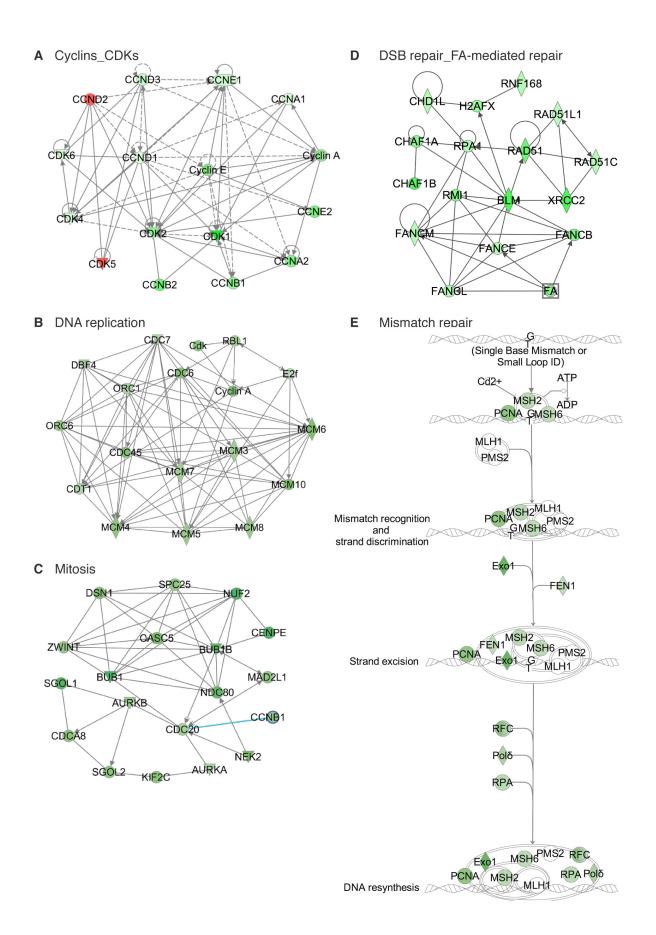
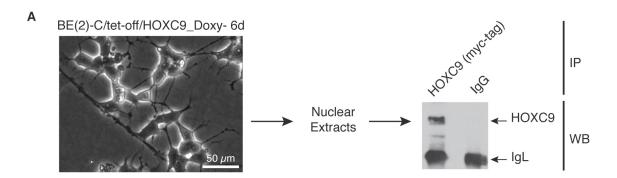
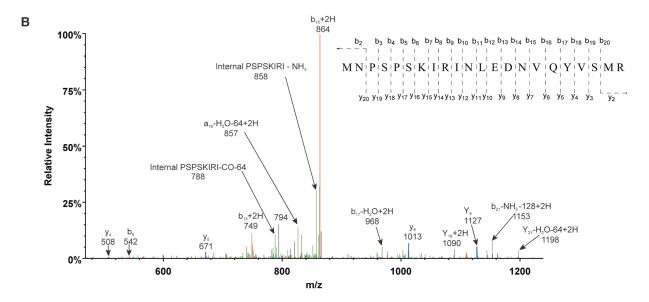


Figure S1 Global upregulation of neuronal genes by HOXC9. IPA of HOXC9-responsive neuronal genes, showing marked upregulation of genes important for the neurological process of neurons and the development of the sympathetic nervous system. Red color indicates a significant increase in expression with the color intensity being proportional to fold change. Solid lines indicate a direct relationship and dashed lines indicate an indirect interaction.



**Figure S2 Global downregulation of cell cycle and DNA damage response genes by HOXC9.** IPA of HOXC9-responsive genes, showing downregulation of cyclins and CDKs (**A**), and genes essential for DNA replication (**B**), mitosis (**C**), double-strand break (DSB) repair and Fanconi anemia (FA)-mediated repair (**D**), and mismatch repair (**E**). Red and green colors indicate a significant increase and decrease in expression, respectively, with the color intensity being proportional to fold change. Solid and dashed lines indicate direct and indirect interactions, respectively.

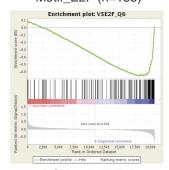




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PAPREDSITV	HIRSTNGPID	VYLCEVEQGQ	TSNKRSEGVG	TSSSESTHPE	GPEEEENPQQ
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## C HOXC9-responsive genes\_down Motif\_E2F (n=155)



NOM p=0; FDR=0

**Figure S3 Identification of E2F6 as a HOXC9-interacting protein.** (**A**) Schematic of experiment. Anti-myc-tag immunoprecipitation with nuclear extracts from BE(2)-C/Tet-Off/myc-HOXC9 cells cultured in the absence of doxycycline (Doxy) for 6 days. IP, immunoprecipitation; IB, immunoblotting. (**B**) Collision-induced fragmentation spectra of the E2F6 unique peptide MNPSPSKIRINLEDNVQYVSMR (+3 charge state). Insert shows all possible b and y peptide ions arising from the scission of all available peptide bonds of the E2F6 peptide. m/z, mass-to-charge ratio. (**C**) GSEA showing significant enrichment of E2F-binding motif among the genes downregulated by HOXC9.

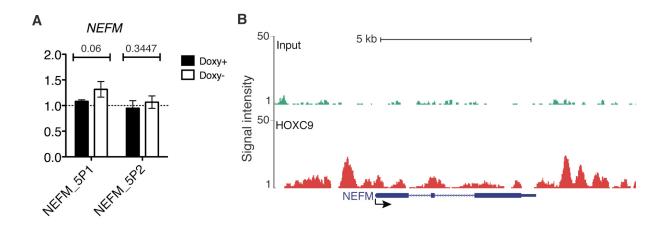


Figure S4 E2F6 does not bind to the neuronal HOXC9 target gene NEFM in vivo. (A) ChIP-qPCR analysis showing no E2F6 binding to the promoter of the neuronal gene NEFM in BE(2)-C/Tet-Off/myc-HOXC9 cells before (Doxy+) and after (Doxy-) HOXC9 induction. Dashed line indicates IgG control. Error bars represent SD (n = 3). Data were analyzed with unpaired, two-tailed Student's t-test and p values are indicated. (B) ChIP-seg tag profile showing HOXC9 binding to the NEFM locus.