

**Supplementary Figure 1:** Alignments of amino acid sequences of the major unfolded protein response proteins across human and mouse species. The identical amino acid sequences and protein functional domains across the species are highlighted. The protein sequence comparisons were done through NCBI Protein BLAST (<http://blast.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Blast.cgi>).

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**Supplementary Table 1: The full matrix of the unfolded protein response gene expression profiles in 26 tissues or organs of human and mouse species. Fold changes of gene expression levels in human or mouse tissues were determined by normalization to expression levels of the genes in cerebellum. The expression levels of individual genes in cerebellum were defined as 1**

	BIP	ATF6	ERN1	ERN2	XBP1	PERK	EIF2a	ATF4	CHOP	GADD34
<b>Human</b>										
Cerebellum	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Hypothalamus	4.74	1.28	1.33	0.79	0.81	1.60	1.36	1.64	1.52	1.26
Pituitary	10.30	1.60	1.43	1.17	3.64	2.59	1.41	1.21	1.49	1.95
Olfactory bulb	13.53	0.96	0.97	0.70	0.74	1.22	1.03	1.65	1.33	3.71
Retina	3.96	1.48	1.48	0.87	1.62	1.89	1.50	1.53	1.87	1.90
Spinal cord	3.44	1.30	1.30	0.85	0.71	1.32	1.33	1.35	1.67	1.60
Dorsa root ganglion	1.41	0.96	0.96	0.68	0.53	1.09	1.04	0.64	0.96	1.01
Bone marrow	2.59	1.26	1.23	0.84	3.79	1.33	1.05	0.91	1.23	3.42
Lymph node	3.72	1.10	1.07	0.76	4.12	3.08	0.87	1.46	1.05	1.46
Amygdala	3.50	1.26	1.26	0.76	0.97	3.89	1.28	0.61	1.19	1.40
Adrenal gland	1.43	1.05	1.04	0.85	2.15	1.61	1.05	1.13	1.22	1.46
Salivary gland	2.57	0.99	0.99	0.71	14.70	3.05	1.08	1.88	1.00	0.98
Adipose tissue	4.71	1.20	1.22	0.77	1.25	1.18	1.63	1.74	1.19	1.44
Pancreas	4.82	1.06	0.99	0.76	7.98	3.14	1.01	1.95	1.05	3.19
Small intestine	6.55	1.36	1.17	0.65	10.39	2.85	1.25	1.16	0.23	1.19
Large intestine	6.42	1.34	1.23	0.91	7.70	4.36	1.17	1.35	0.29	1.34
Liver	6.46	2.02	2.19	0.96	21.41	1.76	1.16	1.24	1.47	3.16
Kidney	1.66	1.06	1.01	0.70	1.30	0.98	0.84	0.45	1.30	1.09
Heart	1.21	1.70	1.58	1.06	2.10	1.75	1.19	0.46	1.43	3.14
Skeletal muscle	0.97	1.58	1.46	1.12	1.09	1.66	1.68	2.74	1.48	1.48
Lung	4.07	1.34	1.35	0.78	9.23	1.34	0.79	2.53	1.00	14.05
Prostate	6.78	1.36	1.43	1.10	27.92	6.15	1.14	2.30	0.63	2.23
Uterus	4.73	1.02	1.00	0.61	3.36	2.18	1.08	1.61	0.61	2.23
Ovary	2.55	0.89	0.81	0.54	1.19	0.90	0.96	0.85	0.76	1.09
Placenta	11.19	1.42	1.35	0.88	13.30	3.29	0.92	2.52	1.16	3.73
Testis	3.67	1.09	1.04	0.70	0.92	0.94	1.10	0.65	1.11	1.15
<b>Mouse</b>										
Cerebellum	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Hypothalamus	1.15	0.45	1.07	1.22	0.78	0.78	1.09	0.80	0.94	0.41
Pituitary	2.15	0.96	6.74	0.98	2.03	1.76	1.32	1.13	1.34	1.58
Olfactory bulb	0.61	0.91	0.92	0.98	0.55	0.85	0.97	0.84	1.23	0.85
Retina	0.94	1.05	1.95	0.98	0.19	0.95	0.60	1.53	0.82	0.22
Spinal cord	0.82	0.70	1.03	0.98	0.38	0.86	0.96	0.86	0.77	0.44
Dorsa root ganglion	0.79	0.87	1.02	0.99	0.52	1.16	1.86	0.93	1.38	1.32
Bone marrow	1.52	1.02	2.24	0.98	0.65	1.26	3.25	1.07	3.10	39.17
Lymph node	1.26	1.15	2.03	0.98	0.90	1.43	2.93	0.71	1.55	1.95
Amygdala	0.59	0.71	0.91	0.98	0.43	0.74	1.29	0.68	0.66	0.29
Adrenal gland	0.88	1.19	12.50	0.99	0.71	0.86	1.15	1.02	5.54	3.49
Salivary gland	2.10	2.36	5.35	1.50	3.83	2.21	1.54	2.09	2.73	1.06
Adipose tissue	1.69	1.38	3.00	0.98	1.31	0.97	1.79	0.81	1.25	0.71
Pancreas	1.64	3.91	6.81	1.69	5.33	3.90	1.63	2.60	1.02	0.65
Small intestine	1.86	1.53	2.26	38.23	1.65	1.37	1.99	1.05	1.66	0.29
Large intestine	1.33	1.51	2.14	304.80	1.24	1.46	1.60	0.80	1.26	0.85
Liver	2.54	3.17	5.14	1.22	1.80	0.85	2.24	0.81	0.50	0.82
Kidney	1.44	1.38	1.49	1.00	0.92	0.99	1.54	0.69	0.82	0.45
Heart	1.34	5.19	1.40	0.98	0.65	0.71	1.66	0.78	1.00	1.39
Skeletal muscle	0.75	1.15	1.17	2.51	0.46	1.00	2.16	1.09	0.81	2.45
Lung	1.53	1.88	1.90	0.98	1.54	1.02	1.28	1.05	1.48	4.62
Prostate	2.73	2.67	5.41	0.98	2.01	2.76	2.04	0.82	1.39	0.76
Uterus	1.00	1.00	2.38	0.98	1.14	0.88	2.23	0.83	1.02	1.69
Ovary	1.42	1.18	3.45	0.98	0.85	0.88	2.40	0.64	1.52	1.31
Placenta	3.66	2.58	4.50	0.98	1.29	1.77	2.86	1.35	3.31	11.83
Testis	0.89	0.34	1.01	0.98	0.10	0.61	4.06	0.70	2.97	0.26

**Supplementary Table 2: The t-statistics of expression of the major unfolded protein response genes in human disease tissues compared to normal control tissues. Data were extracted from the European Molecular Biology Laboratory-European Bioinformatics Institute database (<http://www.ebi.ac.uk/>)**

Diseases with UPR genes differentially regulated	t-statistic					
	BIP	PERK	XBP1	ERN2	ERN1	ATF6
Acute HIV-1 infection	-4	-3.6				
Adrenocortical carcinoma	-4	-3.3				
Acute malaria-infected	7.4		-3			
Breast carcinoma	6	5.7	-3.6	3.4	8	
Breast carcinoma	2.6	4.9	-6.4			3.4
Burkitts lymphoma			-4.8		4.2	
Chronic lymphocytic leukemia	-6.3	-7.1	2.7		-4.8	3.2
Chromophobe renal cell carcinoma			4.3			-3.6
Colon carcinoma	3.5			8.8		
Colorectal cancer				-8.4		6.1
Cryptorchidism	-5.9	3.7		-2.8		
Dermatomyositis		3.4			-4.9	3.1
Down syndrome		3.6	-2.9		-3.9	
Epilepsy		6.2		-3.1		
Esophageal adenocarcinoma	3.8			3.5		
Gastric carcinoma	3.8	-3.9	-4.5			
Glioblastoma	4.3	5.3		-3.4		-4.5
Freidreich's ataxia	3.4	3.4		3.4	3.4	
Huntington's disease		3.5				3
Intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma			-5.4		-3.6	
Leiomyosarcoma	-5.9	-5.1		3.8		
Liposarcoma	6					8
Lung adenocarcinoma	9.6	3.7	3.9	-3.3	-4.2	3.1
Lung adenocarcinoma	6.7					2.8
Malignant melanoma	8	4.3				3.2
Multiple myeloma	7	6.8				4.5
Muscle invasive carcinoma	4.6				-4.7	
Nasopharyngeal carcinoma				-2.9	-3.5	
Nephrosclerosis		3.3		-3.3		
Non-ischemic cardiomyopathy	3.1			-3.7		
Non-small cell lung cancer	8.4	6.6				-6.4
Oligodendrogloma	-4.2					3.2
Osteosarcoma		6.8		4.5		4.3
Overian serous carcinoma	-3.4	-3.5		3.7	3.8	-4.7
Pancreatic cancer	3.7	-4.4		4.3	-3	
Periodontitis	3.2	7.6			3.5	8.2
Pituitary cancer	-3.5					7.6
Prostate cancer	-3.2					-4.5
Prostate carcinoma	-3	3.6				
Psoriasis	-4.8				2.4	
Rheumatoid arthritis	3.3				-3.6	
T-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia	-3.1	3.1		-3.7	6	4
Testicular agenesis	-3.8			3.3		
Testicular seminoma		10	10			-2.5
X-linked chronic granulomatous	-5.9			2.6		