

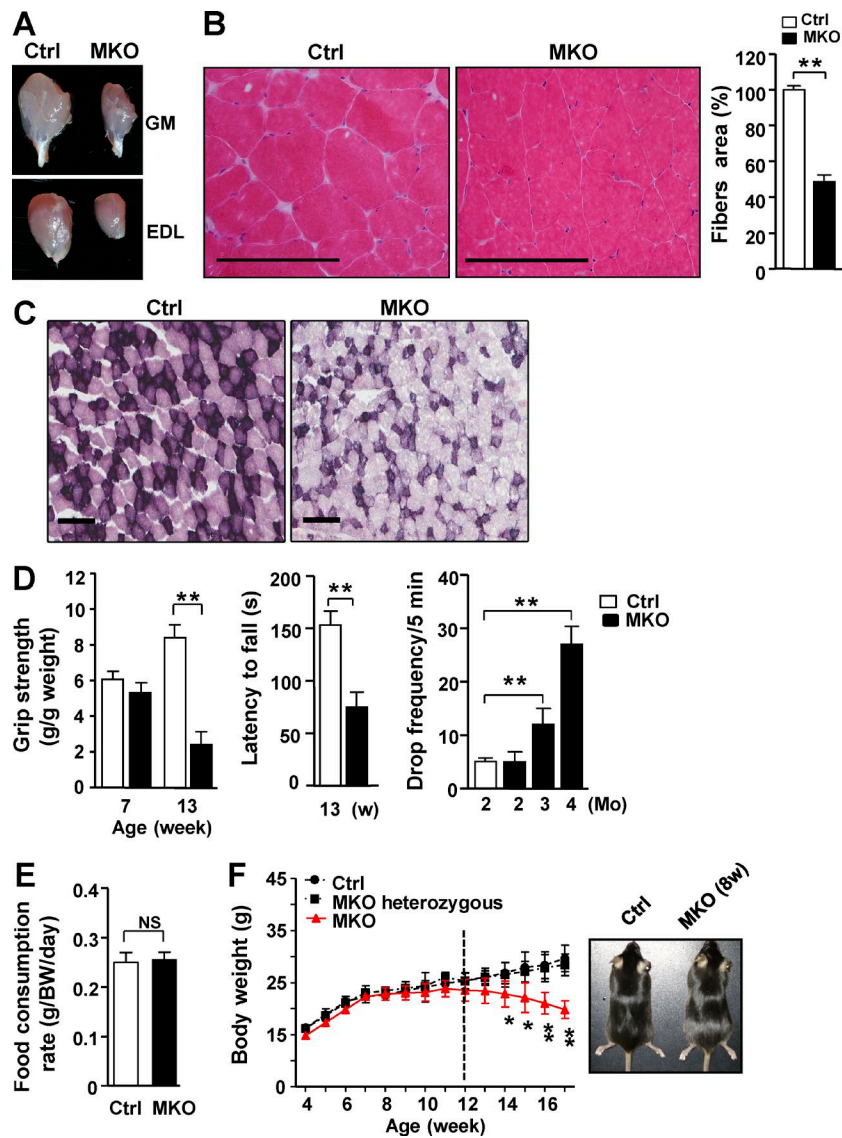
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Figure S1. **Muscle phenotypes and metabolic parameters of MKO mice fed a chow diet.** (A) Gross image of gastrocnemius muscle (GM; top) and extensor digitorum longus (EDL) muscle (bottom) from chow-fed 15-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice. (B) Hematoxylin and eosin staining of GM (left) and quantitation of GM fiber cross-sectional area in 15-wk-old Ctrl and MKO mice fed a chow diet. Bars, 100 μ m. (C) Succinate dehydrogenase staining in EDL muscle in 15-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice. Bars, 100 μ m. (D) Grip strength (13 wk, $n = 10$), latency to fall (13 wk, $n = 10$), and drop frequency of 2- to 4-mo-old male Ctrl and MKO mice ($n = 10$ per group). (E) Daily food intake on chow diet was measured in 8-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice. Mice were housed individually, and food weight was measured three times per week ($n = 10$ per group). (F) Body weight of male Ctrl, MKO heterozygous, and MKO mice on standard chow diet (left, $n = 10$ per group). Representative images of 8-wk-old mice (right). All data represent mean \pm SEM; *, $P < 0.05$; **, $P < 0.01$. N.S., not significant.

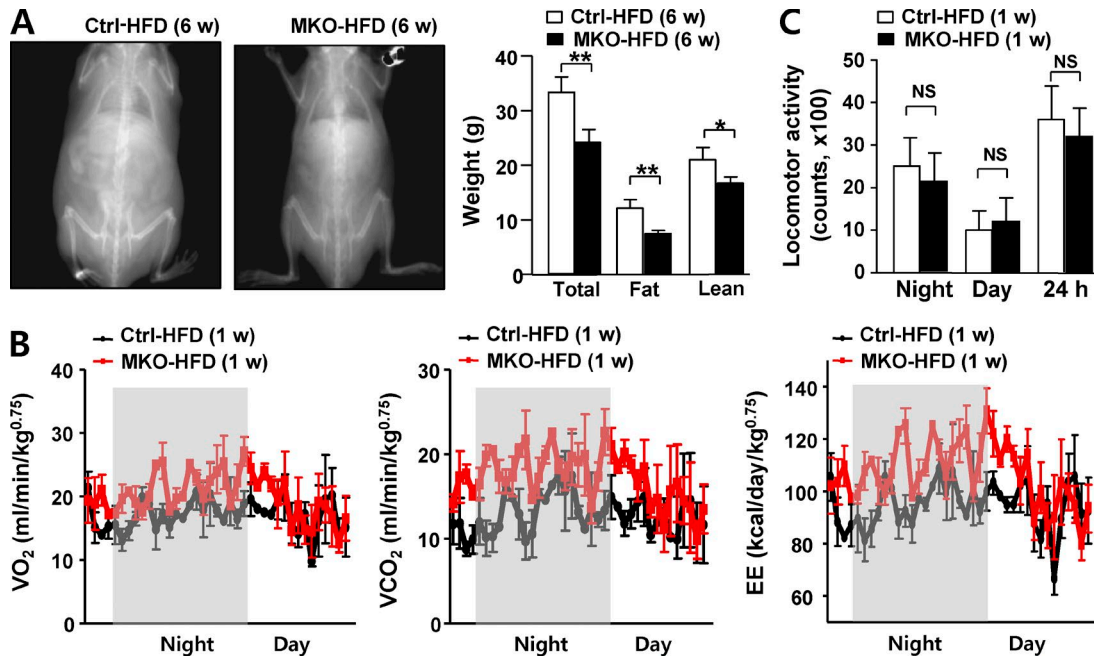


Figure S2. **Reduced muscle and fat mass and elevated EE in HFD-fed MKO mice.** (A) Representative dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry images (left) and body composition of HFD-fed 11-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice ($n = 10$ per group). 5-wk-old male mice were fed an HFD for 6 wk. (B) Oxygen consumption (VO_2), carbon dioxide generation (VCO_2), energy expenditure (EE), and locomotor activity (C) of 8-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice on 1 wk (short-term) HFD. Mice were analyzed by indirect calorimetry over a period of 12 h light/12 h dark cycles ($n = 5$ per group). Data represent mean \pm SEM. *, $P < 0.05$; **, $P < 0.01$. NS, not significant.

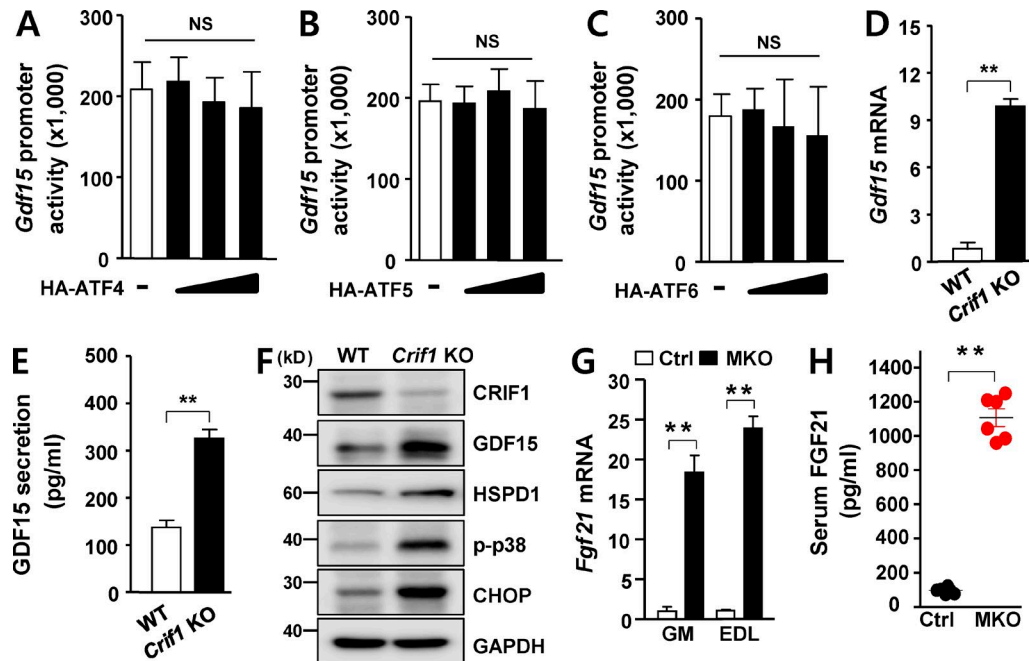


Figure S3. **ATF4/5/6-independent *GDF15* promoter activity and CHOP-dependent induction of *GDF15* in *Crif1*-deficient MEF cells.** (A–C) Promoter activity of *GDF15* in C2C12 myoblasts transiently cotransfected with a luciferase reporter driven by the human *GDF15* promoter (–1.7 kb) and mock control or expression vector for HA-tagged human ATF4 (A), human ATF5 (B), or human ATF6 (C). *Gdf15* mRNA expression (D) and *GDF15* secretion (E) in *Crif1*-knockout (KO) MEF cells. (F) Immunoblotting to detect CRIF1, *GDF15*, HSPD1, CHOP, and phospho-p38 T180/Y182 expression in *Crif1*-deficient MEF cells. All data represent mean \pm SEM. **, $P < 0.01$. NS, not significant. (G) *Fgf21* mRNA expression in GM and EDL muscle in 8-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice fed a chow diet ($n = 10$ per group). (H) Serum FGF21 concentration in chow-fed 8-wk-old male Ctrl and MKO mice in the fasting state ($n = 5$ –6 per group). All data represent mean \pm SEM. *, $P < 0.05$; **, $P < 0.01$.

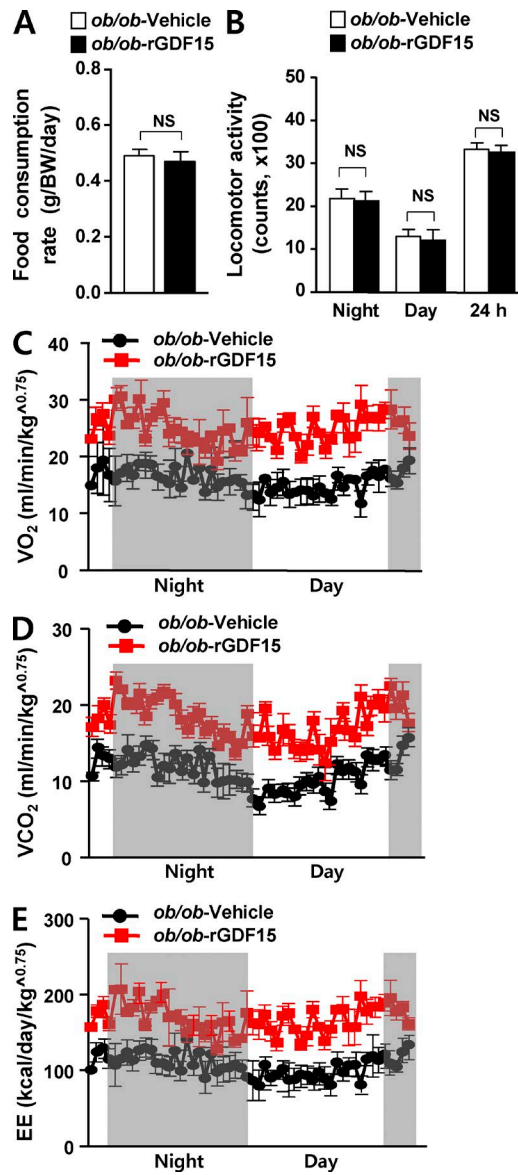


Figure S4. **rGDF15-treated *ob/ob* mice exhibit elevated EE.** Food intake (A), locomotor activity (B), oxygen consumption (VO_2 ; C), carbon dioxide generation (VCO_2 ; D), and energy expenditure (EE; E) of *ob/ob*-vehicle and *ob/ob*-rGDF15 mice. Male *ob/ob* mice were injected intraperitoneally three times per week for 3 wk with 0.5 mg/kg rGDF15 or vehicle. Mice were analyzed by indirect calorimetry over a period of 12 h light/12 h dark cycles ($n = 5$ per group). All data represent means \pm SEM. NS, not significant.

Table S1. List of primer sets used for quantitative RT-PCR analyses

| Gene | Forward (5'-3') | Reverse (5'-3') |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Clpp</i> | GCCATTCACCTGCCAATTC | TGCTGACTCGATCACCTGTAG |
| <i>Hspd1</i> | GAGCTGGGTCCCTCACTCG | AGTCGAAGCATTCTGCGGG |
| <i>Lonp1</i> | AGCCCTATGTTGGGCTCTTC | CCGGCTGATGTGAATCCTTCT |
| <i>Tid1</i> | GGAAGCAAGGATAGGCGAGA | GTTGACCGCTTCTCAGCAG |
| <i>Htra2</i> | TCCCCGGAGCCAGTACAAT | GAAAGGGTGCCGGTCTAGG |
| <i>Chop</i> | AACAGAGGTCAACAGCACAT | ACTTTCCGCTCGTTCTCCTG |
| <i>Aif4</i> | GGGTCTGTCTTCCACTCCA | AAGCAGCAGAGTCAGGCTTTC |
| <i>Grp78</i> | GTGTGTGAGACCAGAACCCT | AGTCAGGCAGGAGTCTTAGG |
| <i>Ppara</i> | CTCCCTCCTTACCCTTGGAG | GCCTCTGATCACCACCATT |
| <i>Acadv1</i> | TTACATGCTGAGTGCCAACAT | CGCCTCCGAGCAAAAGATT |
| <i>Acadvm</i> | TGACGGAGCAGCCAATGA | TCGTACCCTTCTTCTGCTT |
| <i>Hsl</i> | AGACACCAGCCAACGGATAC | GCGGTAGAAAGCCACATAGC |
| <i>Fasn</i> | TACGTAAGTGGCTACACCCAA | TGAACTGCTGCACGAAGAAGCAT |
| <i>Pparg</i> | ATCTTAACTGCCGGATCCAC | TGGTGATTTGTCGGTTGTCT |
| <i>Pgc1a</i> | TCACACCAAAACCACAGAAA | CTTGGGGTCATTTGGTGACT |
| <i>Cpt1a</i> | TATAACAGGTGGTTTGAC | CAGAGGTGCCAATGATG |
| <i>Cpt1b</i> | TCGCAGGAGAAAACCCATG | AACAGTGCTTGGCGGATGTG |
| <i>Cox1</i> | ATTCGAGCAGAATTAGGTCA | CTCCGATTATTAGTGGGACA |
| <i>Ndufa9</i> | ACTGTGTTTGGGGCTACAGG | GATTGATGACCACGTTGCTG |
| <i>Dio2</i> | AGAGTGGAGGCGCATGCT | GGCATCTAGGAGGAAGCTGTTT |
| <i>Ucp1</i> | AGGGCCCCCTTCATGAGGTC | GTGAAGGTGAGAAATGCAAGC |
| <i>Xbp1</i> | CAGCACTCAGACTATGTGCA | GTCCATGGGAAGATGTTCTGG |
| <i>Xbp1 spliced</i> | CTGAGTCCGAATCAGGTGCAG | GTCCATGGGAAGATGTTCTGG |
| <i>Gdf15</i> | GAGCTACGGGTGCGCTTC | GGGACCCCAATCTCACCT |
| <i>Fgf21</i> | AGATCAGGGAGGATGGAACA | TCAAAGTGAGGCGATCCATA |
| <i>Cidea</i> | ATCACAACTGGCCTGGTTACG | TACTACCCGGTGTCCATTTCT |
| <i>Atgl</i> | CCACCAACATCCACGAGCTT | TTCGAGAGGCGGTAGAGATTG |
| <i>18S</i> | CTGGTTGATCCTGCCAGTAG | CGACCAAAAGGAACCATAACT |
| <i>Gapdh</i> | GACATGCCCGCTGGAGAAAC | AGCCCAGGATGCCCTTTAGT |