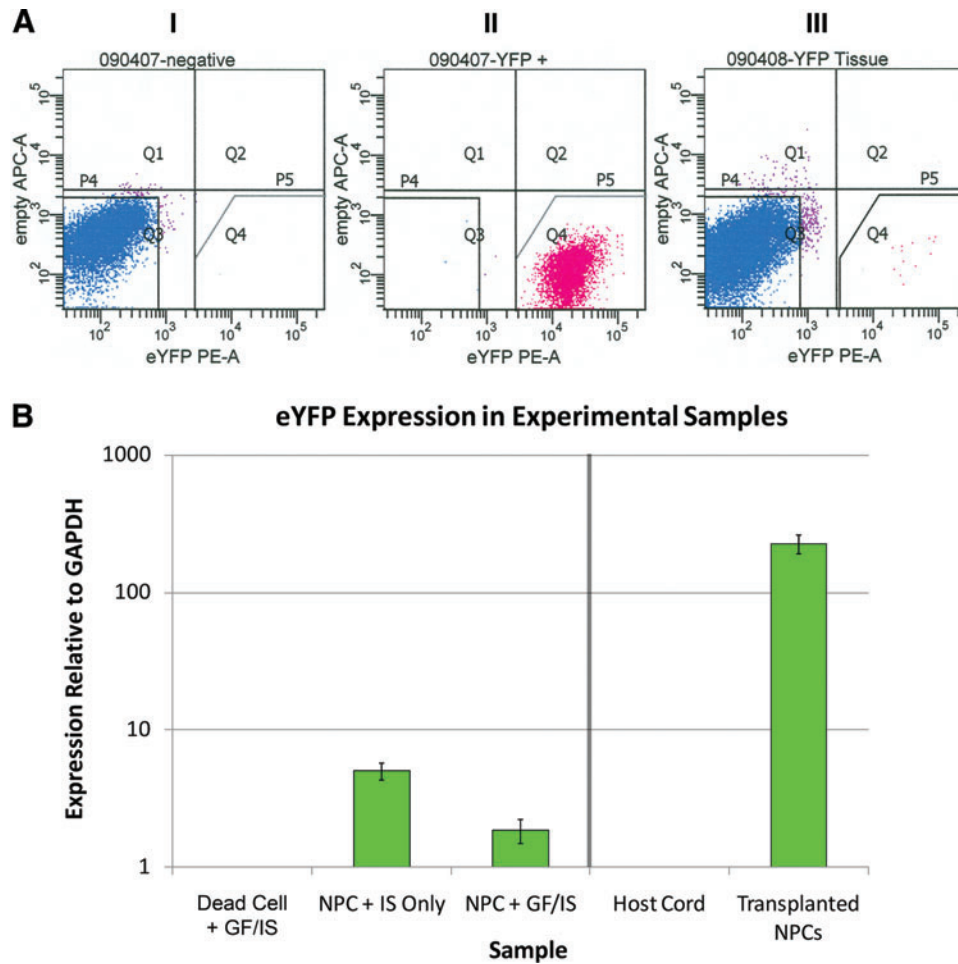


## Supplementary Data



**SUPPLEMENTARY FIG. S1.** Isolation of NPCs from transplanted tissue and verification of transplant success. **(A)** Isolation of *eYFP*-bearing cells using FACS is demonstrated. **I** and **II** denote negative and positive controls, respectively. **III** shows isolation of *eYFP* positive cells from a host spinal cord 1 week post-transplant. **(B)** *eYFP* expression data are shown for experimental specimens on a logarithmic scale. Specificity of *eYFP* primers is demonstrated by lack of expression in the *Dead Cell + GF/IS* group as well as the *eYFP* negative 'Host Cord' FACS specimen.

**Sample sizes:** *Dead Cell + GF/IS*  $n=4$ , *NPC + IS Only*  $n=3$ , *NPC + GF/IS*  $n=3$ ; qPCR was performed in quadruplicate. NPCs, neural precursor cells; *eYFP*, enhanced yellow fluorescent protein; FACS, fluorescent-activated cell sorting; qPCR, quantitative polymerase chain reaction.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE S1. SAMPLE SIZES

Group	Sample size (qPCR)	Sample size (Western blot)
Paradigm 1		
NPC transplanted	4	
Control	3	
Paradigm 2		
Uninjured	3	3
Injured no treatment	3	4
Injured + GF/IS	3	3
Dead Cell + GF/IS	4	3
NPC + IS Only	3	3
NPC + GF/IS	3	6
FACS	3	
Paradigm 3		
BMSC transplanted	3 <sup>a</sup>	
Control	3	

<sup>a</sup>For this group, 4 animals were transplanted; however, qPCR indicated unsuccessful transplantation for one animal. This animal was excluded from further trophin analysis.

NPC, neural precursor cell; BMSC, bone marrow stromal cell; FACS, fluorescence-activated cell sorting; qPCR, quantitative polymerase chain reaction.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE S2. EMPLOYED QUANTITATIVE POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION PRIMER SEQUENCES

Gene	Forward primer sequence	Reverse primer sequence
<i>GAPDH</i> <sup>a</sup>	GGCAAATTCAACGGCACA	GTTAGTGGGGTCTCGTCTCTG
<i>eGFP</i>	TGACCCTGAAGTTCATCTGCACCA	TCTTGTAGTTGCCGTCGTCTTGA
<i>eYFP</i>	GAA GTT CAT CTG CAC CAC CGG CAA G	GGTAGCTCAGGTAGTGGTTGTCTG
<i>NGF</i> <sup>a</sup>	ACTTCCAGGCCCATGGTACAATCT	TTGATGTCCGTGGCTGTGGTCTTA
<i>BDNF</i> <sup>a</sup>	TGGCAGTGCAGGAGGAATTTCTGA	GCAGAAGGCCTAAGCAACTTGACA
<i>NT3</i> <sup>a</sup>	ACTACGGCAACAGAGACGCTACAA	ATAGCGTTTCCCTCCGTGGTGATGT
<i>NT4/5</i> <sup>a</sup>	TGCGTCAGTACTTCTTCGAGACGC	TAGCCTTGCATTCTGAGAGCCAGT
<i>GDNF</i> <sup>a</sup>	AGAATTCCAGAGGGAAAGGTCGCA	TCCTCCTTGGTTTCGTAGCCCAAA
<i>CNTF</i> <sup>a</sup>	TACCAGTGGCAAGCACTGATCGTT	GGCAAAGGCAGAAACTTGGAGCAT
<i>PDGF-A</i> <sup>a</sup>	ATCCCCGAGTTTGCAAGACCA	CCAGATCAAGAAGTTGGCCGATGT
<i>EGF</i> <sup>a</sup>	TTTCATCCTTTGCCTGGTTGTGCC	AAATTTCCAGAGCCTAAGAGCCC
<i>bFGF</i> <sup>a</sup>	TTCAAGGATCCCAAGCGGCTCTA	TGTGGGTCGCTCTTCTCCC
<i>LIF</i> <sup>a</sup>	TGCCAATGGGACAGAGAAGACCAA	TACTTGTGTCACAGACGGCAAAGC
<i>IGF-1</i> <sup>a</sup>	TGGCACTCTGCTTGCTCACCTTTA	TTGGTCCACACACGAACTGAAGAG
<i>GGF2</i> <sup>a</sup>	TAGTCACAGCTGGAGTAATGGGCA	TGGCATGCCTGAGGAAGCTGTTAT
<i>TGF-β1</i> <sup>a</sup>	GTGGCCAGATCCTGTCCAAACTAA	CATTAGCACGCGGGTGACTTCTTT
<i>VEGF-A</i> <sup>a</sup>	TATTGCCGTCCAATTGAGACCCTG	GCACACAGGACGGCTTGAAGATATAC
<i>IL-1β</i>	AAGACACGGGTTCCATGGTGAAGT	TGGTACATCAGCACCTCTCAAGCA
<i>IL-6</i>	TGGCTAAGGACCAAGACCATCCAA	AGCACACTAGGTTTGCCGAGTAGA
<i>TNF-α</i>	ACCAGCAGATGGGCTGTACCTTAT	ATGAAATGGCAAATCGGCTGACGG

<sup>a</sup>Denotes that the primer sequence presented was previously published (Hawryluk et al., Stem Cells and Development, 2011).