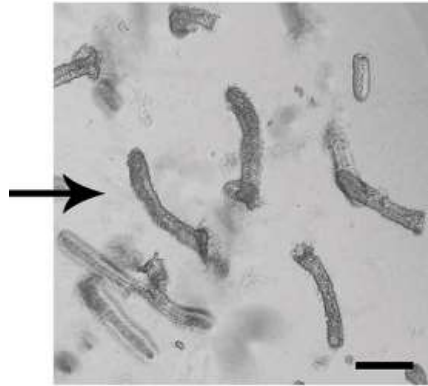


- Lgr5 crypt stem cells divide constantly;
- Stem cells numbers remain fixed because stem cells compete ‘neutrally’ for niche space;
- Daughters of the intestinal stem cells, the Paneth cells, serve as crypt niche cells by providing Wnt, Notch and EGF signals.

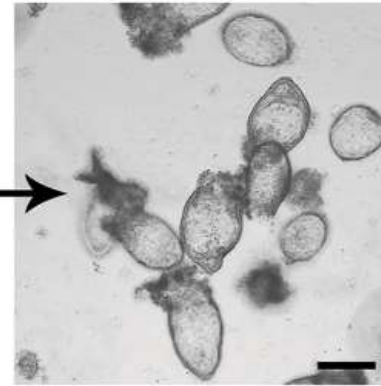
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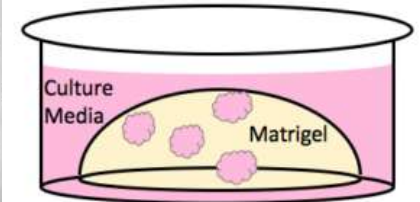
1. Intestinal biopsies



2. Crypt Isolation



3. Crypt Culture

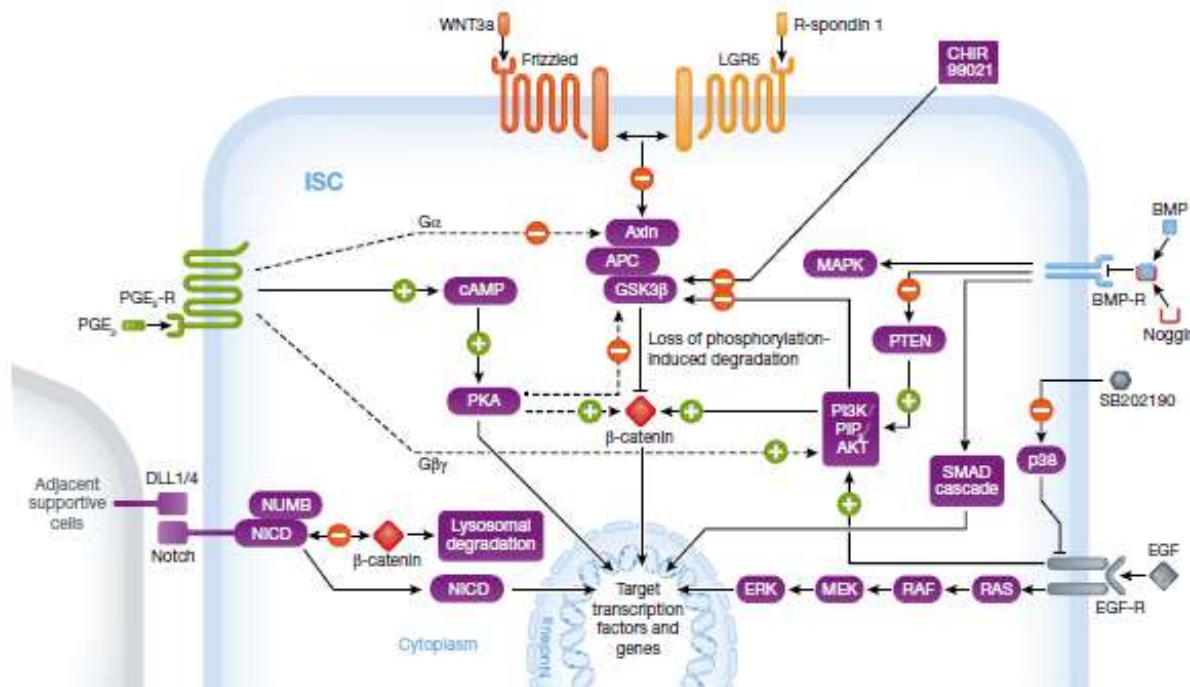


- 1) Wash
- 2) Fungizone + Normocin + Gentamicin
- 3) EDTA incubation
- 4) Shake vigorously

Stem Organoid Medium:

- R-spondin
- WNT3a
- Noggin
- + 12 reagents

Intestinal organoid: an adult stem cell-based organoid



Lgr5 as adult stem cell marker



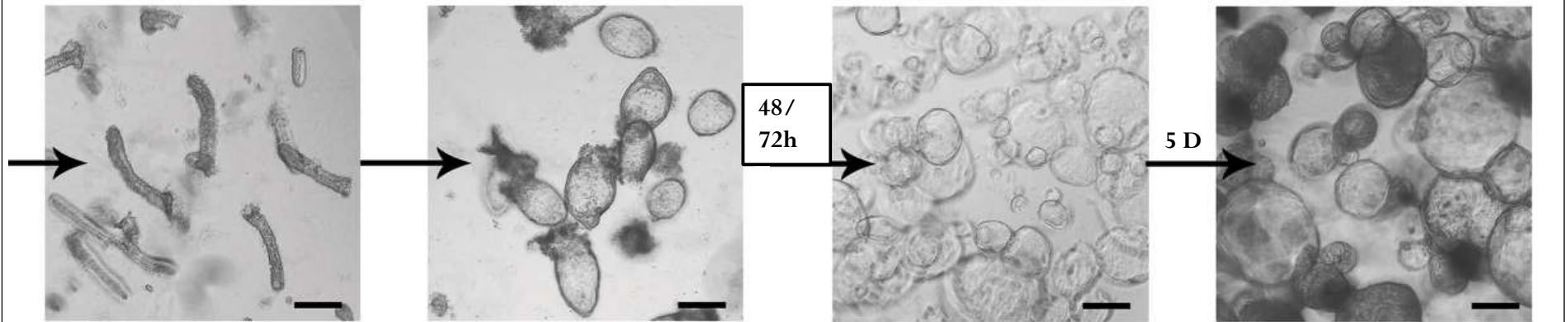
A GFP knock-in into the Lgr5 locus visualizes the stem cells of the small intestine of mice at the base of crypts.

Table 1. Frequently used growth media constituents, their working mechanisms and effects, as well as applications.

Growth medium constituents	Working mechanism in ISCs	Effect on ISCs and application
WNT3a ^a	Activates canonical WNT signaling (Clevers & Nusse, 2012)	Stimulates crypt cells proliferation and maintains the stem cell state (Clevers & Nusse, 2012; Farin <i>et al.</i> , 2012; Krausova & Korinek, 2014)
R-spondin 1 ^a	Augments WNT/ β -catenin signaling (de Lau <i>et al.</i> , 2014)	Stimulates crypt cell proliferation and maintains stem cell state (Farin <i>et al.</i> , 2012; Krausova & Korinek, 2014; de Lau <i>et al.</i> , 2014)
CHIR99021	Stimulates canonical WNT signaling (Yin <i>et al.</i> , 2014)	Stimulates stem cell proliferation and can be used in combination with VPA, when growing single mouse ISCs in absence of Paneth cells (Yin <i>et al.</i> , 2014)
Valproic acid	Inhibits histone deacetylase and activates Notch signaling (Yin <i>et al.</i> , 2014)	Maintains proliferative crypts and blocks secretory differentiation (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011b). Can be used in combination with CHIR99021 when growing single mouse ISCs in absence of Paneth cells (Yin <i>et al.</i> , 2014)
Noggin ^a	Inhibits BMP signaling (Haramis <i>et al.</i> , 2004)	Stimulates crypt formation (Haramis <i>et al.</i> , 2004)
Jagged-1	Activates Notch signaling (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2009)	Maintains the stem cell state, and promotes proliferation, while blocking secretory differentiation, thereby maintaining proliferative crypts (Stanger <i>et al.</i> , 2005; Van Dussen <i>et al.</i> , 2012) Used in the early phase of single-cell cultures in absence of Notch signaling from adjacent supportive cells (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2009; Grabinger <i>et al.</i> , 2014)
EGF ^a	Activates RAS/RAF/MEK/ERK signaling pathway (Suzuki <i>et al.</i> , 2010; Date & Sato, 2015)	Stimulates stem cell migration, proliferation, and inhibits apoptosis (Frey <i>et al.</i> , 2004; Suzuki <i>et al.</i> , 2010)
PGE ₂	Enhances canonical WNT signaling (Buchanan & DuBois, 2006)	Prevents anoikis as well as promotes stem cell survival and proliferation, thereby improving culture efficiency. Stimulates spheroid morphology (Cohn <i>et al.</i> , 1997; Joseph <i>et al.</i> , 2005)
Nicotinamide	Inhibits the activity of sirtuins (Denu, 2005)	Improves ISC maintenance when cultured > 1 week (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a). Often used for long-term human intestinal organoid cultures (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a), but can be omitted (Fujii <i>et al.</i> , 2015)
Gastrin-17	Not decisively concluded	Marginally increases culture efficiency (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a)
A83-01 or SB431542 ^a	Inhibits TGF- β signaling (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a)	Inhibits differentiation and allows human intestinal stem cell cultures to be sustained in the long term (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a)
SB202190 ^a	Inhibits P38 MAPK (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a)	Inhibits secretory differentiation, increases plating efficiency, and decreases degradation of the EGF receptor (Frey <i>et al.</i> , 2006; Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a; Date & Sato, 2015). Allows human intestinal stem cell cultures to be sustained in the long term (Sato <i>et al.</i> , 2011a)
Y-27632 or thiazovivin	Inhibition of caspase-3 (Wu <i>et al.</i> , 2015)	Prevents anoikis after single-cell dissociation (Watanabe <i>et al.</i> , 2007). Used in the early phase of single-cell cultures
IL-22	JAK/STAT signaling (Lindemans <i>et al.</i> , 2015)	ISC proliferation and organoid growth. Can potentially further increase ISC expansion and make EGF redundant (Lindemans <i>et al.</i> , 2015)

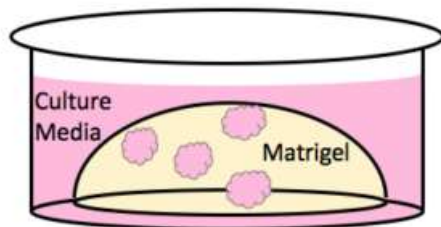
^aMandatory growth medium components for long-term culturing human intestinal stem cells as organoids.

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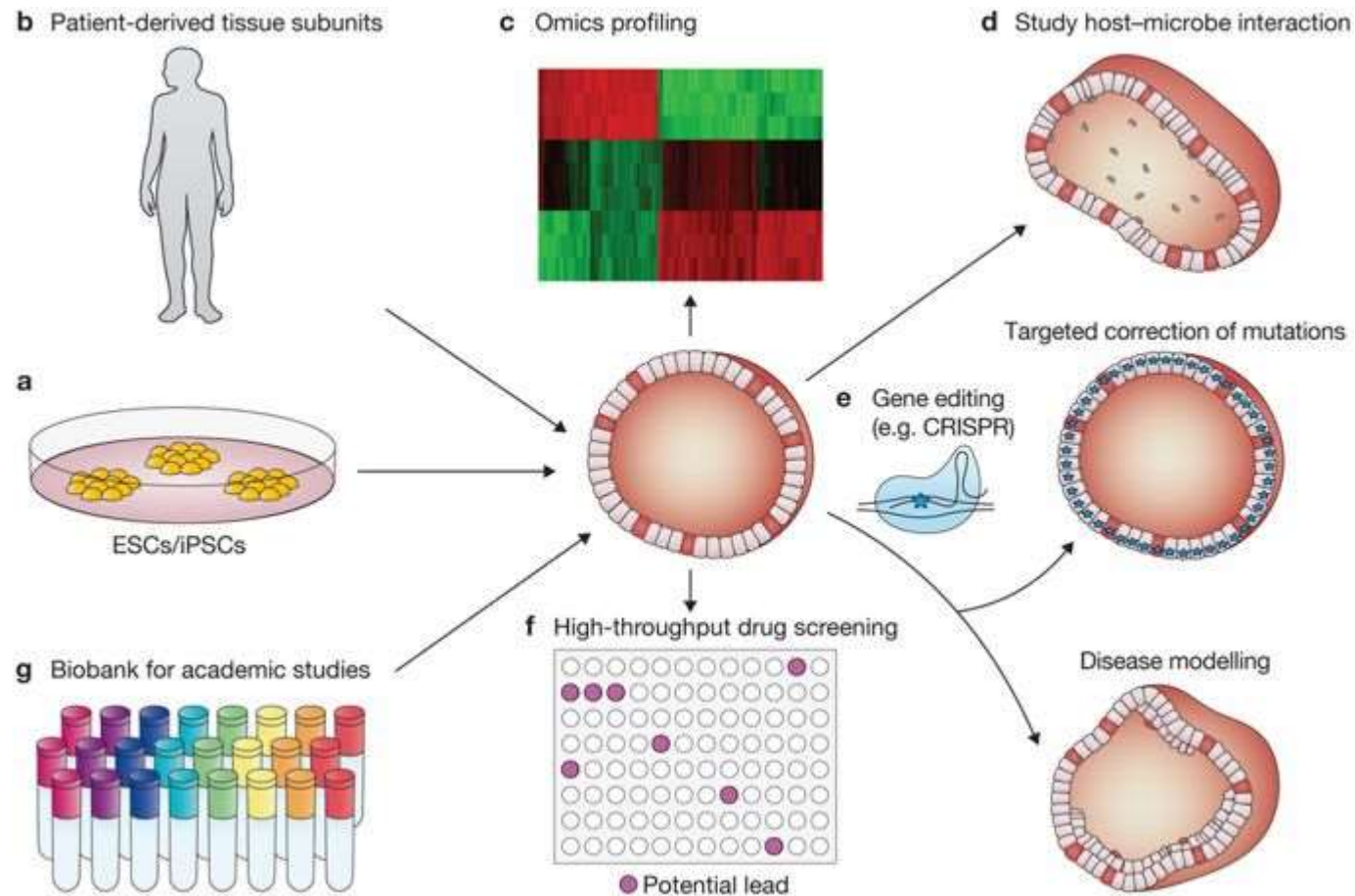
Organoid passaging:

- 1) Recovery solution
- 2) Disaggregation solution (dispase or trypsin)

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Applications of organoid technology



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Liver stem cell transplantation

Organoid culturing technique

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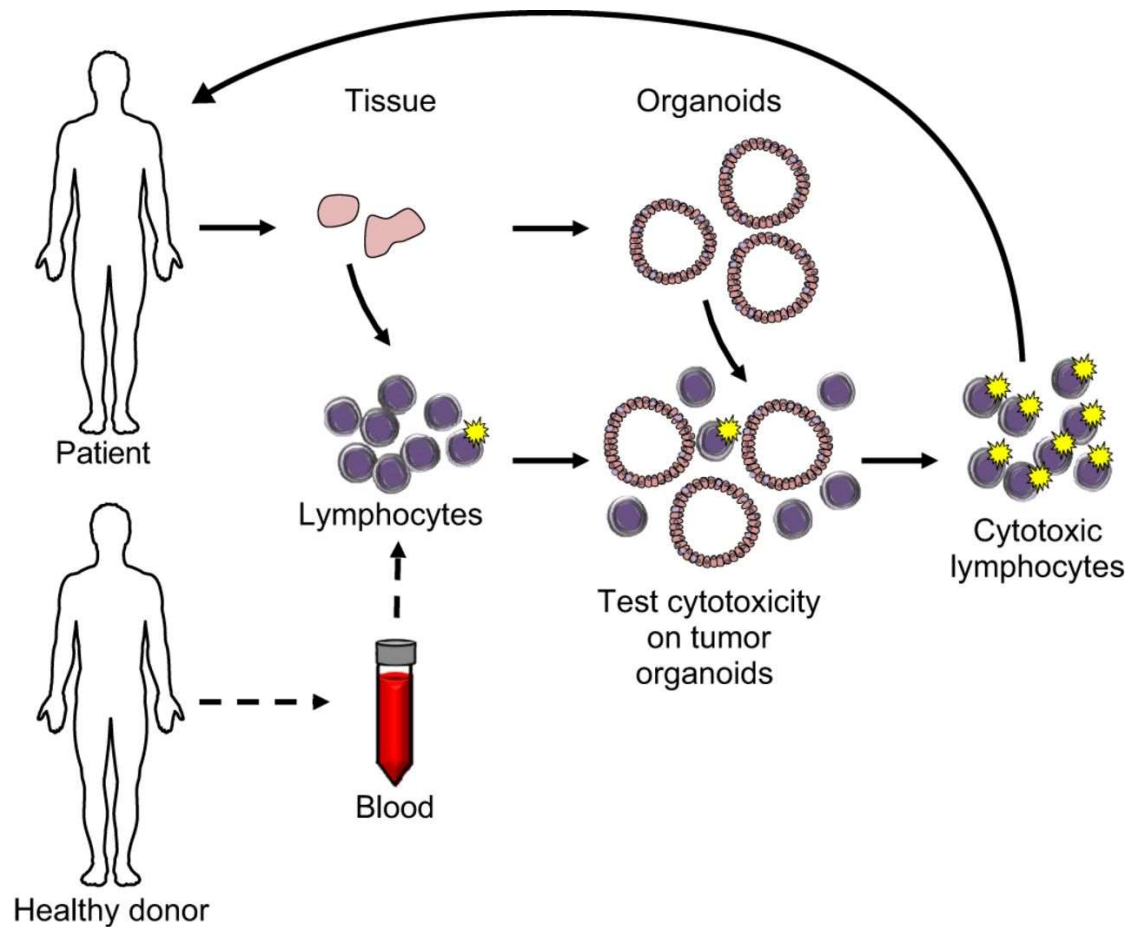
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Applications of organoid technology

Translational applications of adult stem cell-derived organoids

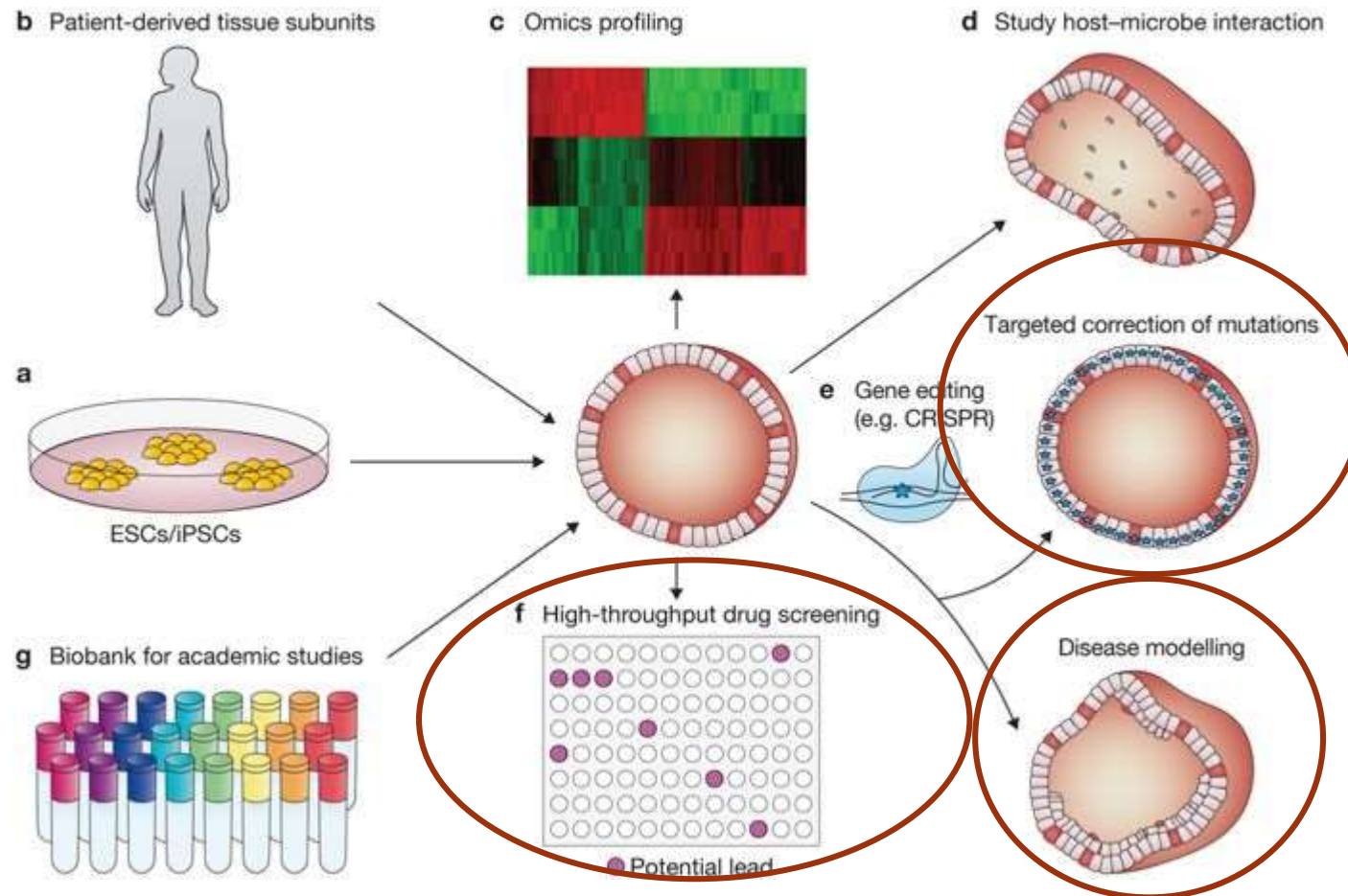
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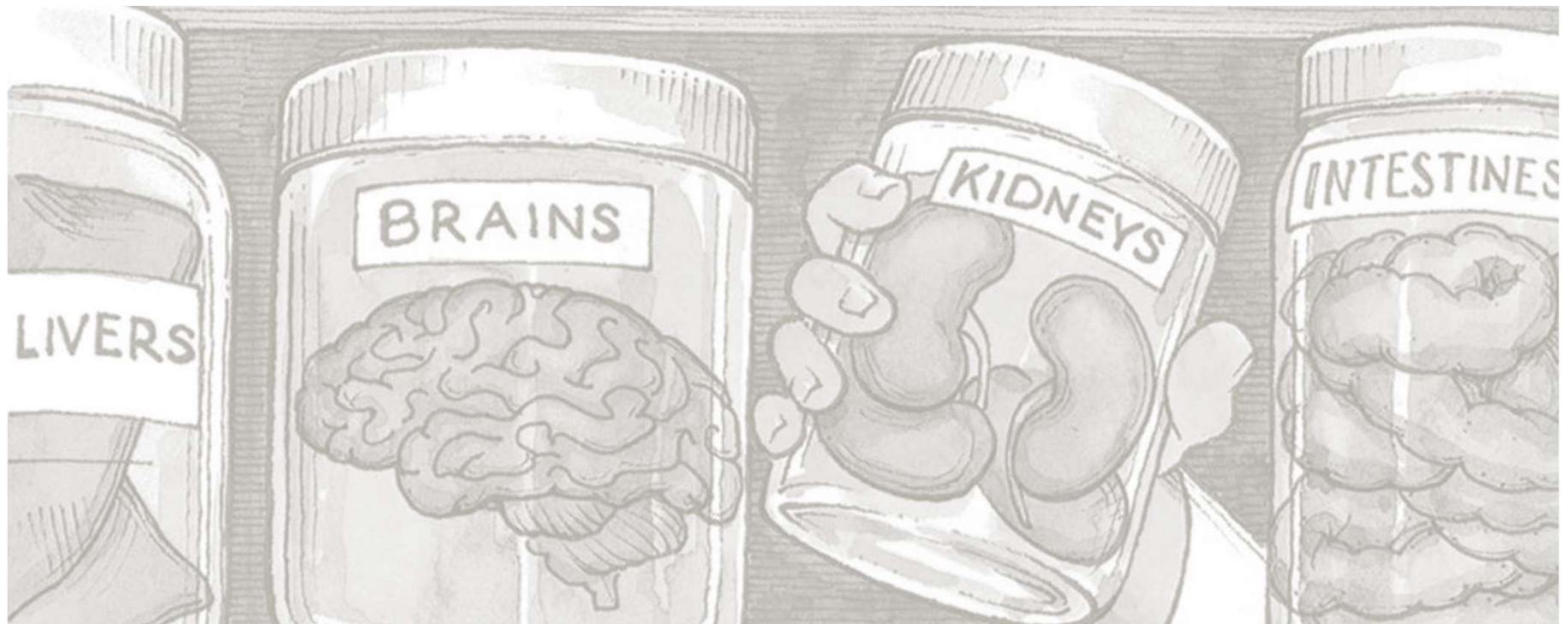
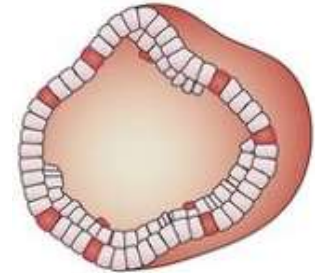
Exploiting adult stem cell-derived organoids for immunotherapy

Applications of organoid technology



Intestinal Organoids: New frontiers in the study of intestinal disease

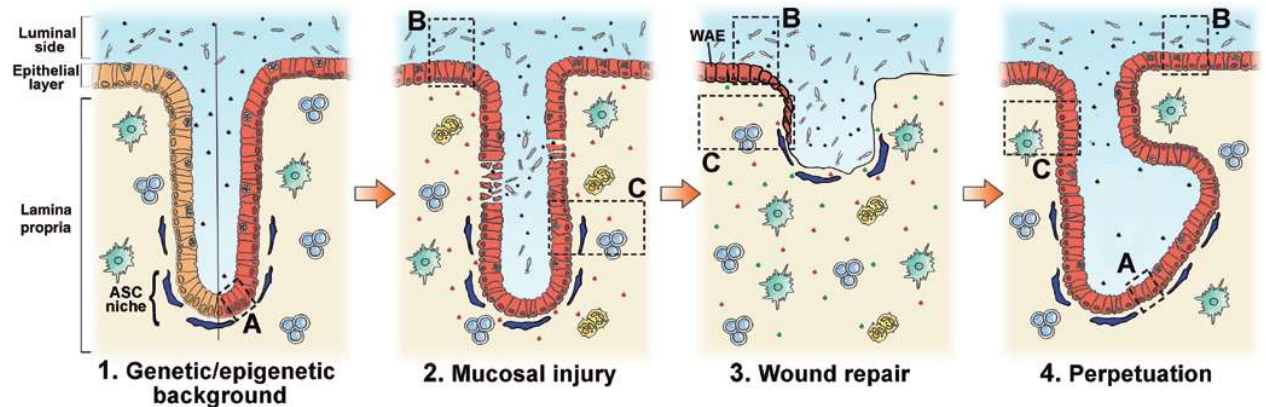
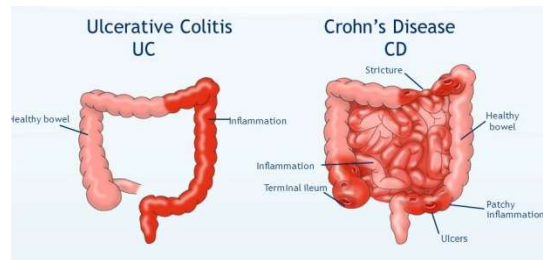
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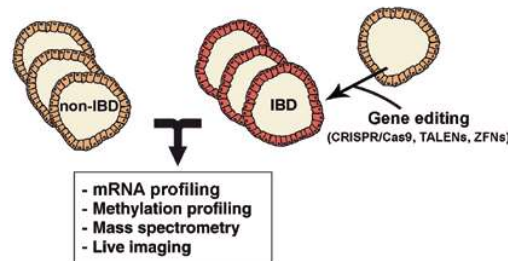
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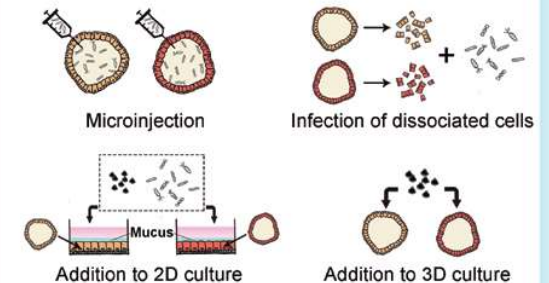
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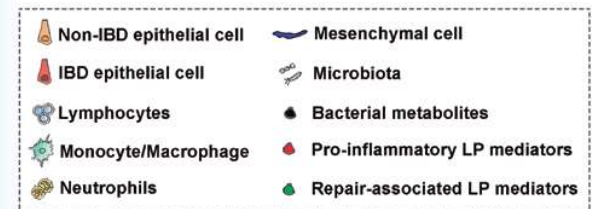
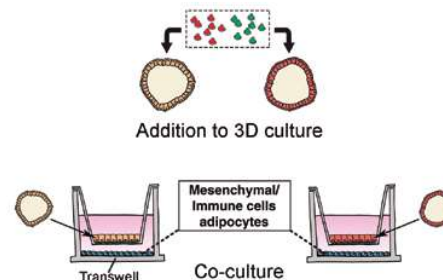
A. Genetic and epigenetic alterations



B. Epithelium-microbiota interactions



C. Epithelium-LP interactions



Lamina propria (LP)

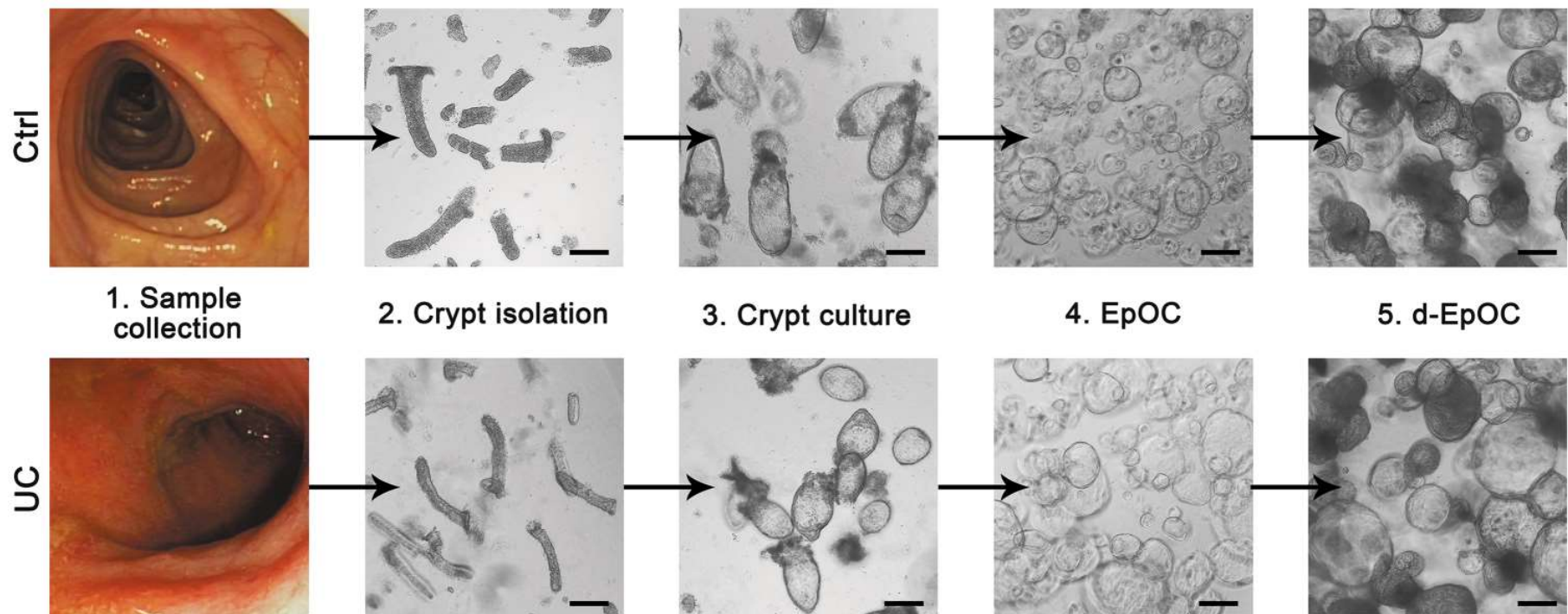
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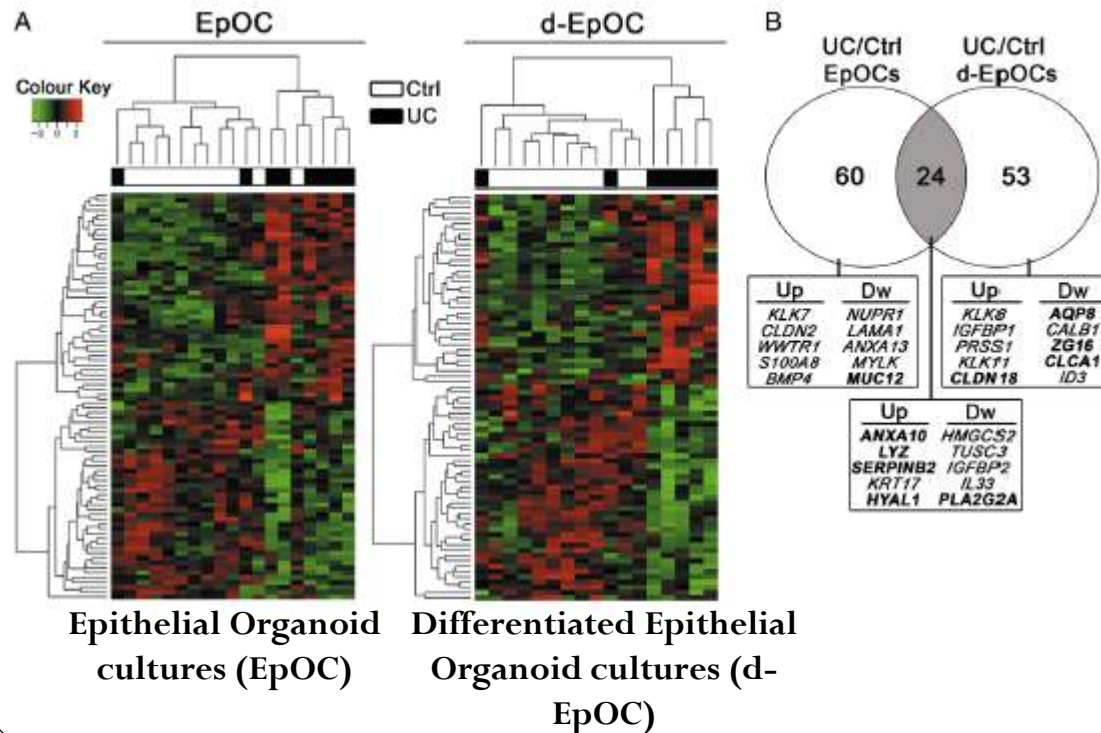
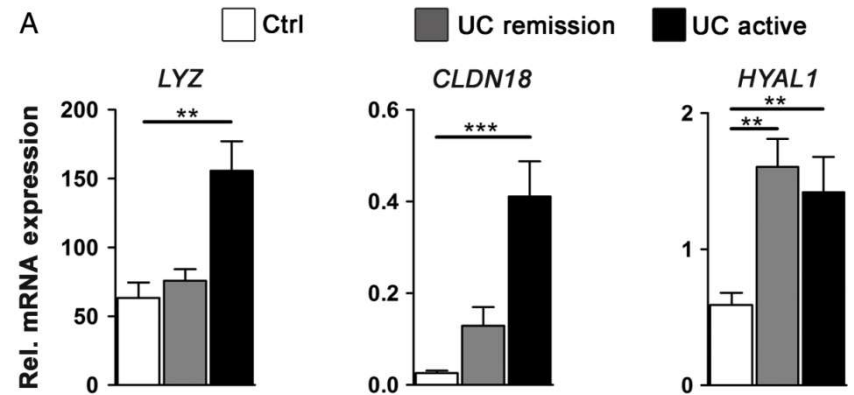
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- A specific expression signature characterizes EpOCs and d-EpOCs from patients with UC compared with non-IBD controls (antimicrobial defense, secretory and absorptive functions);

- Whole biopsies and organoid cultures from patients with UC show common expression features (>66%);

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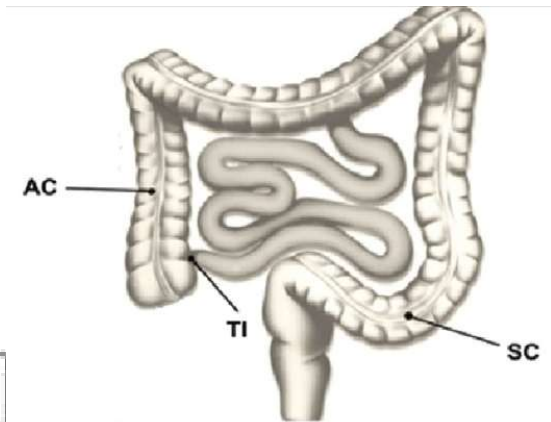
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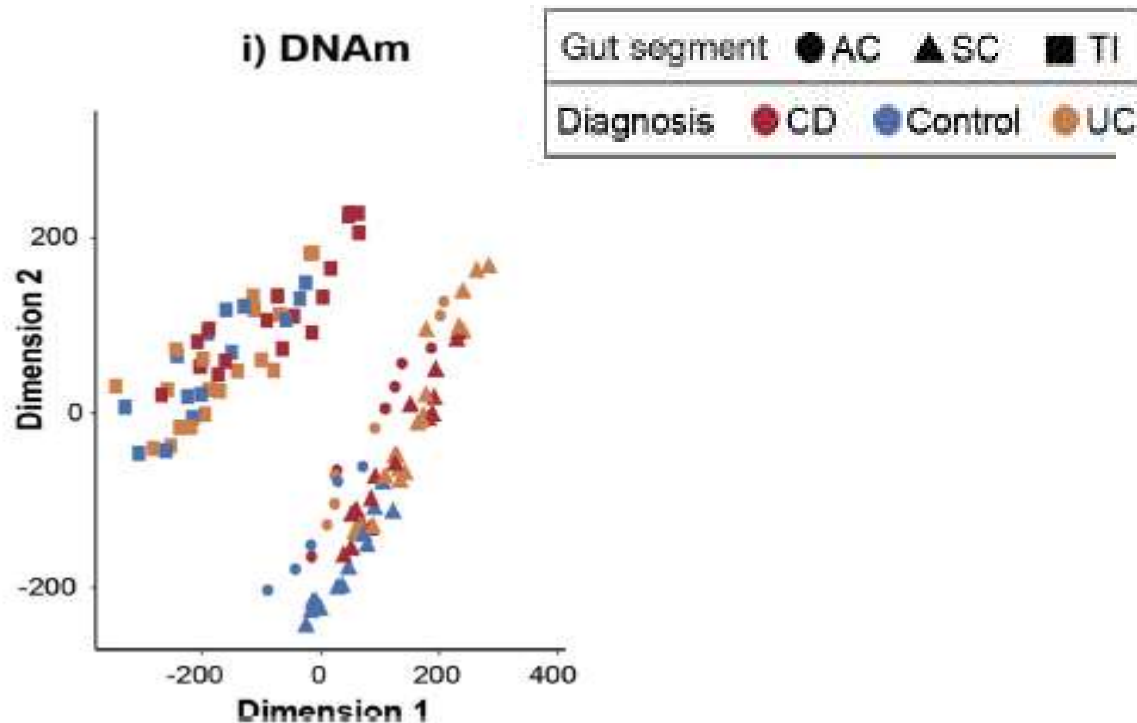
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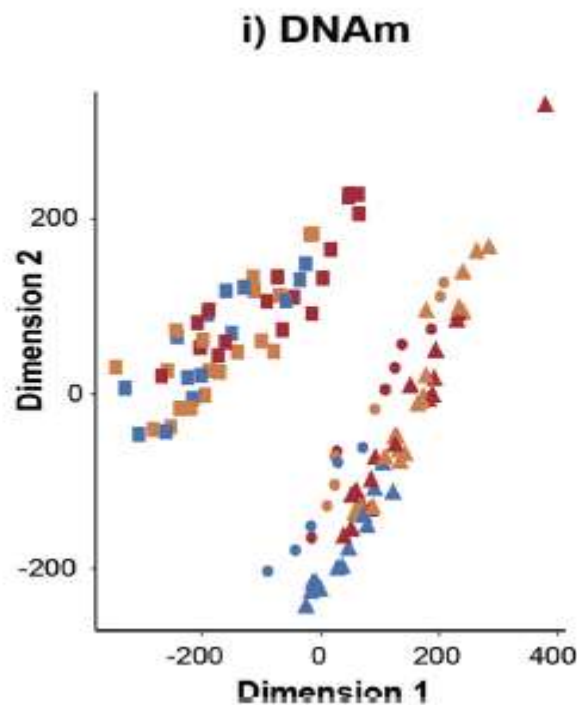
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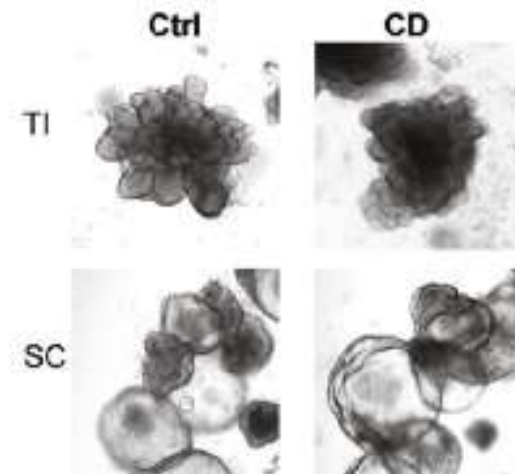


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- Disease associated epigenetic alterations in the intestinal epithelium are stable over time and are at least in part retained in ex-vivo organoid cultures;

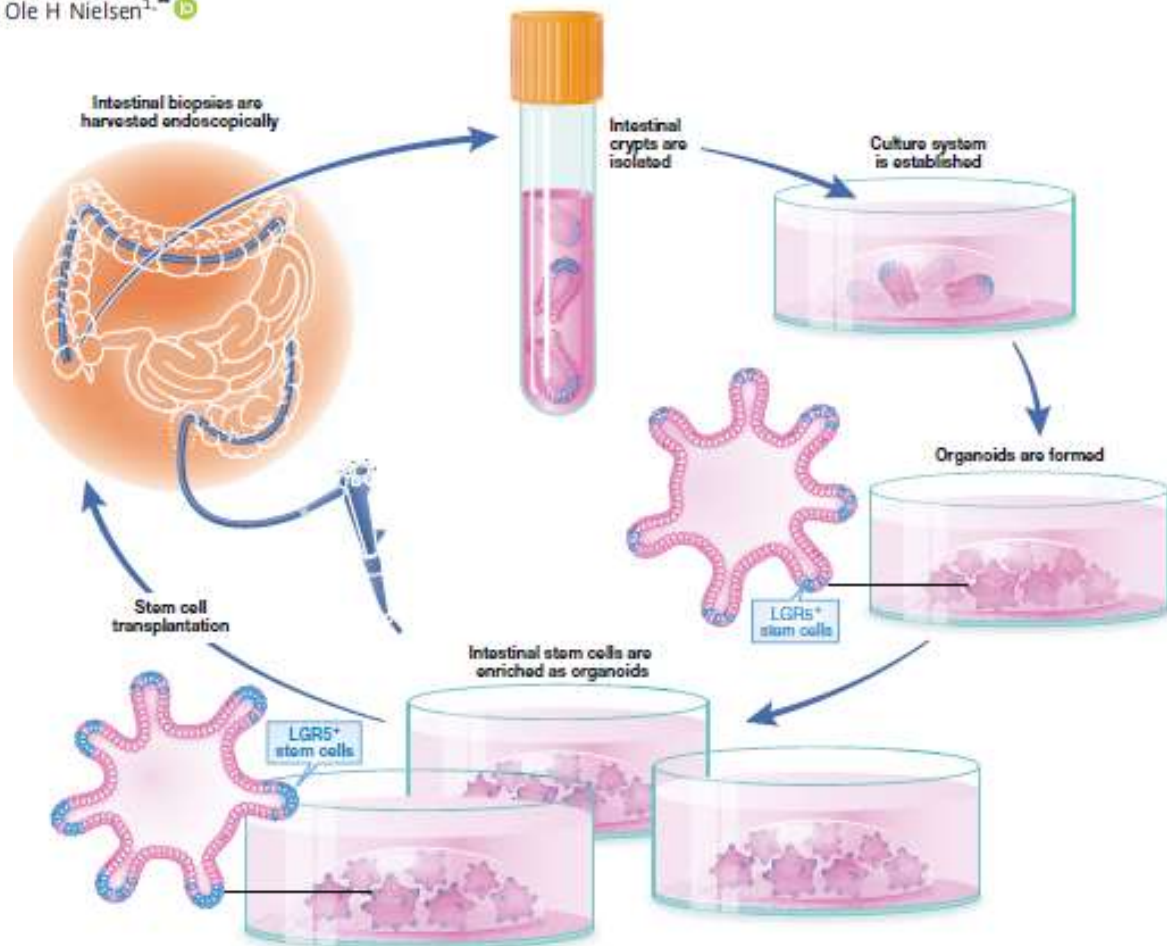


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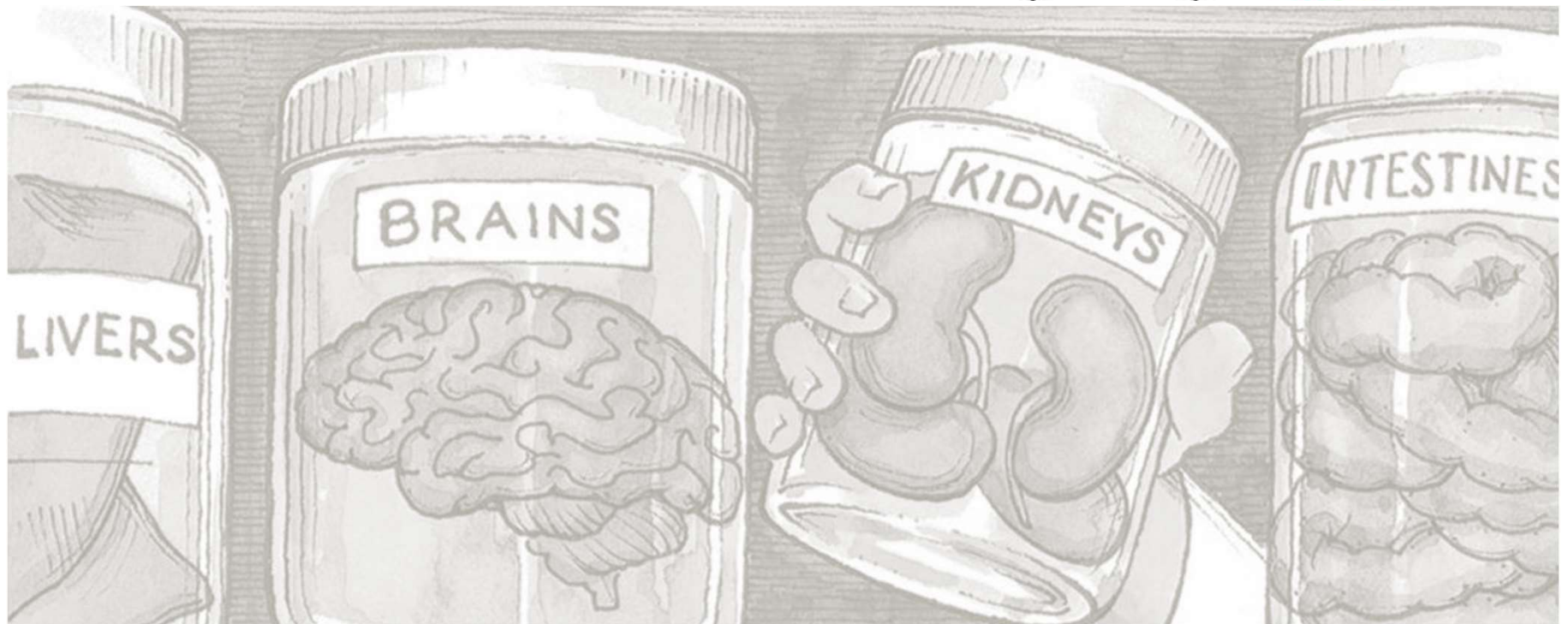
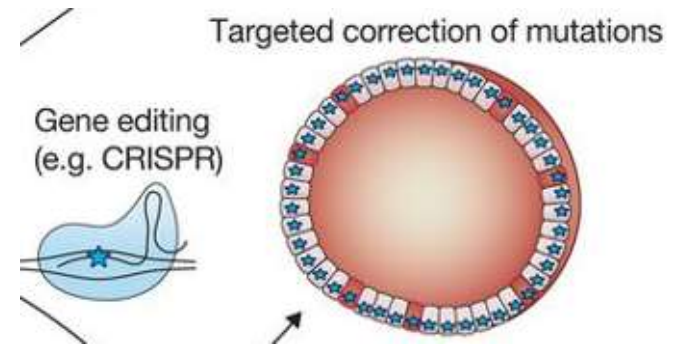


Culturing human intestinal stem cells for regenerative applications in the treatment of inflammatory bowel disease

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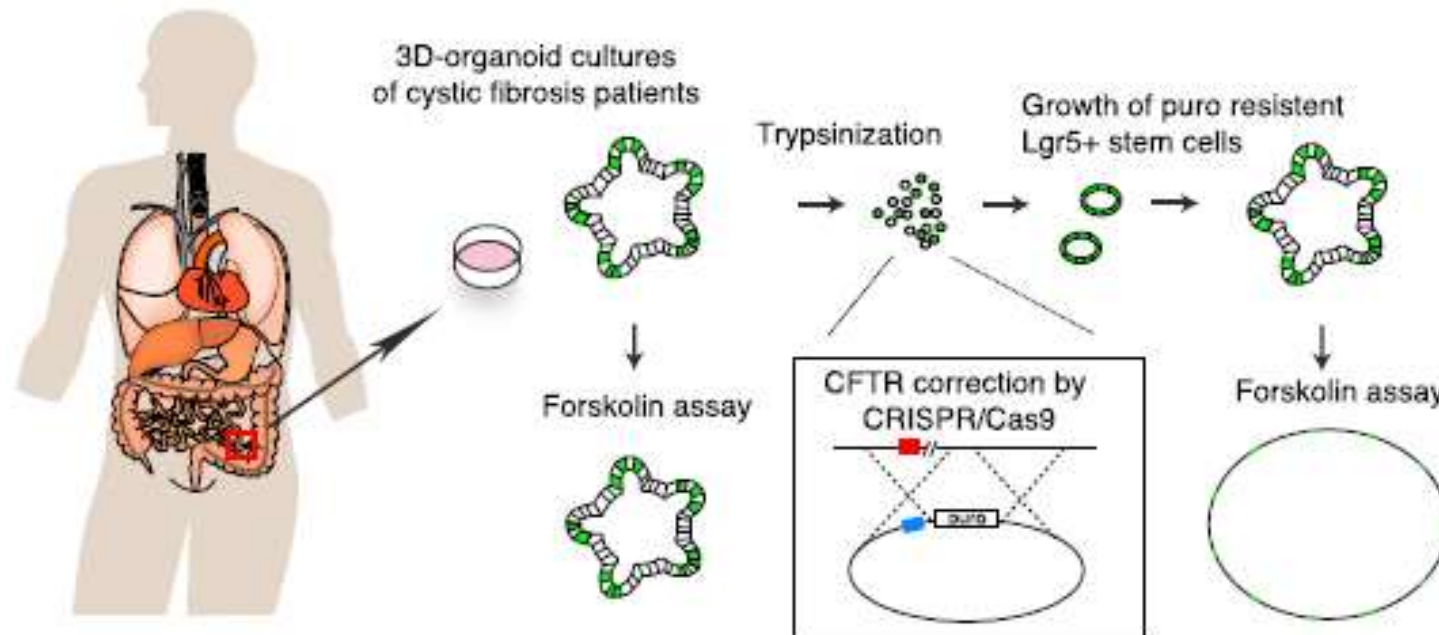


CRISPR/Cas9-Mediated Genome Editing in Adult Stem Cells



Functional Repair of CFTR by CRISPR/Cas9 in Intestinal Stem Cell Organoids of Cystic Fibrosis Patients

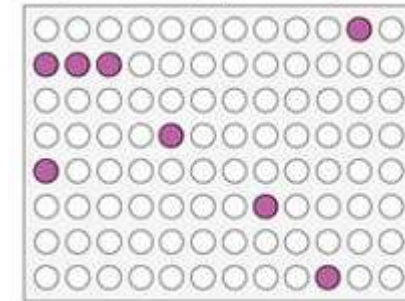
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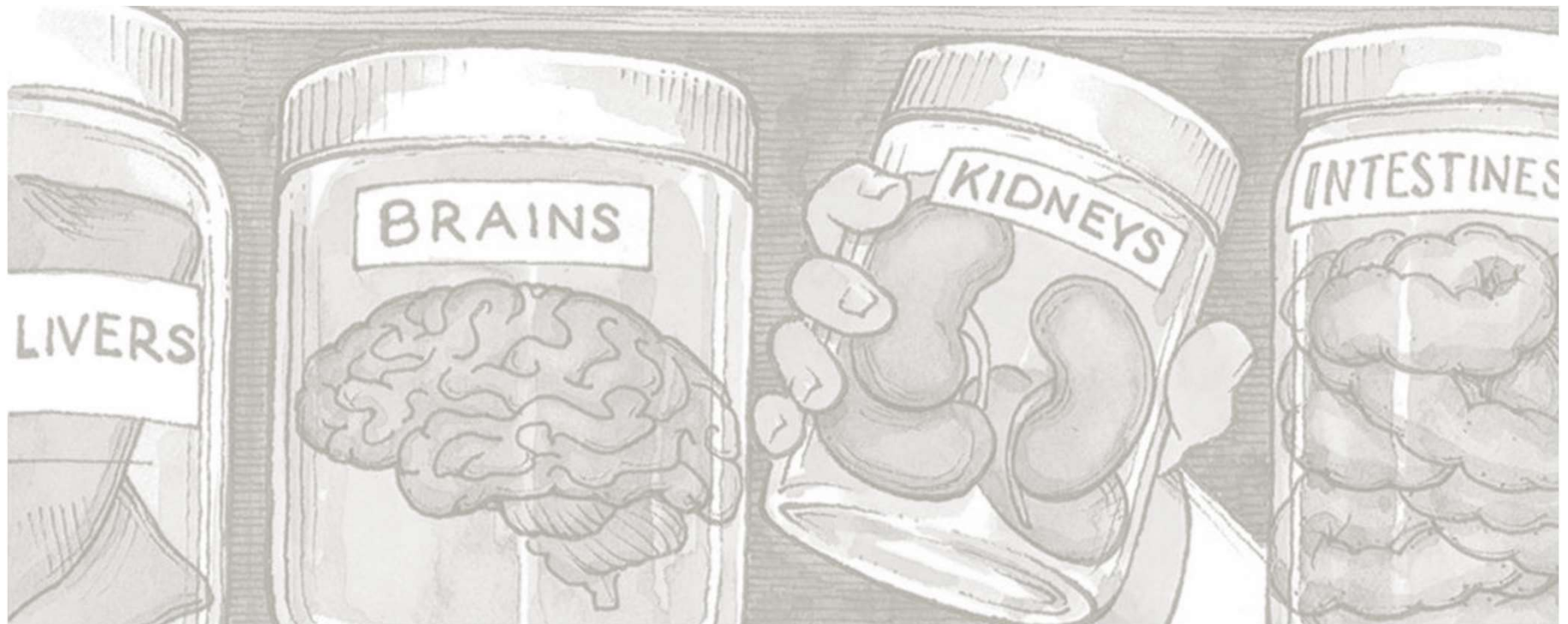
Forskolin induces swelling of organoids from healthy subjects, but the swelling is absent in organoids from patients with CF.

Drug response in patient-derived organoids

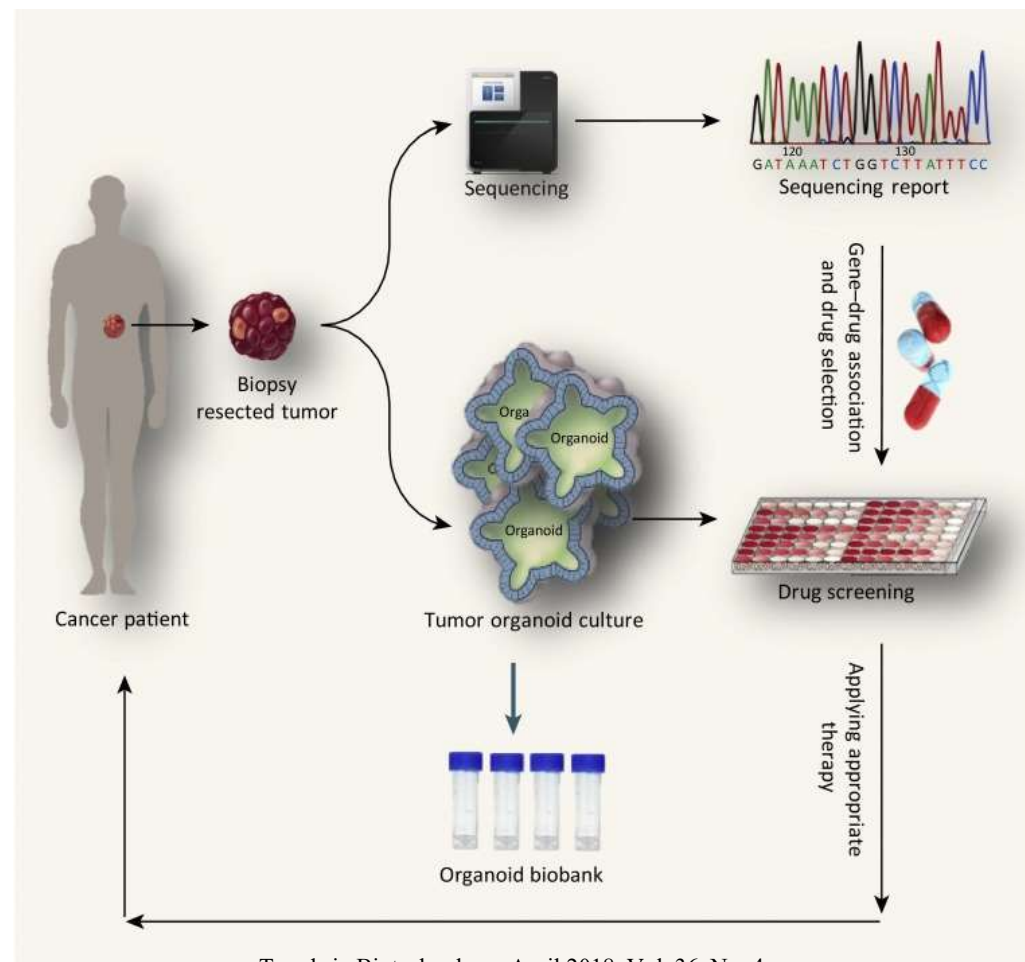
High-throughput drug screening



● Potential lead

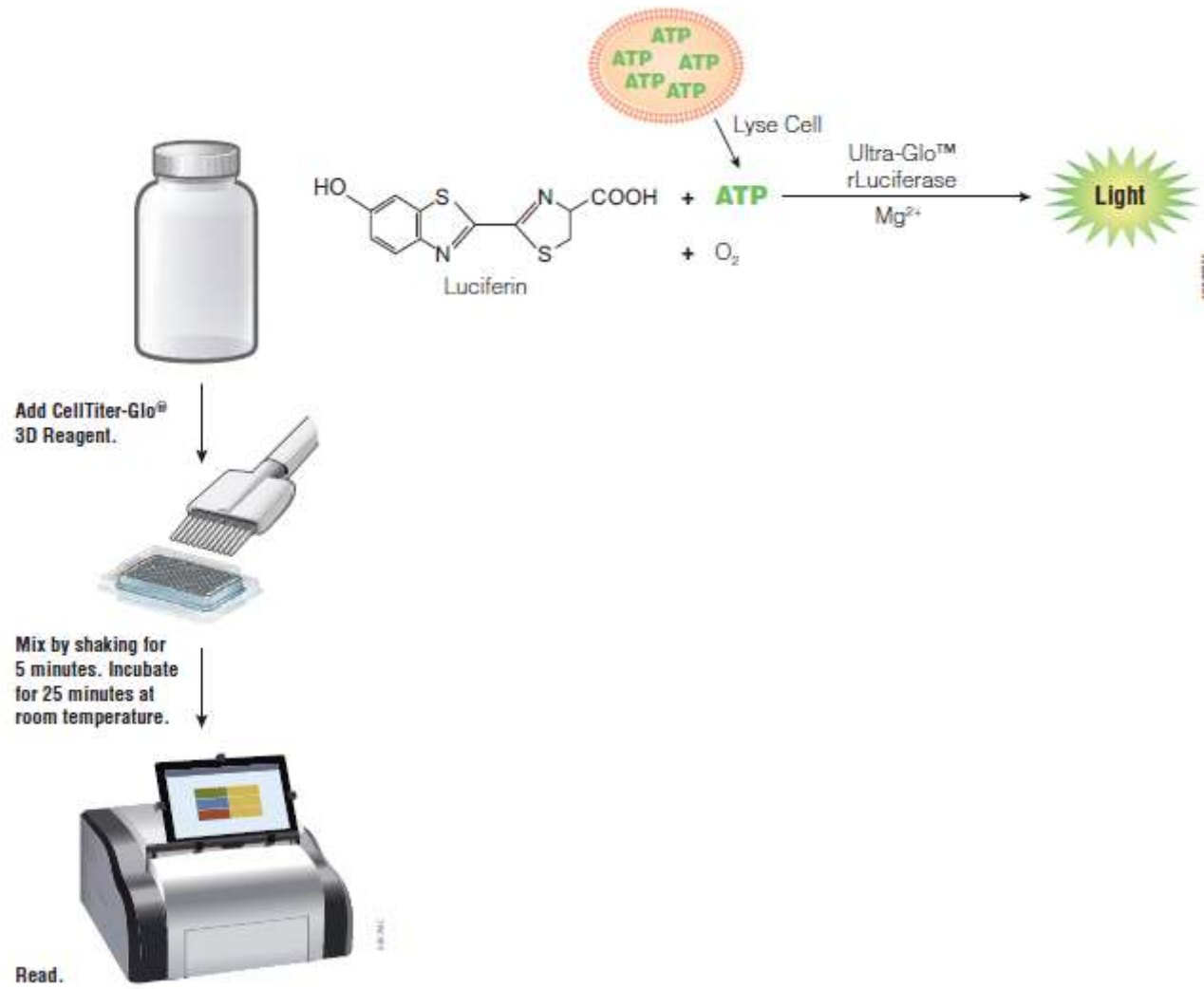


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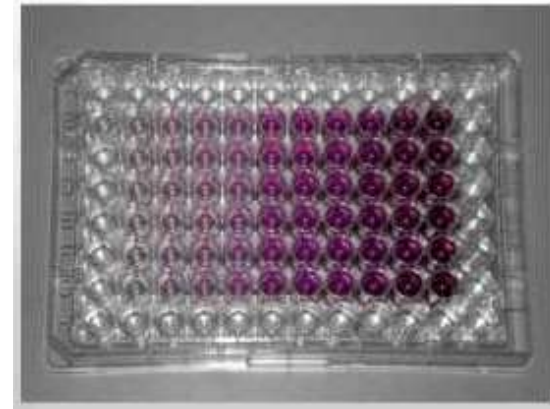
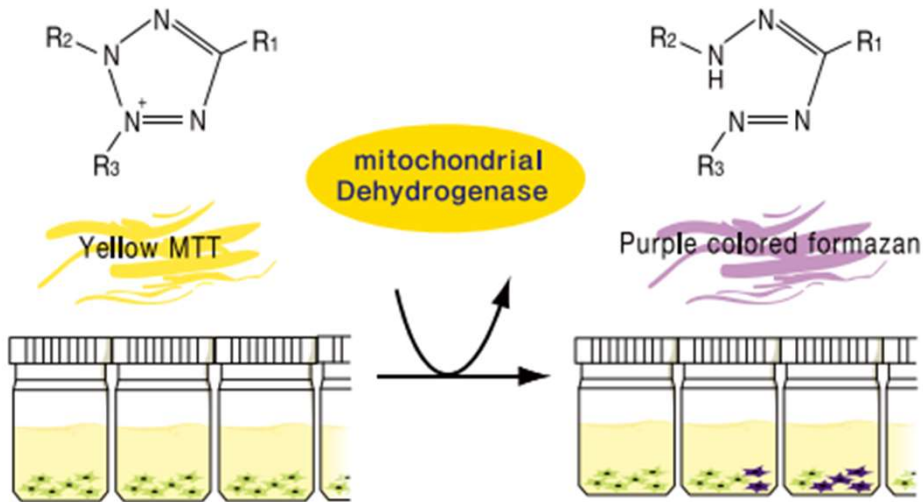


In this approach, the procedure begins with sequencing tumor biopsies or dissected samples by using the next-generation sequencing method and continues with culturing patient-derived tumor organoids, which will be histologically and pathologically compared with the primary tumors before they are subjected to drug screening. In parallel, part of the derived organoids will be preserved as a biobank. To determine effective therapeutic strategies, based on the sequencing results and gene-drug association links, high-throughput drug screening of candidate drugs that include standard chemotherapy and targeted therapy agents can be performed in a replicative process.

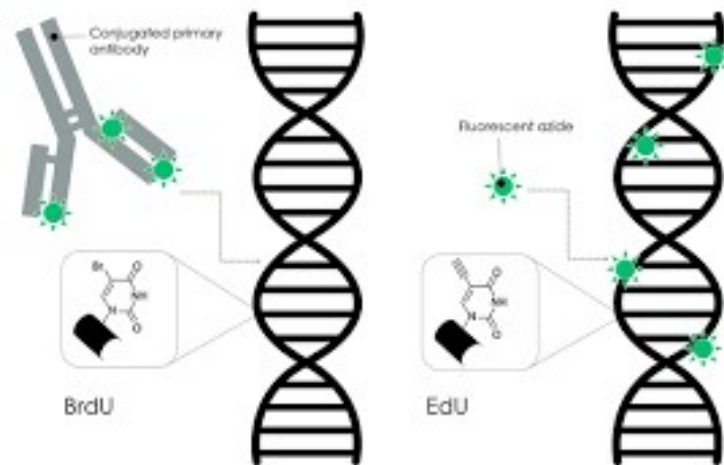
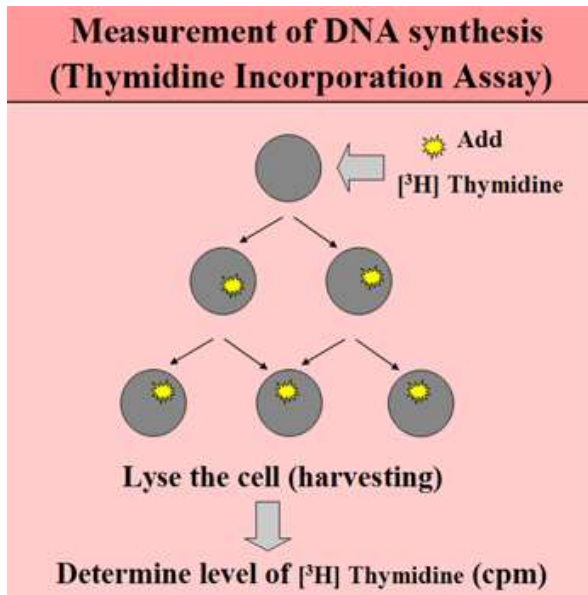
Cell Viability Assay: CellTiter-Glo® 3D



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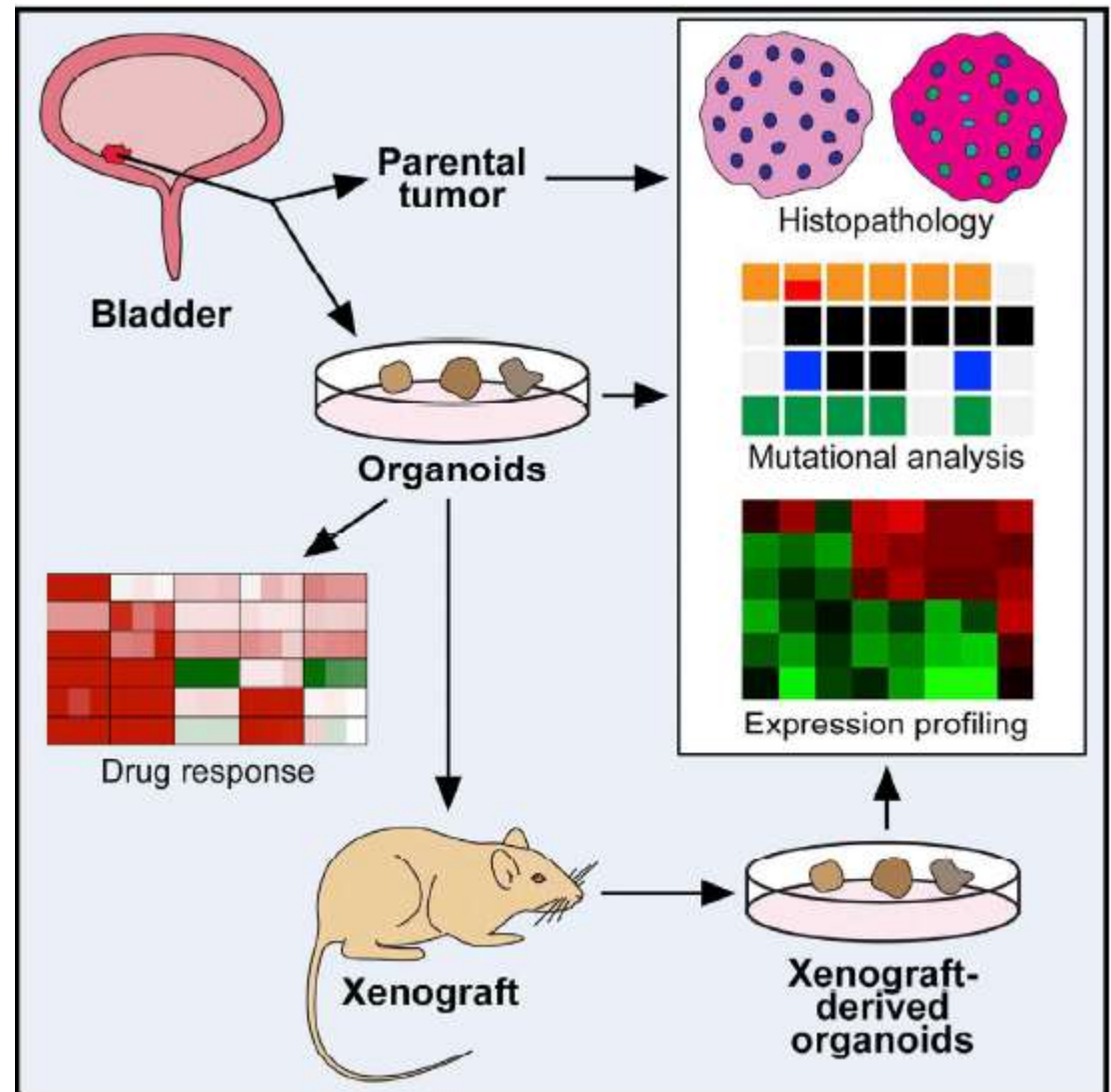
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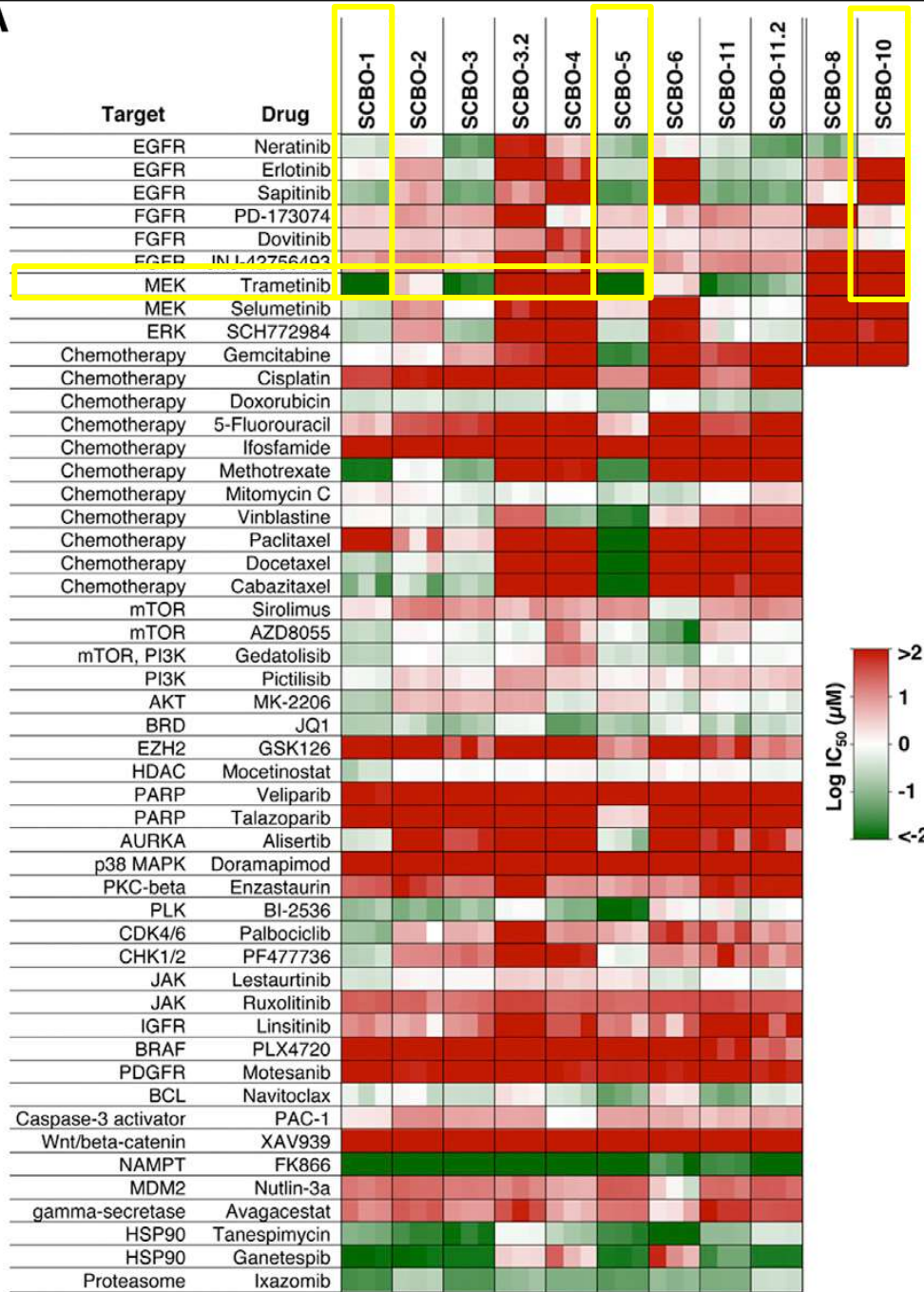
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22 patient-derived bladder cancer organoid lines:

- histopathological and molecular concordance with their corresponding parental tumors;
- display changes in their mutational profiles during culture and xenografting consistent with clonal evolution.



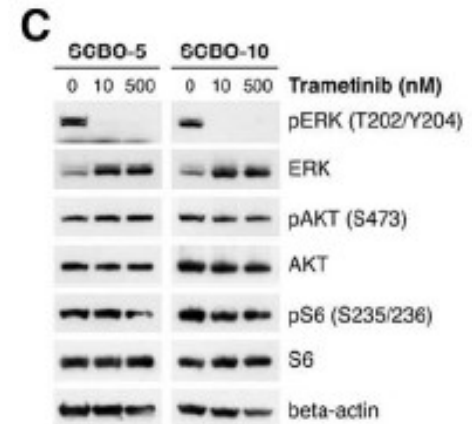
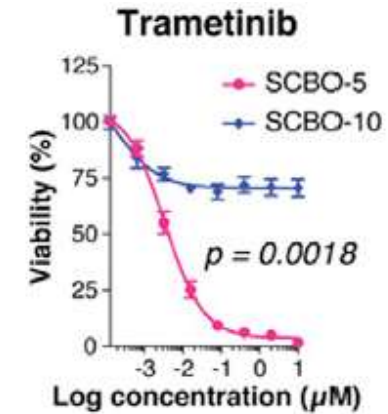
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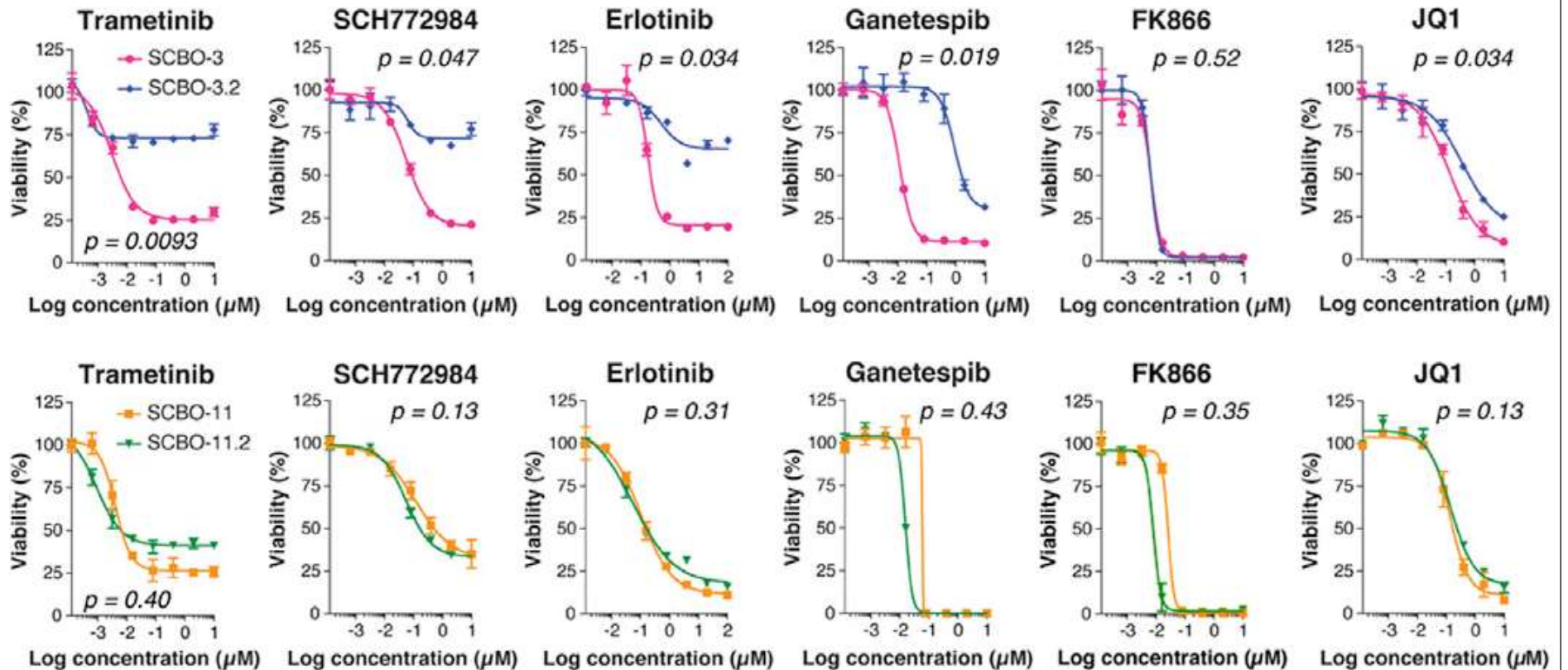
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Effects of 40 compounds (standard therapies and agents being tested in clinical trials)

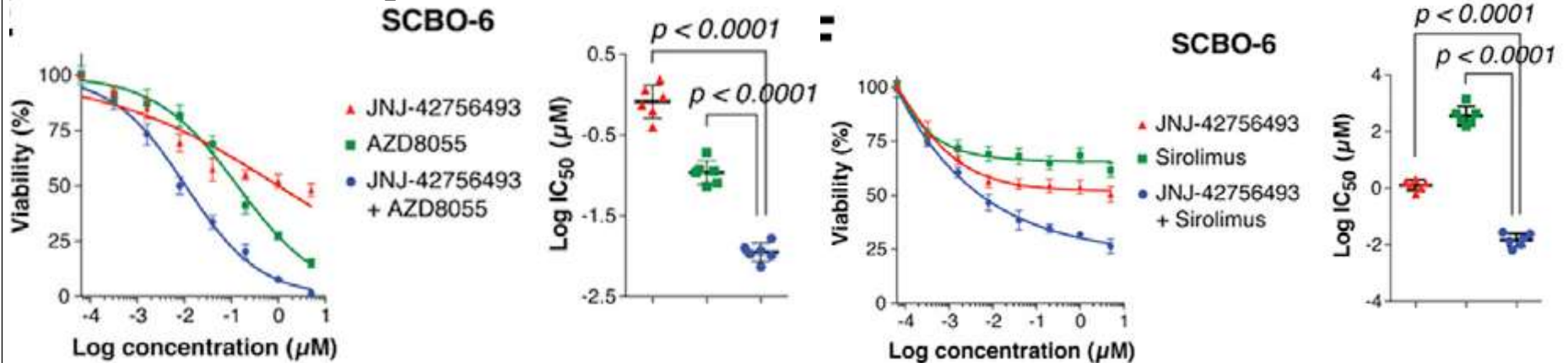


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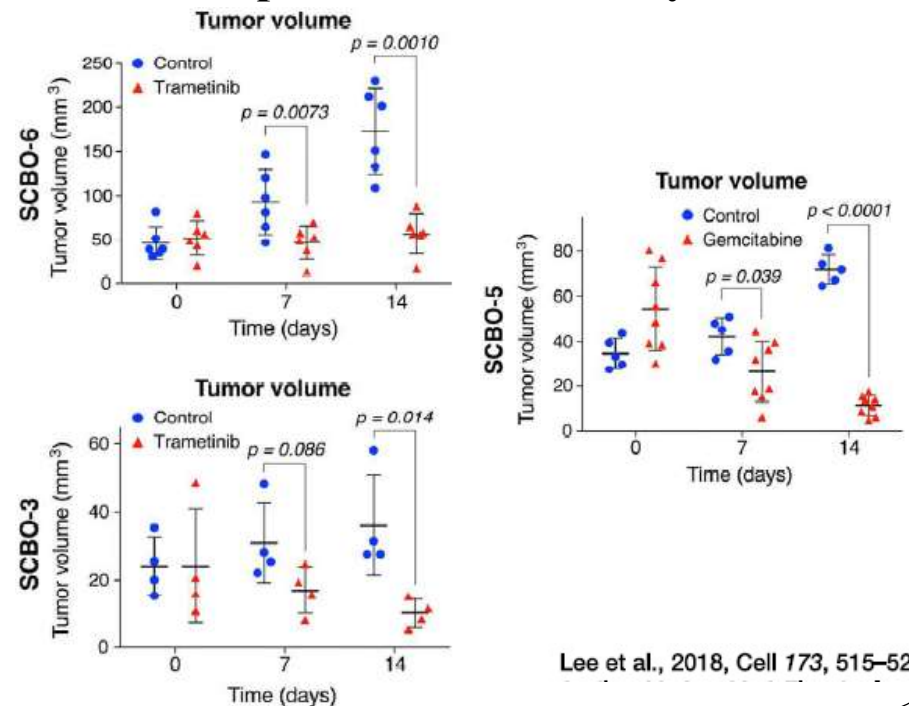
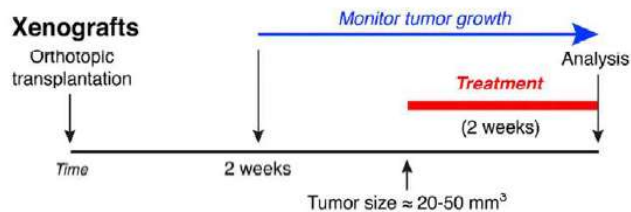
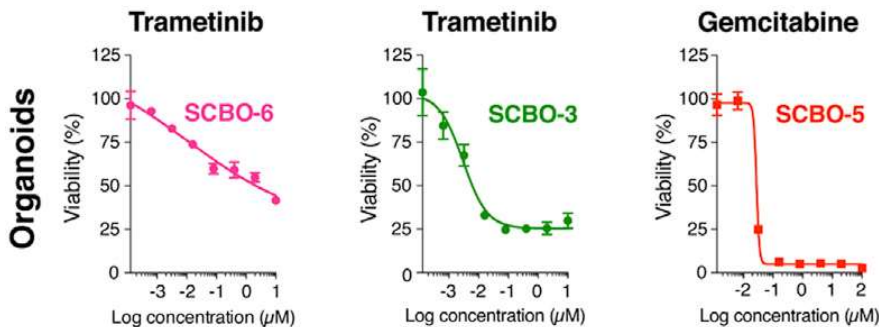
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The molecular profiles of the organoid lines can be useful for identification of potential combinatorial therapies!



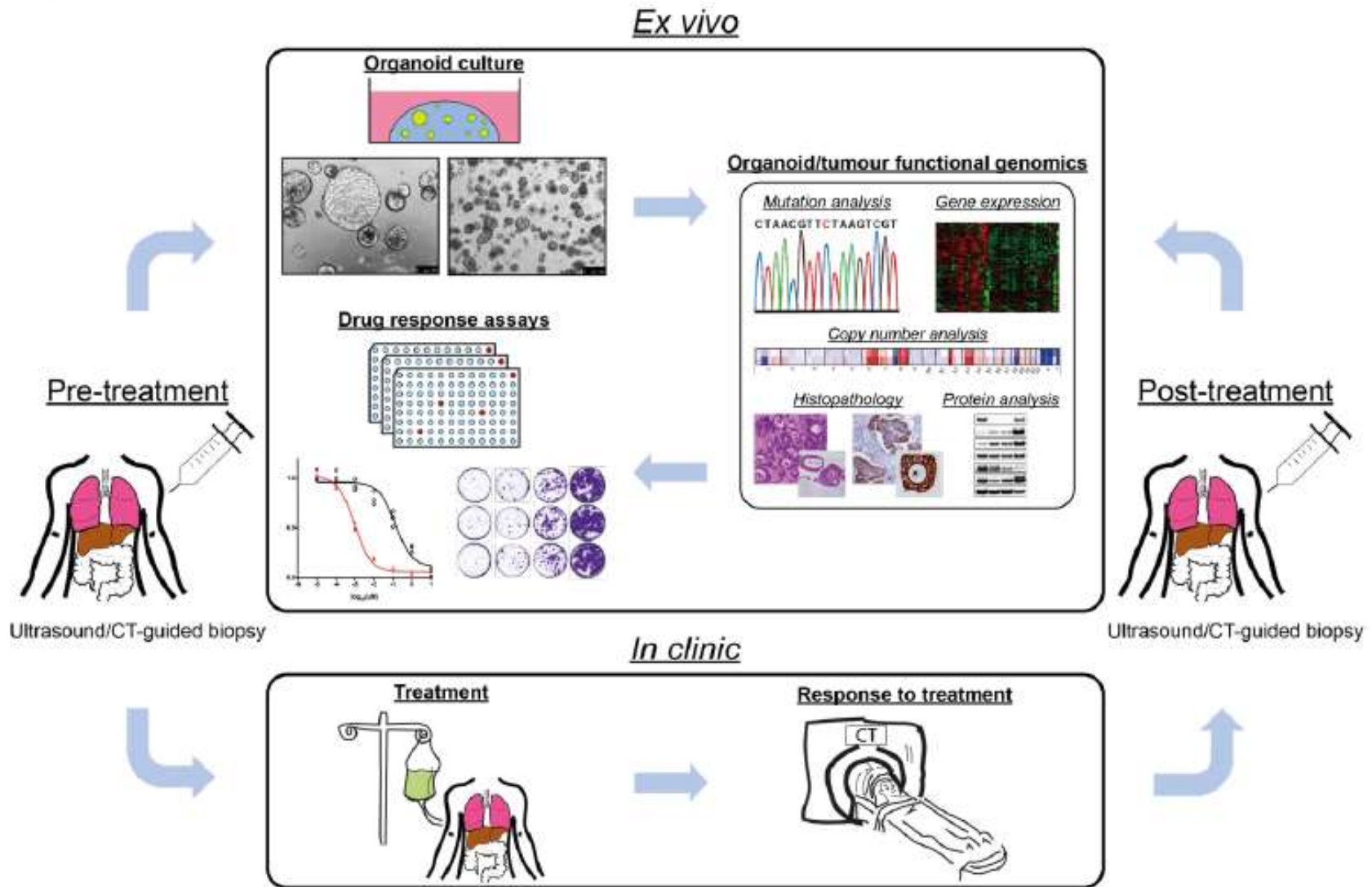
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Drug response observed in organoid culture can be recapitulated when assayed in an in vivo context!



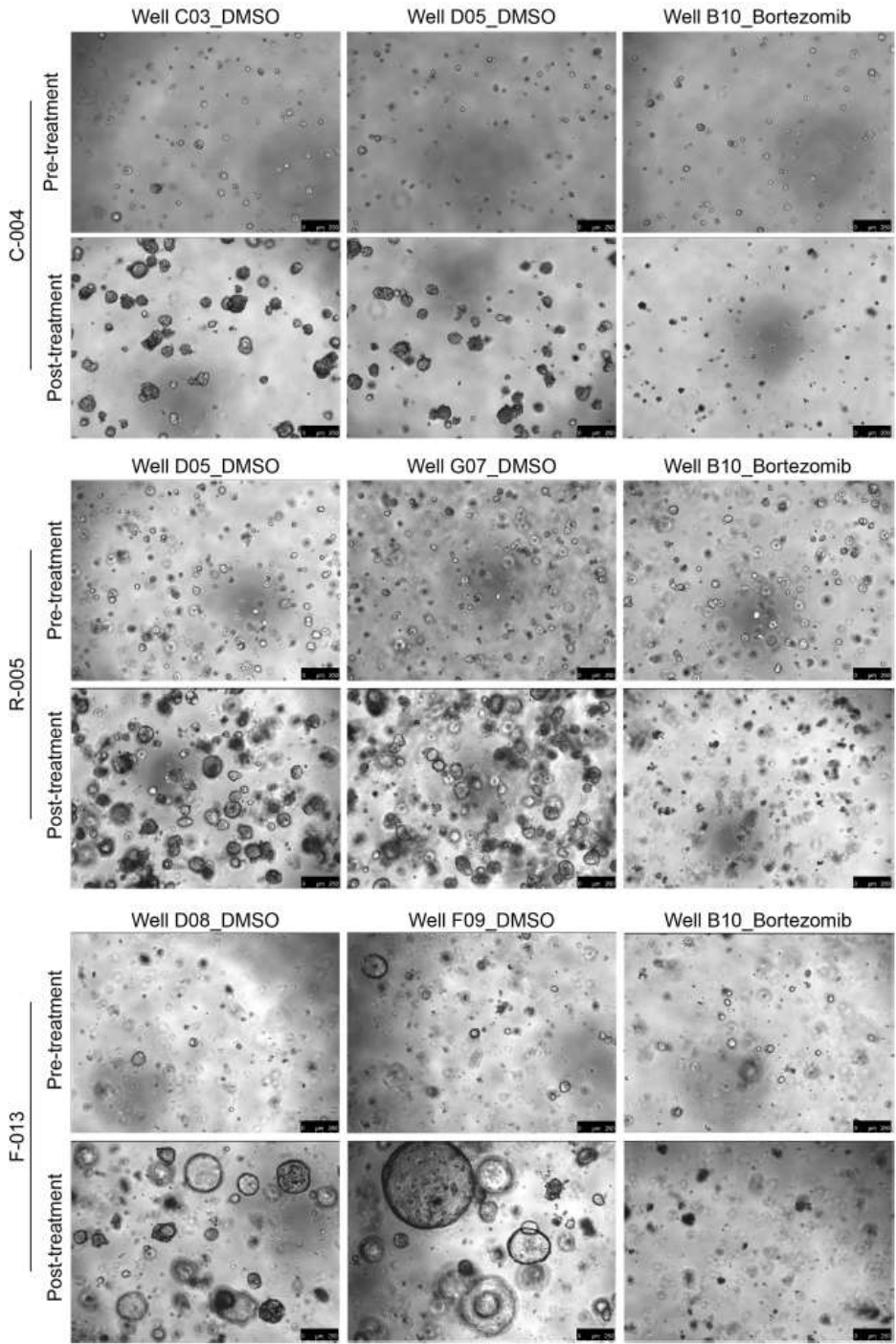
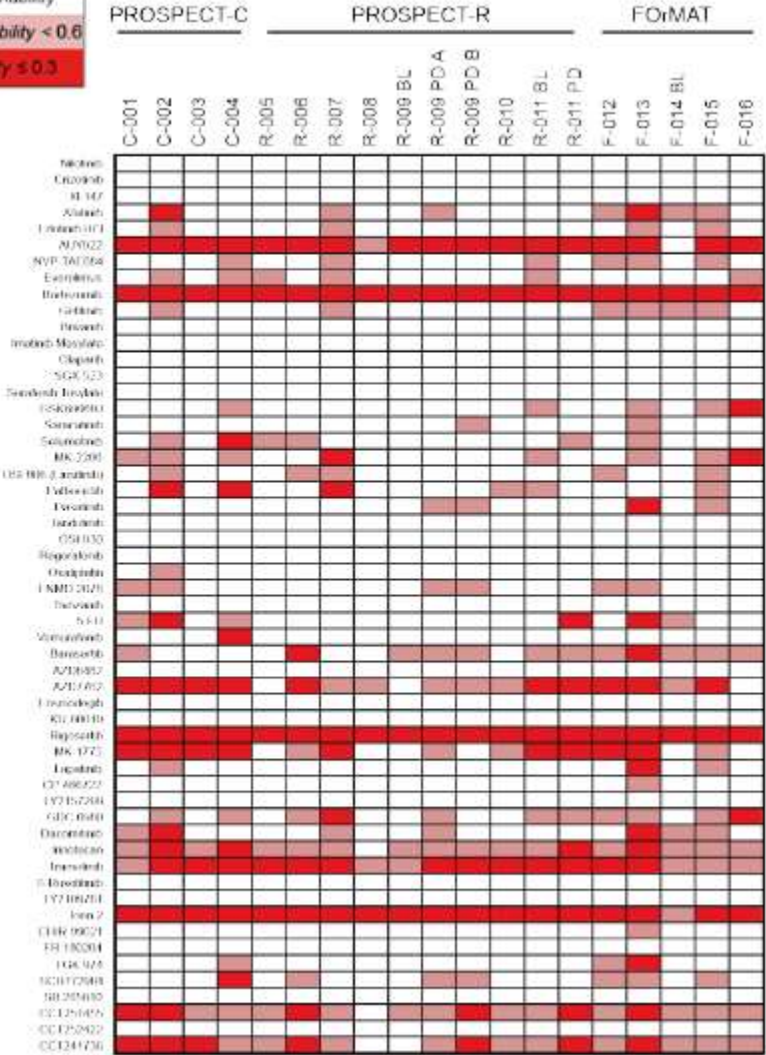
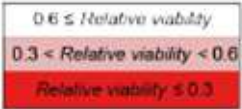
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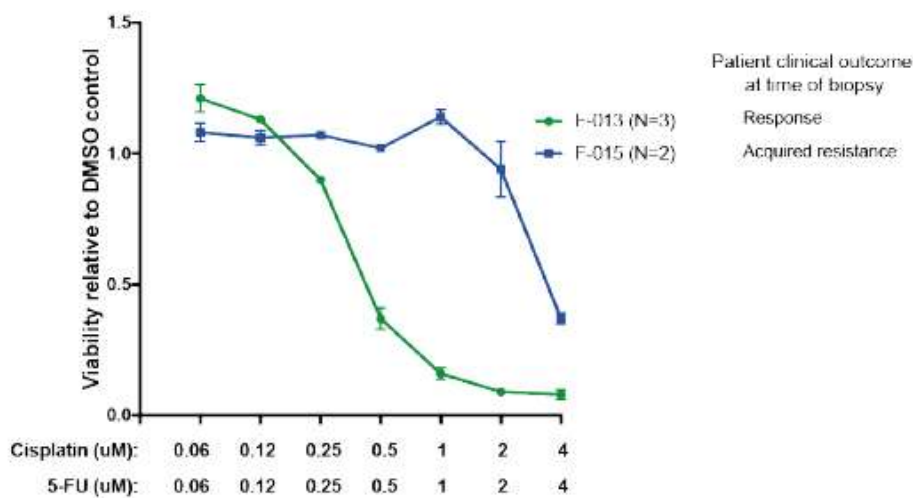
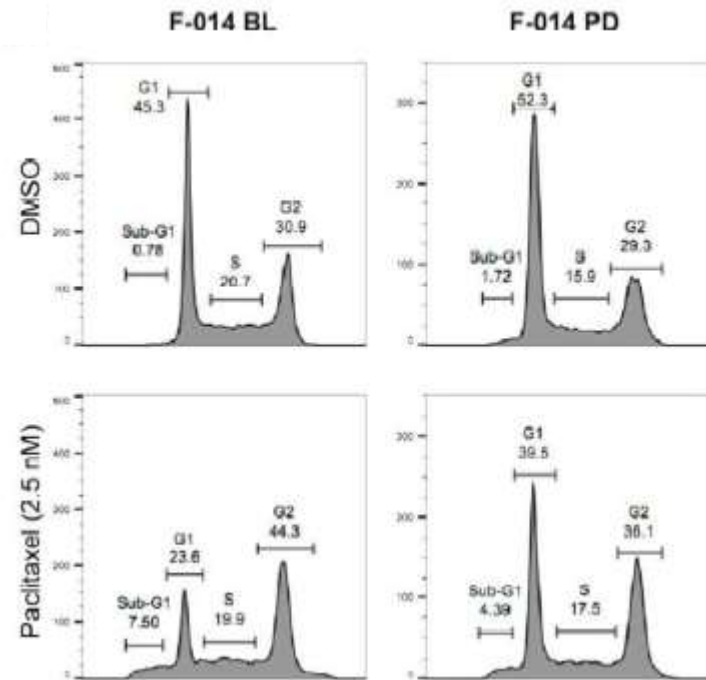
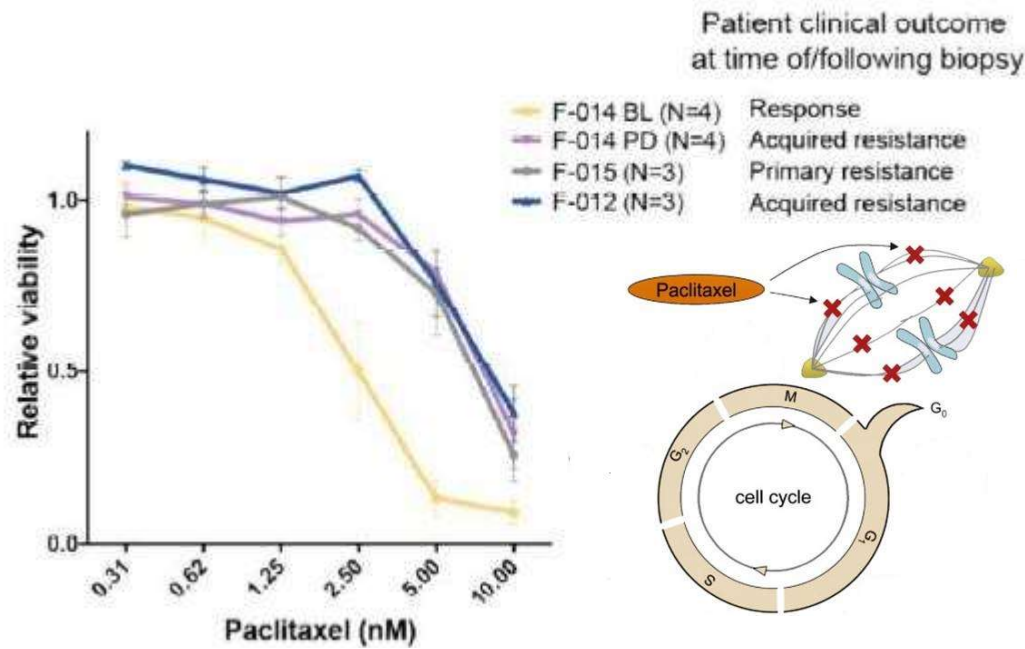
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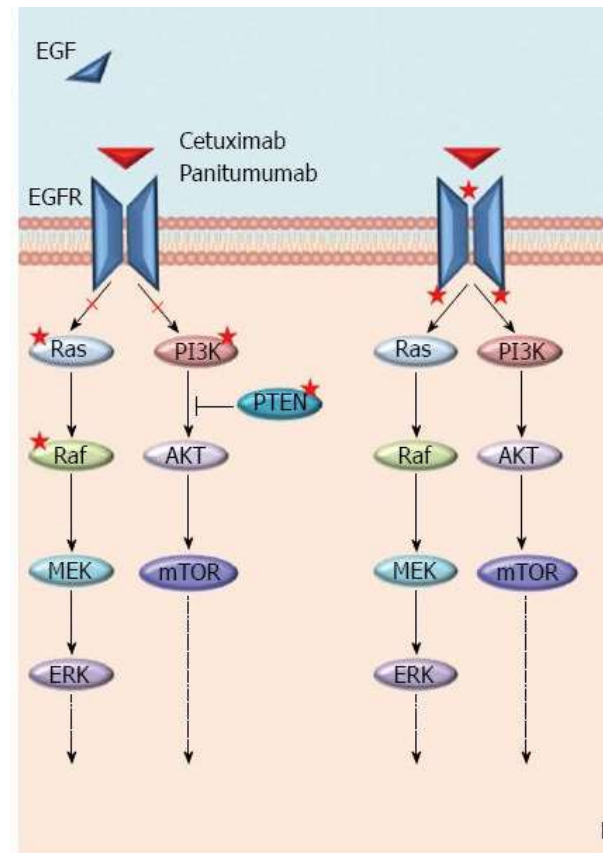
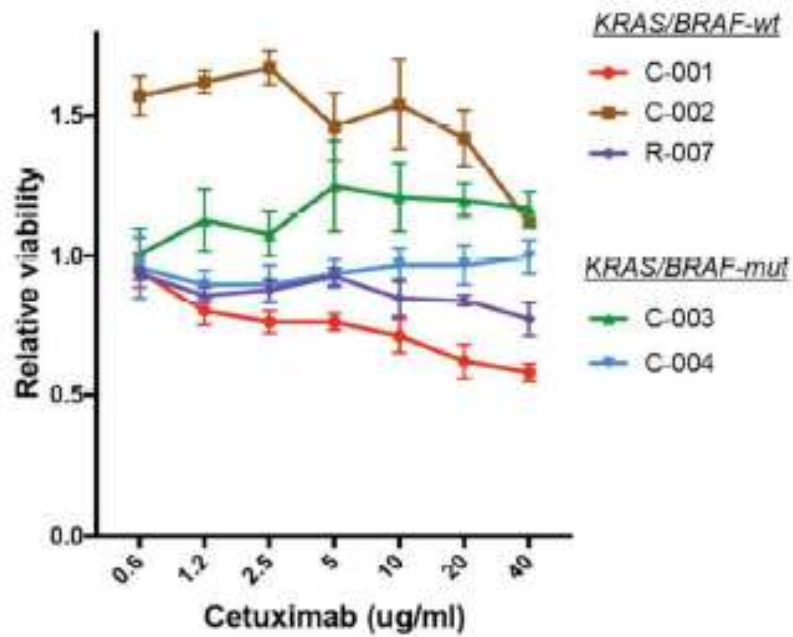


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