

Cerebellar brain slice model

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SCOPE OF THE METHOD

Alternative method relates to	Animal health, Human health
Alternative method is situated in	Basic Research
Type of alternative method	In vitro - Ex vivo
This method makes use of	Animal derived cells / tissues / organs
Species from which cells/tissues/organs are derived	Mus Musculus
Type of cells/tissues/organs	Brain (cerebellum)

DESCRIPTION

Method keywords

brainslices

cell culture

isolation

mouse

Scientific area keywords

basic research

fundamental research

neuroscience

myelin

Method description

This method describes the steps from a living mouse to a multicellular brain slice model where complex cellular interactions can be evaluated

Lab equipment

Method status

Still in development

PROS, CONS & FUTURE POTENTIAL

Advantages

By maintaining brain morphology and ultrastructurally the brain cells present, a complex multicellular system is being formed where the interplay between different cells can be evaluated to identify novel remyelinating therapeutics, targets,...

Challenges

Interspecies differences, terminal experiment for the lab animal, requires a training period due to the susceptibility of the brain slices to cell death

REFERENCES, ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS AND OTHER INFORMATION

Associated documents

[Cerebellar brain slices.docx](#)

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