Hyaluronic acid based extracellular matrix regulates surface expression of GluN2B containing NMDA receptors

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Supplementary Figure S1: Isolation of NMDA receptor mediated currents A) sEPSCs under control conditions, driven by AMPARs and NMDA receptors. Large burst-like events alternated with periods with single events (see magnification) which were analyzed. There was no change in amplitude, rise time or decay time (tau1) in these AMPAR dominated events. B) mEPSCs under control conditions. C) sEPSCs in presence of CNQX, driven by NMDA receptors. Single peaks with large amplitudes were detected and analyzed, which were abolished by APV. D) Ifenprodil had no significant effect on charge transfer before hyaluronidase treatment (Ctl: 1,0 \pm 0.02; Ctl-Ifenprodil: 0.92 \pm 0,09; Hya: 1.39 \pm 0,09; Hya-Ifenprodil: 0.96 \pm 0.05, P = 0.0006, Unpaired Student's t-test).

Supplementary Material



Supplementary Figure S2: Regulation of surface expression of GluN1 and GluN2A subunits. A) Dissociated hippocampal neurons were co-stained for surface expressed GluN1 subunit of the NMDA receptor and the excitatory synapse protein shank2. Quantification of fluorescence intensity at shank2 positive synapses revealed a significant increase of GluN1 subunit after 12 h hyaluronidase treatment (Ctl: 1.00 ± 0.06 , n = 28; Hya: 1.18 ± 0.09 , n = 27, P = 0.024, Unpaired Student's t-test). B) Quantification of synaptic GluN2A subunit co-stained with shank2 revealed no difference between Hya treated and control cells (Ctl: 1.00 ± 0.05 , n = 10; Hya: 1.01 ± 0.08 , n = 10). C+D) Quantification of endocytosed GluN1 and GluN2A subunits revealed decreased endocytosis for GluN1 but no change for GluN2A after hyaluronidase treatment (GluN1 Ctl: 1.00 ± 0.04 , n = 13; Hya: 0.82 ± 0.08 n = 6, P = 0.04; GluN2A Ctl: 1.00 ± 0.08 , n = 10; Hya: 1.09 ± 0.10 n = 8; Unpaired Student's t-test).