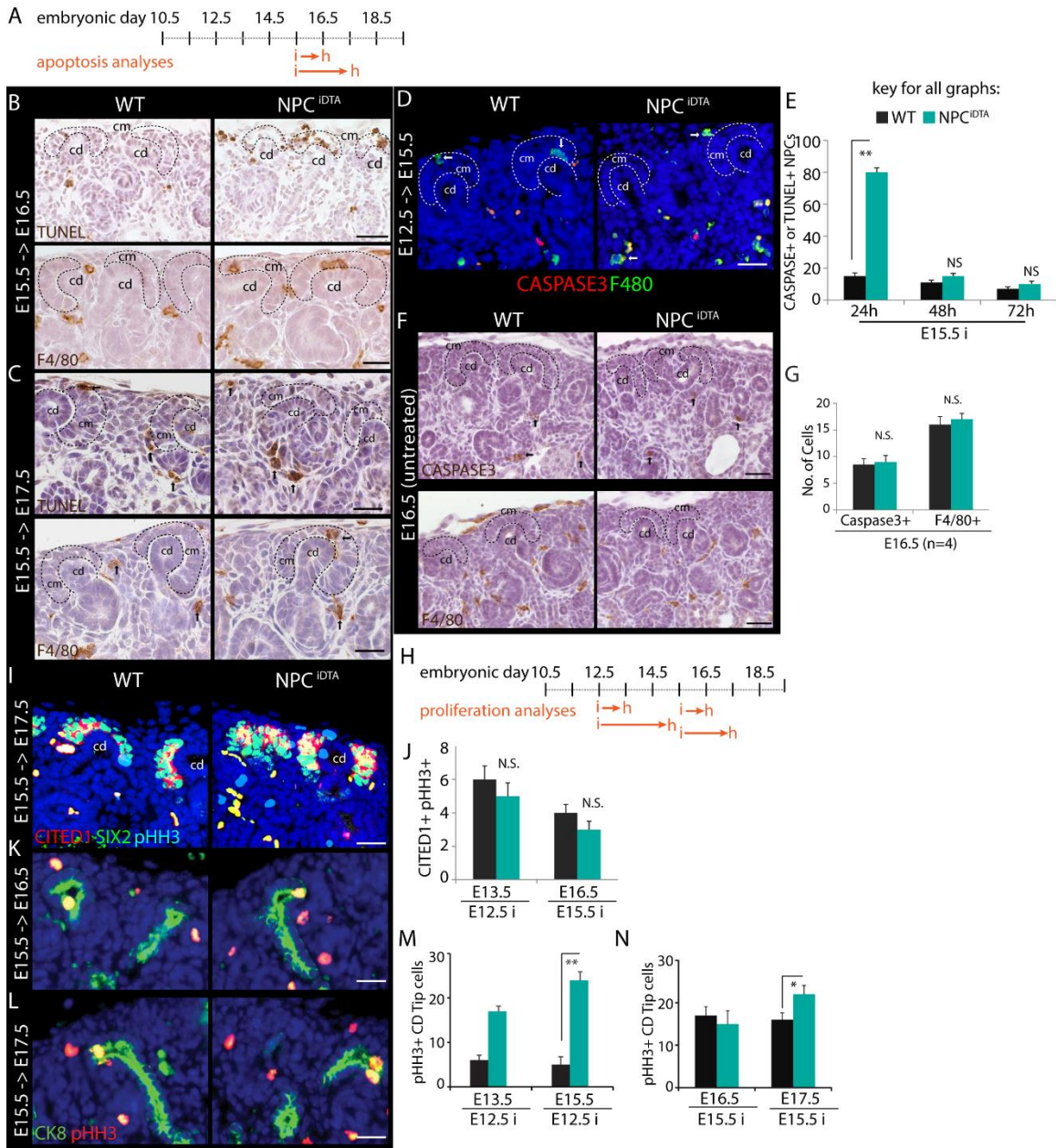


Figure\_S1



**Figure S1: Apoptosis and proliferation analyses in NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys**

(A) Schematic shows the stages at which tamoxifen was injected (i) and kidneys were harvested (h) for apoptosis analyses in WT (*R26RDTA<sup>het</sup>*) and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> (*Cited1-creER<sup>T2</sup>;R26RDTA<sup>het</sup>*) mice.

(B,C) TUNEL (apoptosis) and F4/80 (macrophage) staining.

(D-G) CASPASE 3 (apoptosis) and F4/80 staining. Graphs show number of Caspase3+ and F4/80+ cells (black, white arrows) in the cap mesenchyme per kidney section.

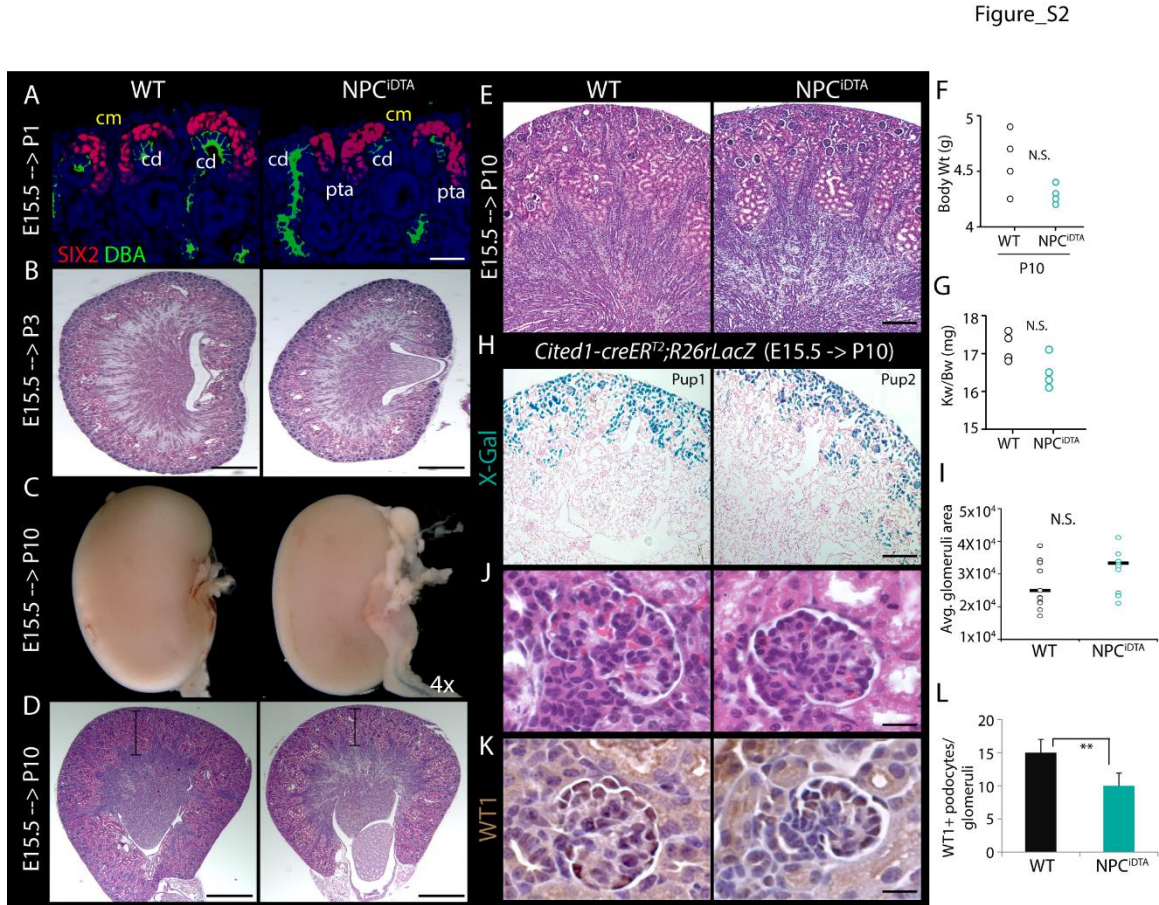
Number of mice (n=4) analyzed per group in (G).

(H) Schematic shows the stages at which tamoxifen was injected (i) and kidneys were harvested (h) for proliferation analyses in WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> mice.

(I,J) CITED1 (red), SIX2 (green) and pHH3 (cyan blue, proliferation) staining. Number of CITED1+ pHH3+ scored per kidney 24 hours after injection at E12.5 and E15.5.

(K-N) Cytokeratin 8 (CK8, green) and pHH3 (red) staining. Graphs show number of pHH3+ CK8+ CD tip cells per kidney. Data represents mean  $\pm$  SD. N.S. not-significant ( $P>0.5$ ), \*  $P<0.05$  and \*\*  $P<0.005$ , Student's t-test. Scale bars, 100  $\mu$ m in all images.

Abbreviations: cd-collecting duct; cm-cap mesenchyme.



**Figure S2: Effects of E15.5 NPC depletion in P3 and P10 NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys**

(A) SIX2 (red) and DBA lectin (green, collecting duct) staining in P1 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys injected at E15.5.

(B) H&E stained images of P3 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys injected at E15.5.

(C-E) Whole mount and H&E stained images of P10 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys injected at E15.5.

(F,G) Body weight and kidney weight of P10 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys.

(H) X-gal stained P10 *Cited1-creER<sup>T2</sup>;R26RLacZ* kidneys show contribution of E15.5 CITED1+ NPCs to largely cortical glomeruli and tubular structures. Nuclei are counterstained with nuclear fast red.

(I) Area of medullary glomeruli ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ , MG, n=10) measured in P10 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys.

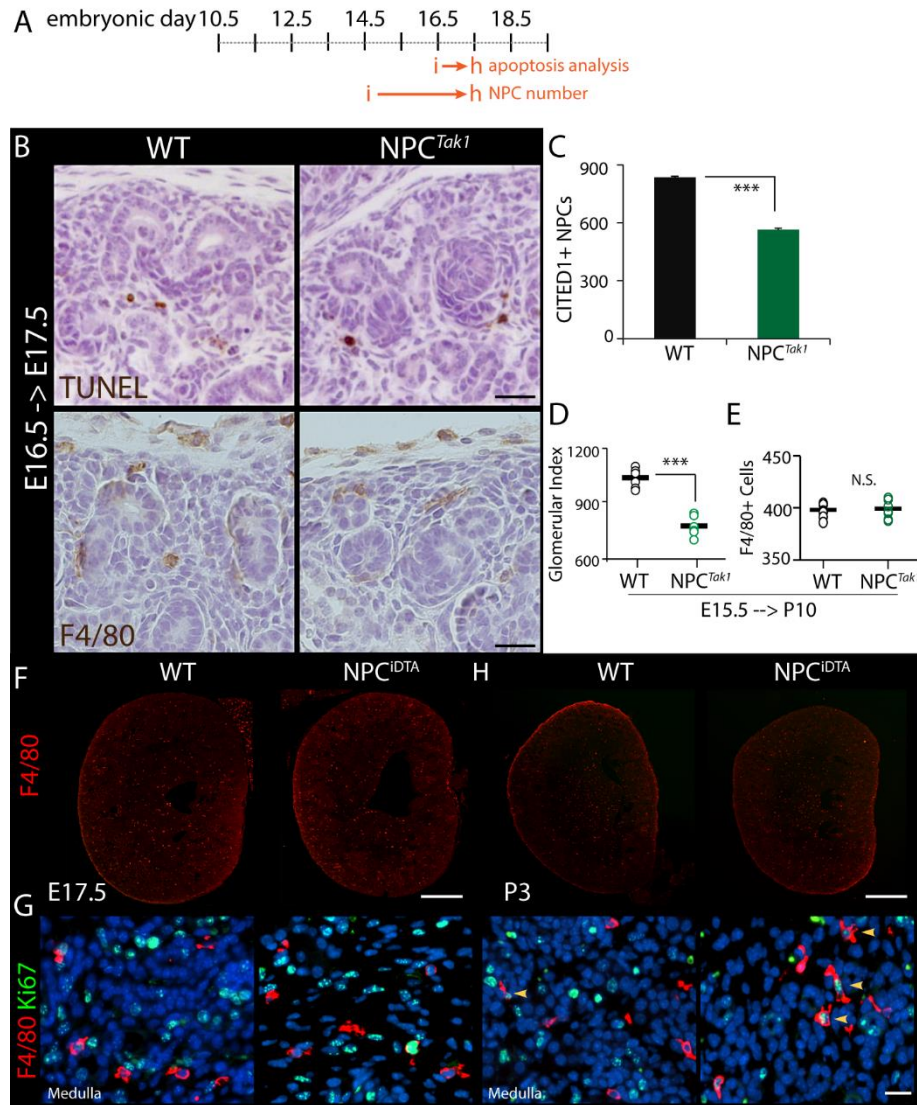
(J-L) H&E and WT1 (brown, podocyte) staining in glomeruli. Number of WT1+ podocyte number per glomeruli is indicated in the graph. 25 glomeruli (G) per group were analyzed.

Data represent mean  $\pm$  SD. N.S. not-significant ( $P>0.05$ ),  $**P<0.005$ , Student's t-test.

Scale bars, 100  $\mu\text{m}$  (A), 500  $\mu\text{m}$  (D) and 50  $\mu\text{m}$  (I,J). Abbreviations: cd-collecting duct; cm-cap mesenchyme, pta - pre-tubular aggregate.



Figure\_S3



**Figure S3: Comparison of NPC<sup>Tak1</sup> and NPC<sup>IDTA</sup> kidneys**

(A) Schematic shows time points at which apoptosis and NPC cell numbers were analyzed after tamoxifen induction in WT (*Tak1<sup>c/c</sup>*) and NPC<sup>Tak1</sup> (*Cited1-creERT<sup>2</sup>;Tak1<sup>c/c</sup>*) kidneys.

(B) TUNEL and F4/80 staining in 24 hour tamoxifen treated WT and NPC<sup>Tak1</sup> kidneys.

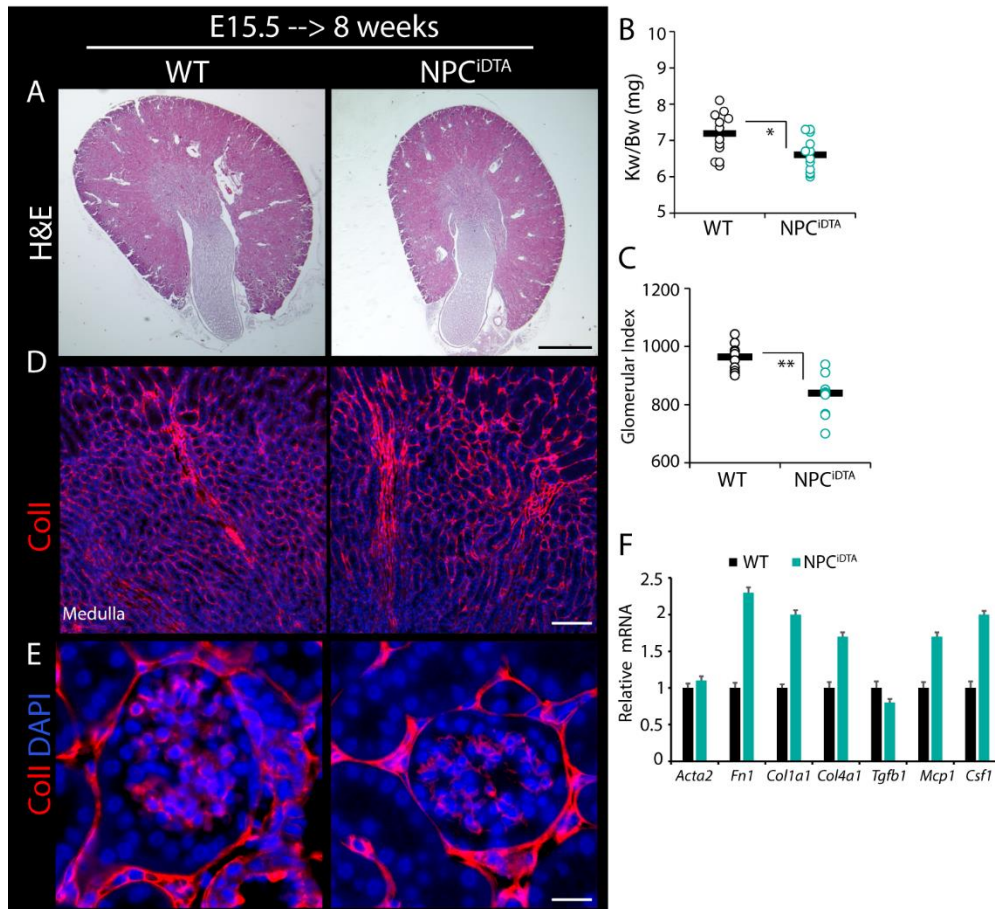
(C) Graph shows number of CITED1+ NPCs scored per kidney section in 72 hours tamoxifen treated WT and NPC<sup>Tak1</sup> kidneys. Number of individual tamoxifen treated animals analyzed per group, n=8.

(D,E) Glomerular index and number of F4/80+ cells scored per P10 WT and NPC<sup>Tak1</sup> kidneys injected at E15.5. Number of individual tamoxifen treated animals analyzed per group, n=3.

(F) F4/80 (red) staining in whole kidneys from E17.5 and P3 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> mice injected at E15.5.

(G) F4/80 (red) and Ki67 (green) co-staining in E17.5 and P3 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys injected at E15.5. Yellow arrow heads point to F4/80+ Ki67+ cells. Data represents mean  $\pm$ SD. N.S. not significant ( $P>0.05$ ), \*\* $P<0.005$ , \*\*\* $P<0.0005$  Student's t-test. Scale bars, 100  $\mu$ m (B) 500  $\mu$ m (F) and 50  $\mu$ m (G).

Figure\_S4



**Figure S4: Analysis of 8 weeks NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys**

(A) H&E stained images of WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys tamoxifen treated at E15.5 and harvested at 8 weeks.

(B) Kidney weights normalized to body weights of WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys. Number of mice analyzed per group (n=6).

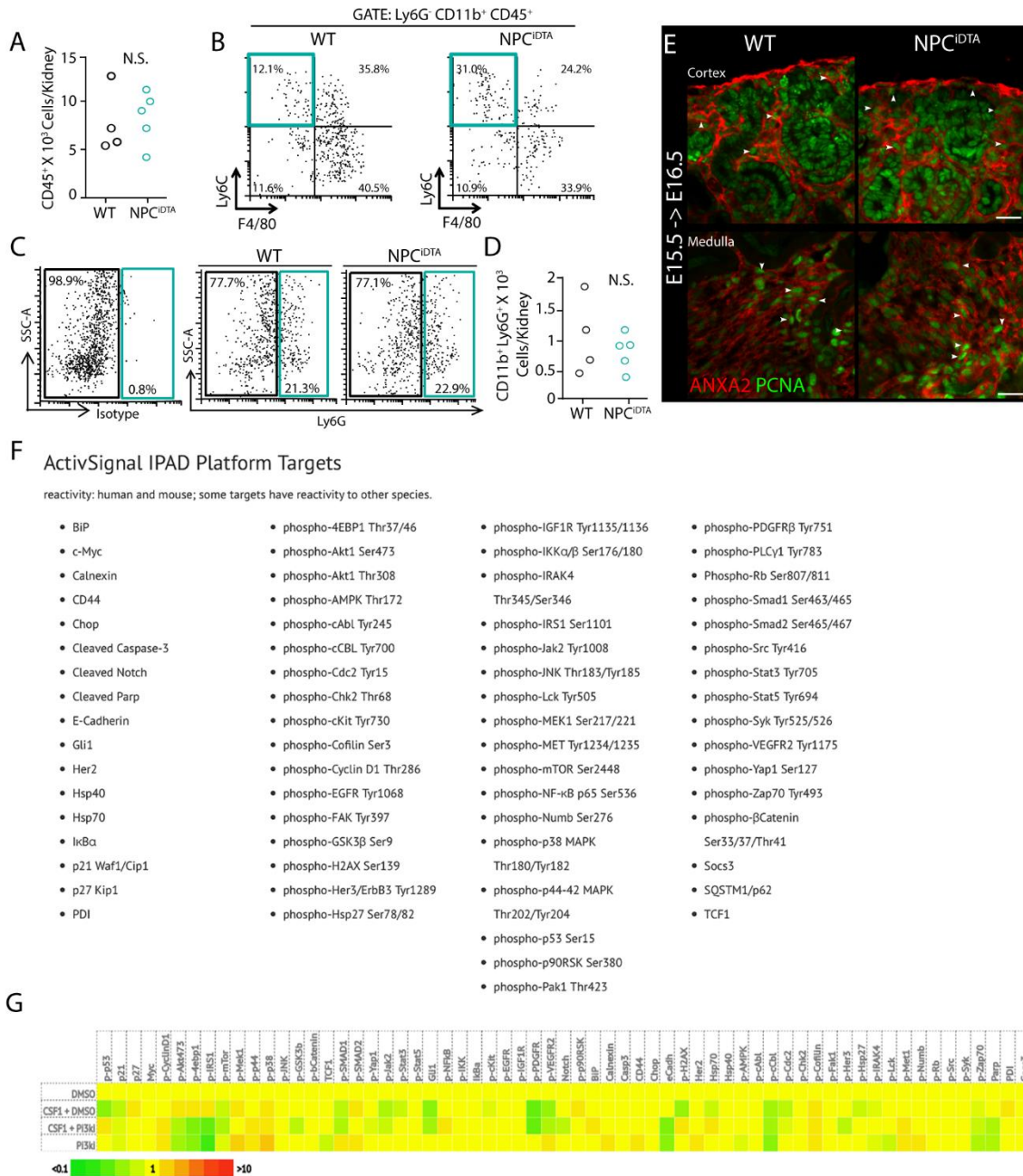
(C) Glomerular index of WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys.

(D,E) Collagen I (Coll, red) staining in medullary region and glomeruli of WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys.

(F) Transcriptional analysis of ECM markers and chemokines in WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys. Four biological replicates (n=4) analyzed per genotype. Data represents mean  $\pm$ SD. N.S. not significant ( $P>0.05$ ), \* $P<0.05$ , \*\* $P<0.005$  Student's t-test. Scale bars, 500  $\mu$ m (A) 100  $\mu$ m (D) and 50  $\mu$ m (E).



Figure\_S5



**Figure S5: Functional characterization of inflammatory cells in NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> kidneys**

(A) Number of CD45<sup>+</sup> cells per kidney of 24 hours tamoxifen treated E16.5 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> mice.

(B) Subpopulations of myeloid mononuclear cells. Ly6C<sup>+</sup> monocytes (blue, upper left quadrant) and Ly6C<sup>-</sup>F4/80<sup>+</sup> macrophages (lower right) within CD11b<sup>+</sup>CD45<sup>+</sup>Ly6G<sup>-</sup> population.

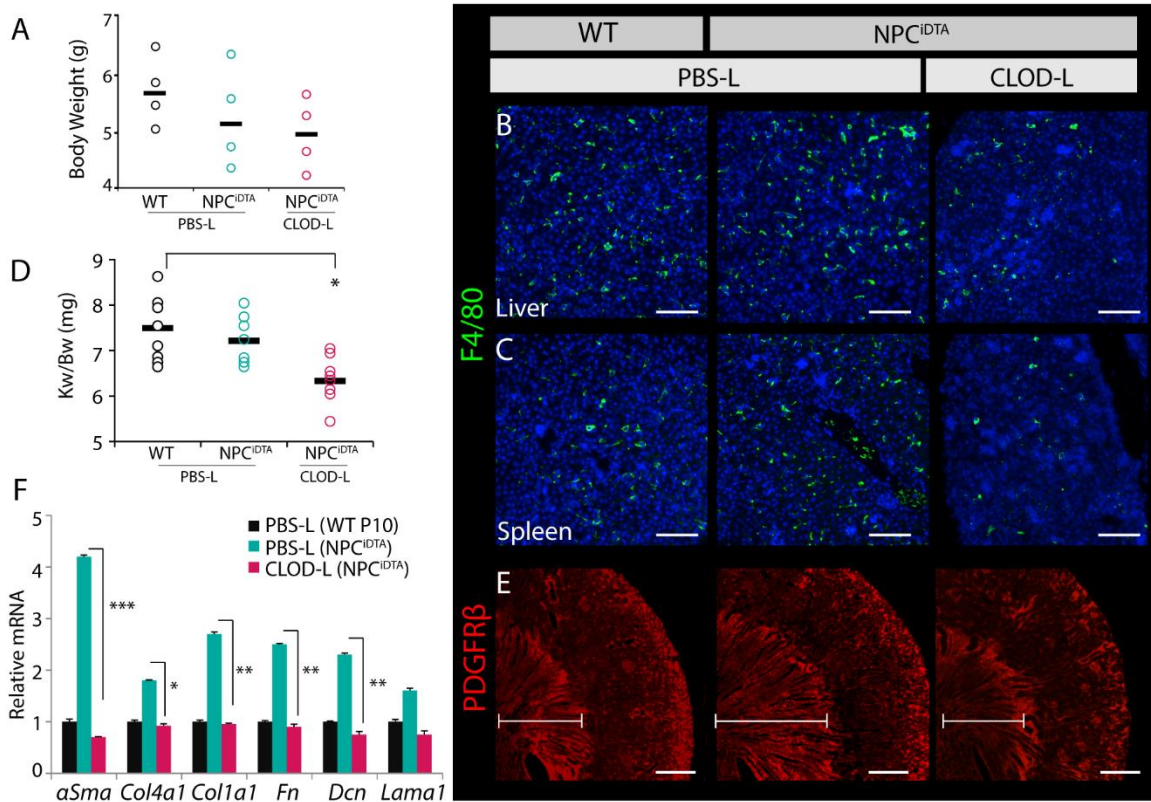
(C,D) Dot plots demonstrate percent of Ly6G<sup>-</sup> cells (black gate, myeloid mononuclear cells) and Ly6G<sup>+</sup> cells (blue gate, myeloid granulocytes) within CD11b<sup>+</sup>CD45<sup>+</sup> cell subpopulation. Left plot - isotype-matched control antibody; middle and right plots - Ly6G antibody. Number of Ly6G<sup>+</sup>CD11b<sup>+</sup> granulocytes scored per kidney is shown in the graph.

(E) ANXA2 (red, interstitial cell marker) and PCNA (green, proliferation marker) staining in E16.5 kidneys injected at E15.5.

(F,G) Table shows the list of ActivSignal IPAD platform targets and heatmap shows the expression profiles of all the signaling pathway components analyzed in NPCs treated with vehicle, CSF1 and PI3K inhibitor. Expression analysis was performed in two biological replicates per condition.

N.S. indicates non-significant  $P > 0.05$ , Student's t-test. Scale bars, 100  $\mu\text{m}$ .

Figure\_S6



**Figure S6: Clodronate mediated depletion of F4/80+ macrophages in NPC<sup>iDTA</sup>**

**kidneys**

(A) Body weights of clodronate (CLOD-L) and PBS liposomes (PBS-L) treated P10 WT and NPC<sup>iDTA</sup> mice.

(B,C) F4/80 (green) staining in liver and spleen

(D) Kidney weights (mg) normalized to body weights.

(E) PDGR-β staining.

(F) Transcriptional analysis of *αSma* and ECM proteins in whole kidneys. Data represents mean ±SD. N.S. not significant ( $P>0.05$ ), \* $P<0.05$ , \*\* $P<0.005$ , and \*\*\* $P<0.0005$ ,

Student's t-test. Scale bars, 100 μm in all images.

**Table S1: Antibodies**

	<b>Primary antibody</b>	<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Dilution</b>	<b>Secondary antibody</b>
1	CITED1	Neomarkers	1:200	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 488/568
2	SIX2	Proteintech	1:250	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 488/568
3	Cleaved Caspase 3	Cell Signaling	1:100	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 488/568
4	pHH3	Cell Signaling	1:100	Donkey anti-mouse IgG Alexa Fluor 647/568
5	CK8/Cytokeratin-8	Developmental Studies Hybridoma Bank/DSHB	1:100	Donkey anti-rat IgG Alexa Fluor 488
6	F4/80	Santacruz Biotechnology	1:50	Donkey anti-rat IgG Alexa Fluor 488/568
7	Biotinylated-DBA Lectin	Vector Laboratories	1:100	Streptavidin- 488/568
8	GFP	Abcam	1:100	Goat anti-chicken IgY Alexa Fluor 488
9	WT1	Santacruz Biotechnology	1:100	Biotinylated anti-rabbit IgG, Streptavidin-HRP, DAB stain
10	$\alpha$ SMA	Sigma-Aldrich	1:100	Donkey anti-mouse IgG Alexa Fluor 568
11	PDGFR $\beta$	Abcam	1:200	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 568
12	Ki67	Abcam	1:100	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 488
13	ANNEXINA2/ANXA2	Cell Signaling	1:200	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 568
14	PCNA	Santacruz Biotechnology	1:100	Donkey anti-mouse IgG Alexa Fluor 647/568
15	Collagen I	Novus Biologicals	1:100	Donkey anti-rabbit IgG Alexa Fluor 568/488

**Table S2: Mouse Primer Sequences**

<b>Gene</b>	<b>Primer Sequence (Forward)</b>	<b>Primer Sequence (Reverse)</b>
<i>Gapdh</i>	AGGTCGGTGTGAACGGATTTG	TGTAGACCATGTAGTTGAGGTCA
<i>Cd11b</i>	CCATGACCTTCCAAGAGAATGC	ACCGGCTTGTGCTGTAGTC
<i>Mcp1</i>	ATCCCAATGAGTAGGCTGGAGAGC	TCAGCACAGACCTCTCTCTTGAGC
<i>Csf1</i>	GAACACTGTAGCCACATGATTGG	TTGACTGTGCGATCAACTGCTG
<i>aSma</i>	GTCCCAGACATCAGGGAGTAA	TCGGATACTTCAGCGTCAGGA
<i>Col4a1</i>	ATGGCTTGCCTGGAGAGATAGG	TGGTTGCCCTTTGAGTCCTGGA
<i>Colla1</i>	CCTCAGGGTATTGCTGGACAAC	CAGAAGGACCTTGTTTGCCAGG
<i>Fibronectin</i>	CCCTATCTCTGATAACCGTTGTCC	TGCCGCAACTACTGTGATTCCGG
<i>Decorin</i>	ACTCTCCAGGAACTTCGTGTCC	AGTCCCTGGAAGGCTCCGTTTT
<i>Laminin</i>	ATGAGCTGCAAGGAAAACCTATCC	CTGTTTCGTTGGCTTCACTGA
<i>Il6</i>	GCAGCATCACCTTCGCTTAGA	CAGATATTGGCATGGGAGCAAG
<i>Tgfb1</i>	CTCCCGTGGCTTCTAGTGC	GCCTTAGTTTGGACAGGATCTG
<i>Cxcl1</i>	GACCATGGCTGGGATTCACCT	TCAGGGTCAAGGCAAGCCTC
<i>Cxcl5</i>	TGCCCTACGGTGGAAAGTCATA	TGCATTCCGCTTAGCTTTCTTT
<i>Fgf9</i>	ACAGTGGACTCTACCTCGGCAT	GGTTGGAAGAGTAGGTGTTGTAC
<i>Fgf20</i>	CGGCAGGATCACAGTCTCTCG	GTCATTCATCCCAAGGTACAGGC
<i>Wnt9b</i>	AGAGAGGAAGCAAGGACCTGAG	GAGAGCTGCTTCCAACAGGTA
<i>Bmp7</i>	TGTACGTCAGCTTCCGAGAC	GTAGTAGGCAGCATAGCCTTCA