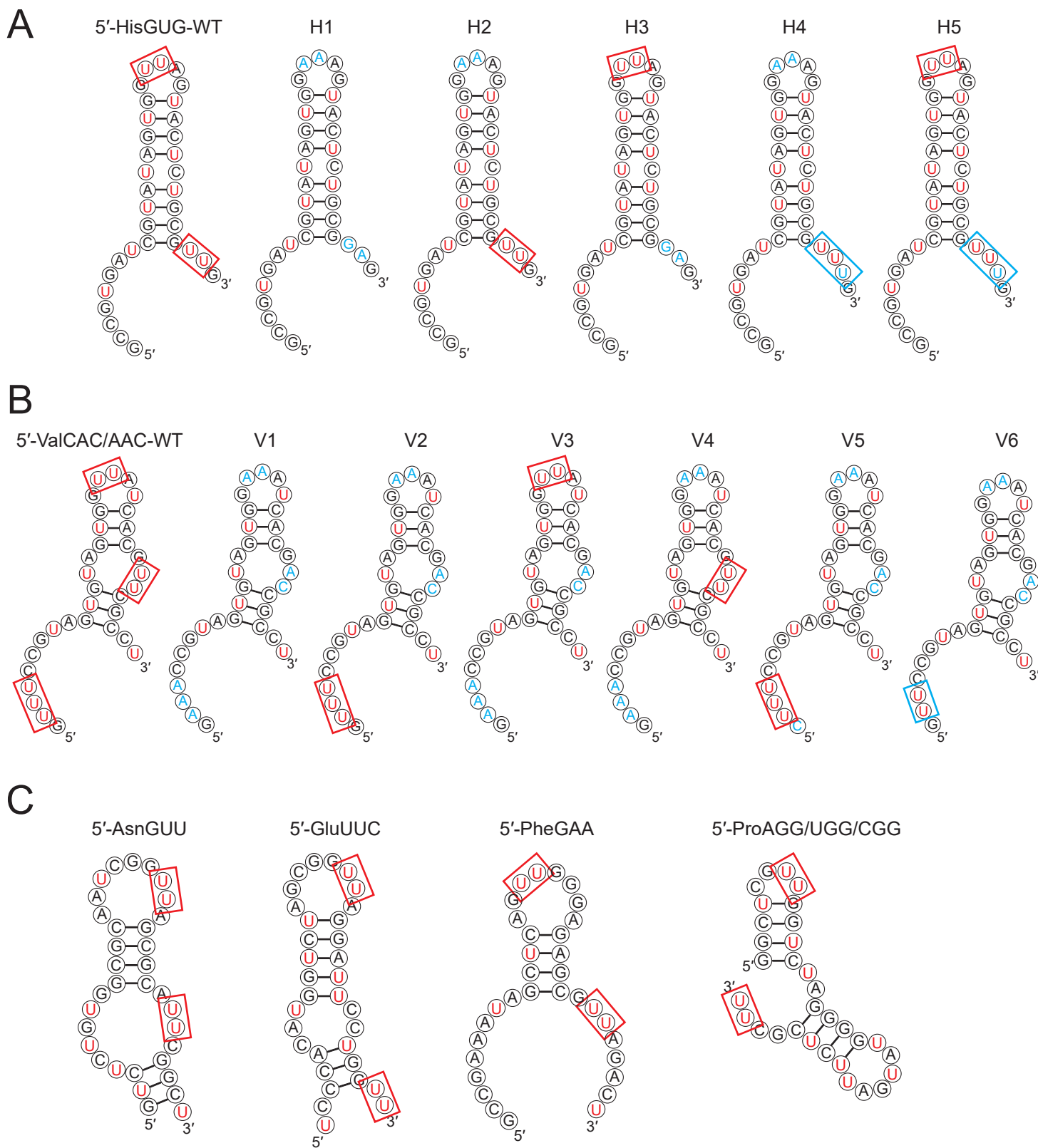


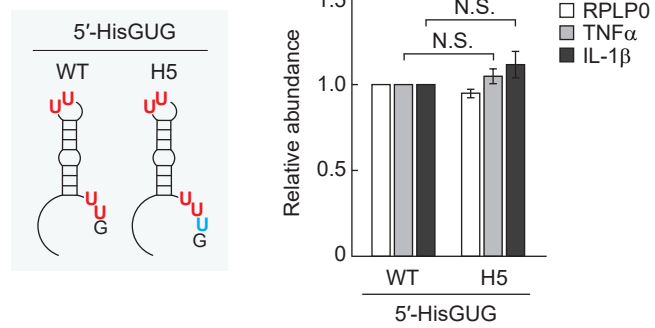
**Figure S1. The activity of the 5'-tRNA<sup>GlyGCC/CCC</sup> half**

After RNA transfection into HMDMs using DOTAP, culture medium was subjected to measurement of concentration of the indicated cytokines. Error bars indicate mean  $\pm$  SD of triplicate measurements.



**Figure S2. Secondary structure of 5'-tRNA halves and their mutants**

(A-C) Secondary structures of the 5'-tRNA<sup>HisGUG</sup> half and its mutants (A) or the 5'-tRNA<sup>ValCAC/AAC</sup> half and its mutants (B), and other 5'-tRNA halves which possess more than two successive Us in the single-stranded regions (C) are shown. The presence of successive Us are highlighted (Us are shown in red), and the mutated nucleotides are shown in blue.



**Figure S3. The activity of the mutant 5'-tRNA<sup>HisGUG</sup> half**

The wild-type and H5 mutant of 5'-tRNA<sup>HisGUG</sup> half were subjected to DOTAP-mediated transfection into HMDMs. Total RNAs from the cells were subjected to RT-qPCR for the indicated mRNAs.

**Supplementary Table 1. Abundant 5'-tRNA half species in sequencing data of HMDM-secreted EVs**

No.	Sequence (5'-3')	Length (nt)	Isoacceptor	% to total 5'-tRNA half reads	
				Library 1	Library 2
#1	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCU*	33	ValCAC/AAC	17.84	17.43
#2	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCUC	34	ValCAC	14.24	13.35
#3	GCCGUGAUCGUAGUAGUGGUUAGUACUCUGCGUUG*	34	HisGUG	10.93	14.80
#4	GCAUUGGUGGUUCAGUGGUAGAAUUCUCGCCU*	32	GlyGCC/CCC	9.63	5.08
#5	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCUCAC	36	ValCAC	3.56	4.21
#6	GCAUGGGUGGUUCAGUGGUAGAAUUCUCGCCU	32	GlyGCC	2.95	1.31
#7	UCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGCUCUC	36	GluCUC	2.55	2.57
#8	GCAUUGGUGGUUCAGUGGUAGAAUUCUCGCC	31	GlyGCC/CCC	2.54	1.94
#9	UCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGCU	33	GluCUC	2.51	3.06
#10	GCAUUGGUGGUUCAGUGGUAGAAUUCUCGCCUGC	34	GlyGCC	2.48	2.37
#11	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUCAUCACGUUCGCCU	33	ValAAC	2.46	3.87
#12	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUCAUCACGUUCGCCUAAC	36	ValAAC	2.35	2.62
#13	GUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCUAAC	36	ValAAC	2.28	2.88
#14	UCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGCUCU	35	GluCUC	1.88	1.77
#15	UCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGC	32	GluCUC	1.67	2.49
#16	UCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGCUC	34	GluCUC	1.14	1.04
#17	GCUUCUGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCU	33	ValCAC	1.02	1.15

The sequences with asterisk (#1, #3, and #4) were selected and analyzed.

**Supplementary Table 2. Ratio of the 5'-tRNA half reads derived from respective tRNA isoacceptors in HMDM Evs**

No.	Isoacceptor	% to total 5'-tRNA half reads	
		Library 1	Library 2
#1	ValCAC/AAC	47.25	48.92
#2	GlyGCC/CCC	20.07	13.69
#3	HisGUG	13.61	18.29
#4	GluCUC	9.94	11.08
#5	GluUUC	4.62	2.97
#6	LysCUU	2.56	3.30
#7	MetCAU	0.71	0.76
#8	AspGUC	0.58	0.27
#9	ProUGG	0.12	0.06
#10	ProAGG	0.11	0.06
	Others	0.42	0.58
	Total	100.00	100.00

**Supplementary Table 3. Sequences of synthetic RNAs used in this study**

RNA	Sequence (5'–3')	Licence plate	tDRname
5'-AsnGUU	GUCUCUGUGGCGCAAUCGGUUAAGCGCAUUCGGCU	tRF-34-S998LOW3VHJ9IW	tDR-1:33-Asn-GTT-3
5'-GluUUC	UCCCAUAUGGUUAGCGGUUAGGAUUCUGGUU	tRF-33-86J8WPMN1E8Y0E	tDR-1:33-Glu-TTC-2
5'-GlyGCC/CCC	GCAUUGGUGGUUACAGUGGUAGAAUUCUCGCCU	tRF-32-PNR8YP9LON4V3	tDR-1:33-Gly-CCC-1-M4
5'-HisGUG	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGUUAGUACUCUGCGUUG	tRF-34-PW5SVP9N15WV2P	tDR-1:34-His-GTG-1
5'-HisGUG-H1	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGAAAGUACUCUGCGGAG	nlr-34-PW5SVP9B15WV1S	N/A
5'-HisGUG-H2	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGAAAGUACUCUGCGUUG	nlr-34-PW5SVP9B15WV2P	N/A
5'-HisGUG-H3	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGUUAGUACUCUGCGGAG	nlr-34-PW5SVP9N15WV1S	N/A
5'-HisGUG-H4	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGAAAGUACUCUGCGUUUG	nlr-35-PW5SVP9B15WV7Y	N/A
5'-HisGUG-H5	GCCGUGAUCGUUAGUGGUUAGUACUCUGCGUUUG	nlr-35-PW5SVP9N15WV7Y	N/A
5'-PheGAA	GCCGAAUAGCUCAGUUGGGAGAGCGUUAGACU	tRF-33-PUDP4PZKFJ7PW	tDR-1:33-Phe-GAA-1-M2
5'-ProAGG/UGG/CGG	GGCUCGUUGGUCUAGGGGUAUGAUUCUCGCUU	tRF-32-6978WPRLXN4VQ	tDR-1:33-Pro-AGG-1-M5
5'-ValCAC/AAC	GUUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCU	tRF-33-79MP9P9NH57SD3	tDR-1:33-Val-AAC-1-M6
5'-ValCAC/AAC modification	GUUUCCGUAGUGΨAGDGGDDAUCACm <sup>2</sup> GΨUCGCCU	tRF-33-79MP9P9NH57SD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V1	GAAACCGUAGUGUAGUGGAAUUCACGACCGCCU	nlr-33-ODMP9P9BH5OSD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V2	GUUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGAAUUCACGACCGCCU	nlr-33-79MP9P9BH5OSD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V3	GAAACCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGACCGCCU	nlr-33-ODMP9P9NH5OSD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V4	GAAACCGUAGUGUAGUGGAAUUCACGUUCGCCU	nlr-33-ODMP9P9BH57SD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V5	CUUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGAAUUCACGACCGCCU	nlr-33-N9MP9P9BH5OSD3	N/A
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V6	GUUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGAAUUCACGACCGCCU	nlr-32-7RS3S36B8H0V3	N/A
FL-ValCAC	GUUUCCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCUCACACGCGAAAGGUCCCCGGUUCGAAACCGGGCGGAAACACCA	N/A	N/A
miR-122-5p	UGGAGUGUGACAAUGGUGUUUG	iso-22-909U247NP	N/A
miR-548ah-5p	AAAAGUGAUUGCAGUGUUUG	iso-20-BOXNP37Y	N/A
miR-552-5p	GUUUAACCUUUUGCCUGUUGG	iso-21-7X0ZZ19Y0	N/A
Spike-in	GGGAGGCAAGCCCGACGUCGUCCAGAUUGUCCGC	nlr-34-R0P0KUMS8PIW1M	N/A
ssRNA40	GCCCGUCUGUUGUGUGACUC	nlr-20-PSWW9WO9	N/A
ssRNA41	GCCCGACAGAGAGACAC	nlr-20-PS02F2O5	N/A
AS-oligo	mA*mG*mG*mC*mG*mA*mA*mC*mG*mU*mG*A*T*A*A*C*C*A*C*T*A*C*A*mC*mU*mA*mC*mG*mG*mA*mA*mA*mC	N/A	N/A
Ctrl-oligo	mC*mA*mA*mA*mA*mG*mU*mC*mU*mC*A*A*A*G*C*A*C*C*C*G*C*A*A*mG*mC*mU*mU*mA*mA*mA*mG*mG*mG	N/A	N/A

Mutated nucleotides are shown in blue.

**Supplementary Table 4. The most abundant sequences of EV-5'-tRNA halves derived from the respective isoacceptors and the presence of successive Us**

Sequence (5'-3')	Length (nt)	% to total 5'-half reads	Isoacceptor	UU(U) in single-stranded regions	
				Loop	Other
GGGGAUUAGCUCAAAUGGUAGAGCGCUCGCUU	33	0.0007	AlaAGC	1	1
GGGGAUGUAGCUCAGUGGUAGAGCGCGCGC	30	0.0025	AlaCGC	0	0
GGGGAUGUAGCUCAGUGGUAGAGCGCAUGCUUUGCAC	37	0.0001	AlaUGC	0	1
GGGCCAGUGGCGCAAUGGAUAACGCGUCUGACU	33	0.0055	ArgACG	0	0
GACCCAGUGGCCUAAUGGAUAAGGCAUCAGCCU	33	0.0116	ArgCCG	0	0
GCCCCAGUGGCCUAAUGGAUAAGGCACUGGCCUCCU	36	0.0003	ArgCCU	0	0
GACCGCGUGGCCUAAUGGAUAAGGCGUCUGACU	33	0.0047	ArgUCG	0	0
GGCUCGUGGCGCAAUGGAUAGCGCAUUGGACU	33	0.0297	ArgUCU	0	1
GUCUCUGUGGCGCAAUCGGUUAGCGCAUUCGGCU*	34	0.0021	AsnGUU	2	0
UCCUCGUUAGUAUAGUGGUGAGUAUCCCGCCUGUC	36	0.4176	AspGUC	0	1
GGGGUUAUAGCUCAGUGGGUAGAGCAUUUGACU	33	0.0003	CysGCA	0	1
GGUUCUAGUGGUAAUGGUUAGCACUCUGGACUCU	35	0.0190	GlnCUG	1	1
GGCCCCAUGGUGUAAUGGUUAGCACUCUGGACU	33	0.0006	GlnUUG	1	0
UCCCUGGUGGUCUAGUGGUUAGGAUUCGGCGCU	33	3.0580	GluCUC	0	2
UCCCACAUGGUCUAGCGGUUAGGAUUCUGGUU*	33	1.0244	GluUUC	1	2
GCAUUGGUGGUUCAGUGGAUAAGAUUCUGCCU*	33	9.6276	GlyGCC/CC	0	3
GCGUUGGUGGUUAGUGGUGAGCAUAGCUGCCUCC	36	0.0008	GlyUCC	0	2
GCCGUAUCGUUAGUGGUUAGUACUCUGCGUUG*	34	14.7964	HisGUG	1	1
GGCCGGUUAAGCUCAGUCGGCUAGAGCGUGGUCUA	35	0.0002	IleAAU	0	1
GGUAGCGUGGCCGAGCGGUCUAGGCGCUGGAUU	34	0.0025	LeuAAG	0	1
GUCAGGAUGGCCGAGUGGUCUAGGCGCCAGAC	33	0.0013	LeuCAA	0	0
GUCAGGAUGGCCGAGCGGUCUAGGCGCUGCGUUC	35	0.1067	LeuCAG	0	1
GUUAAGAUGGCAGAGCCUGGUUAGCAUAAAACUUA	37	0.0235	LeuUAA	0	3
GGUAGUGUGGCCGAGCGGUCUAGGCGCUGGAUU	34	0.0004	LeuUAG	0	1
GCCCCGCUAGCUCAGUCGGUAGAGCAUGAGACU	33	0.8703	LysCUU	0	0
GCCCCGAUAGCUCAGUCGGUAGAGCAUCAGACU	33	0.0441	LysUUU	0	0
AGCAGAGUGGCGCAGCGGAAGCGUGCUGGGCCC	33	0.4089	MetCAU	0	0
GCCGAAUAGCUCAGUUGGGAGAGCGUUAAGACU*	33	0.0003	PheGAA	1	1
GGCUCGUUGGUCUAGGGGUUAGAUUCUCGCUU*	32	0.2057	ProAGG/UGG/CGG	1	2
GCCCCGAUAGUCCUAGUGGUCUGGGGUGCAGGCUUC	37	0.0300	SeCUCA	0	1
GUAGUCGUGGCCGAGUGGUUAGGCGAUGGAC	32	0.0001	SerAGA	1	0
GCUUGAUGGCCGAGUGGUUAGGUGUUGGACU	33	0.0000	SerCGA	0	2
GACGAGGUGGCCGAGUGGUUAGGCGAUGGAC	32	0.0004	SerGCU	0	1
GCAGCGAUGGCCGAGUGGUUAGGCGUUGGACUUGA	36	0.0000	SerUGA	0	3
GGCAGAGUGGUGCAGCGGAAGCGUCUGGGC	31	0.0001	ThrCGU	0	0
GGCUCUAGCUCAGGGGUUAGAGCACUGGUCU	33	0.0021	ThrUGU	1	0
GACCUUGGUGCGCAACGGUAGCGGUCUGACUCC	34	0.0012	TrpCCA	0	0
CCUUCGAUAGCUCAGCUGGUAGAGCGGAGACUGUAG	37	0.0000	TyrGUA	0	1
GUUUCGUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUUCGCCU*	33	16.6442	ValCAC/AAC	2	1
GGUUCUAGUGUAGUGGUUAUCACGUCUGCUUU	34	0.0568	ValUAC	1	2

The sequences with asterisk were selected and analyzed.

**Supplementary Table 5. Primer sequences for the synthesis of dsDNA templates that were used for *in vitro* RNA synthesis**

RNA	Primer	Sequence (5'-3')
5'-AsnGUU	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTCTCTGTGGCGCAA
	Reverse	mAmGCCGAATGCGCTAACCGATTGCGCCACAGAGAC
5'-GluUUC	Forward	CCTGCAGTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACCATGTGGGACTGATGAGTCCGTGAGGACGAAACG
	Reverse	mAmACCAGGAATCCTAACCGCTAGACCATGTGGGAGACGGGTACCGGTACCGTTTCGTCC
5'-GlyGCC/CCC	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCATTGGTGGTTACG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGAGAATTCTACCACTGAACCACCAATGC
5'-HisGUG	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmAACGCAGAGTACTAACCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-HisGUG-H1	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmUCCGCAGAGTACTTTCCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-HisGUG-H2	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmAACGCAGAGTACTTTCCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-HisGUG-H3	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmUCCGCAGAGTACTAACCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-HisGUG-H4	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmAAACGCAGAGTACTTTCCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-HisGUG-H5	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGTGATCGTATAG
	Reverse	mCmAAACGCAGAGTACTAACCACTATACGATCACGGC
5'-PheGAA	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCGAAATAGCTCAG
	Reverse	mAmGTCTAACGCTCTCCCACTGAGCTATTTTCGGC
5'-ProAGG/UGG/CGG	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGGCTCGTTGGTCTAG
	Reverse	mAmAGCGAGAATCATACCCTAGACCAACGAGCC
5'-ValCAC/AAC	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTTTCCGTAGTGTAG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGAACGTGATAACCACTACACTACGGAAC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V1	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGAAACCGTAGTGTAG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGGTTCGTGATTTCCACTACACTACGGTTTC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V2	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTTTCCGTAGTGTAG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGGTTCGTGATTTCCACTACACTACGGAAC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V3	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGAAACCGTAGTGTAG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGGTTCGTGATAACCACTACACTACGGTTTC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V4	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGAAACCGTAGTGTAG
	Reverse	mAmGGCGAACGTGATTTCCACTACACTACGGTTTC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V5	Forward	CCTGCAGTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGACTACGGAAAGCTGATGAGTCCGTGAGGAC
	Reverse	mAmGGCGGTTCGTGATTTCCACTACACTACGGAAAGACGGGTACCGGTACCGTTTCGTCC
5'-ValCAC/AAC-V6	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTTCCGTAGTGTAGT
	Reverse	mAmGGCGGTTCGTGATTTCCACTACACTACGGAAC
FL-ValCAC	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTTTCCGTAGTGTAGTGGTTATCACGTTCCGCTCACAC
	Reverse	mUmGGTGTTTCCGCCCGTTTCGAACCGGGGACCTTTCCGCTGTGAGGCG
miR-122-5p	Forward	CCTGCAGTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGATCACACTCCACTGATGAGTCCGTGAGGACGAAA
	Reverse	mCmAAACACCATTGTCACACTCCAGACGGGTACCGGTACCGTTTCGTCCCTC
miR-548ah-5p	Forward	CCTGCAGTAATACGACTCACTATAGGGAGAAATCACTTTTCTGATGAGTCCGTGAGGACGAAA
	Reverse	mCmAAACACTGCAATCACTTTTGACGGGTACCGGTACCGTTTCGTCCCTC
miR-552-5p	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGTTTAACTT
	Reverse	mCmCAACAGGCAAAAGGTTAAAC
ssRNA41	Forward	GCTTAATACGACTCACTATAGCCCGA
	Reverse	mGmUGTCTCTTCTGTCTGGGCTATAGT

All synthetic probes and primers used in this study were synthesized by Integrated DNA Technologies. "mN" designates 2'-O-methylated nucleotide.



**Supplementary Table 6. Sequences of TaqMan probes and primers for TaqMan RT-qPCR**

Target	Probe/primer	Sequence (5'–3')
5'-HisGUG	Forward	GCTCGCCGTGATCGTATAGT
	Reverse	GATCGTCCGACTGTAGAACTC
	TaqMan	/5HEX/TAGTACTCT/ZEN/GCGTTGGAACACTGCGTTTGC/3IABkFQ/
5'-ValCAC/AAC	Forward	GTTTCCGTAGTGTAGTGGT
	Reverse	GATCGTCCGACTGTAGAACTC
	TaqMan	/56-FAM/ACGTTCCGCC/ZEN/TGAACACTGCGTT/3IABkFQ/
5S rRNA	Forward	TACGGCCATACCACCCTGAAC
	Reverse	GATCGTCCGACTGTAGAACTC
	TaqMan	/56-FAM/CGGGTGCTG/ZEN/TAGGCTTTGAACACTGCGTT/3IABkFQ/
Spike-in	Forward	GAGGCAAGCCCGACGT
	Reverse	GATCGTCCGACTGTAGAACTC
	TaqMan	/56-FAM/GATTGTCCG/ZEN/CGAACACTGCGT/3IABkFQ/

TaqMan probes contain Hexachlorofluorescein (HEX), 6-carboxyfluorescein (FAM), ZEN, and Iowa Black (IABkFQ) as the fluorophore or quencher.

**Supplementary Table 7. Sequences of primers for standard RT-qPCR**

Target	Primer	Sequence (5'-3')
TNF $\alpha$	Forward	GAGCACTGAAAGCATGATCC
	Reverse	CGAGAAGATGATCTGACTGCC
IL-1 $\beta$	Forward	CAGGCTGCTCTGGGATTCTC
	Reverse	CCTGGAAGGAGCACTTCATCT
RPLP0	Forward	CTATCATCAACGGGTACAAACGAG
	Reverse	CAGATGGATCAGCCAAGAAGG
GAPDH	Forward	GTCTTCACCACCATGGAGAAGG
	Reverse	ATGATCTTGAGGCTGTTGTCAT