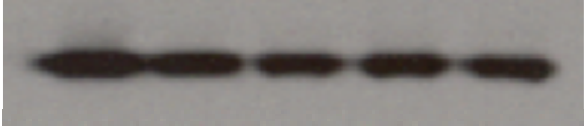


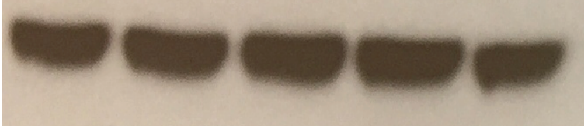
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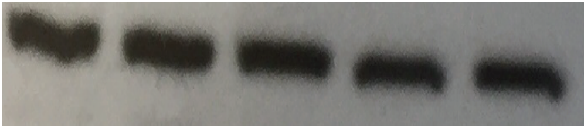
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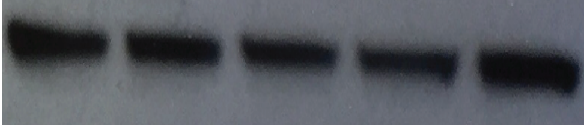
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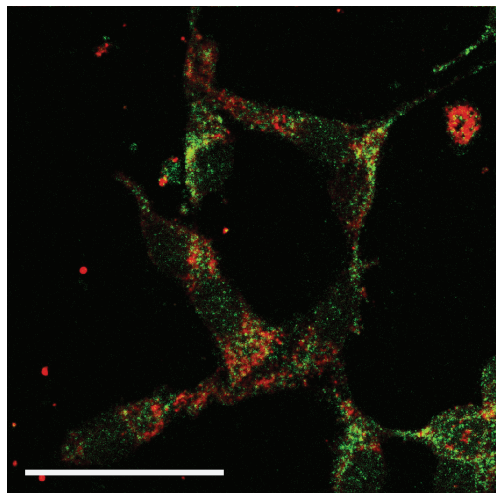


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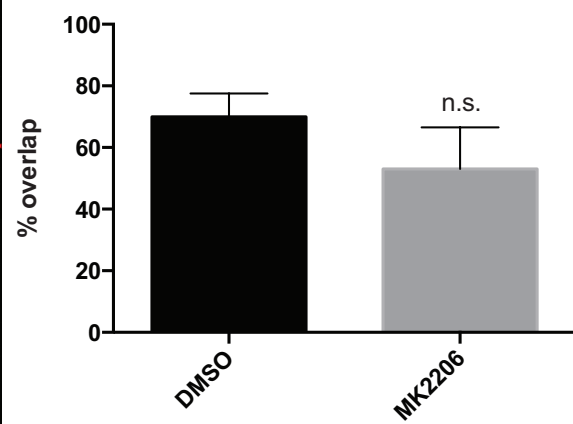
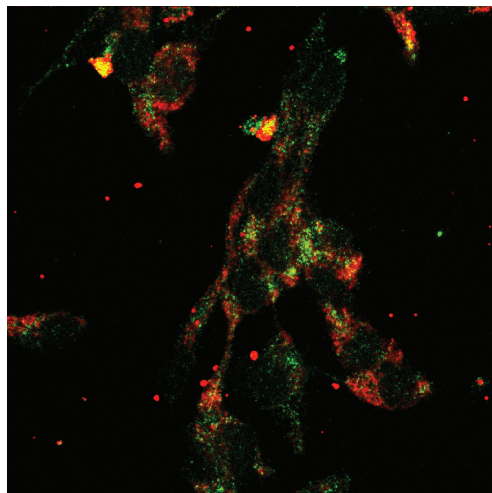


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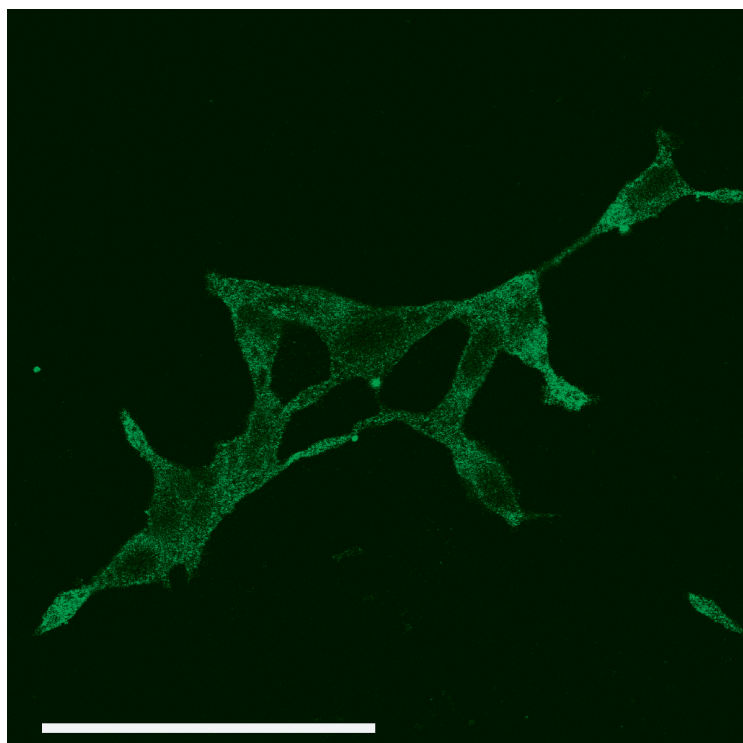
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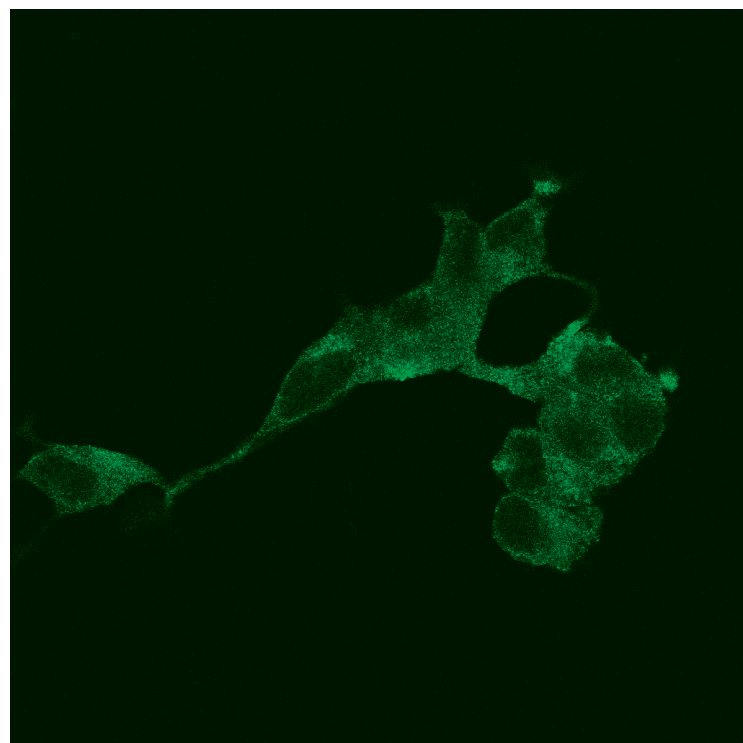
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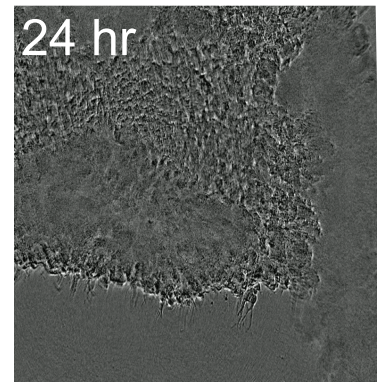
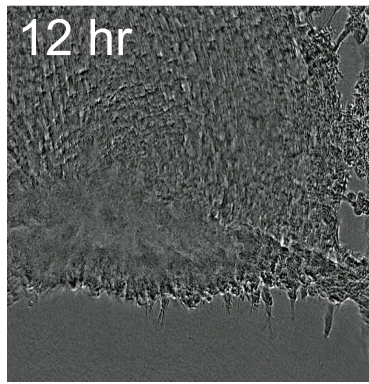
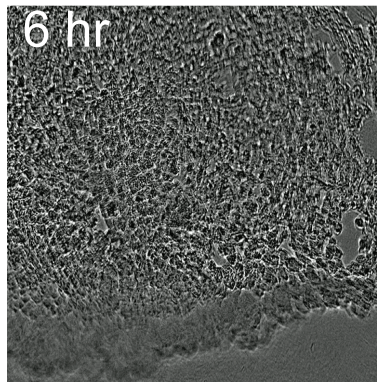
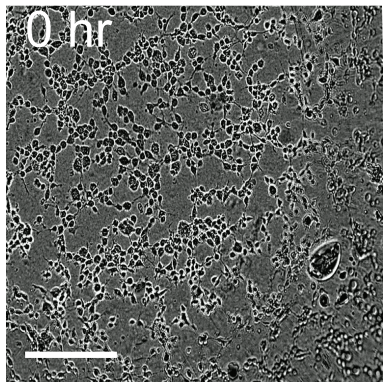


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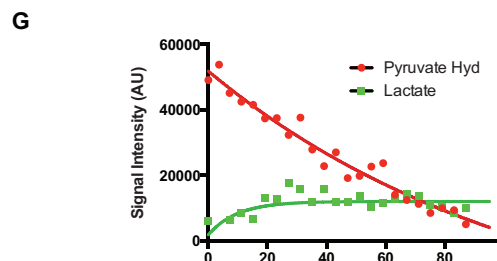
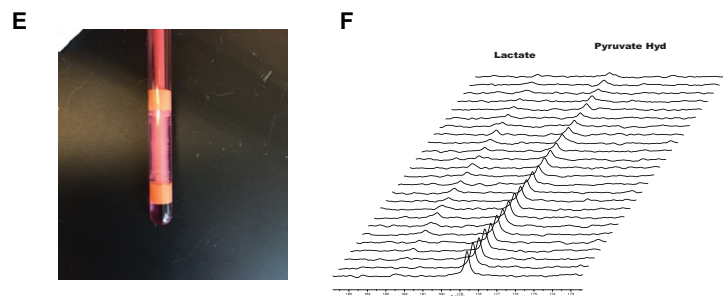
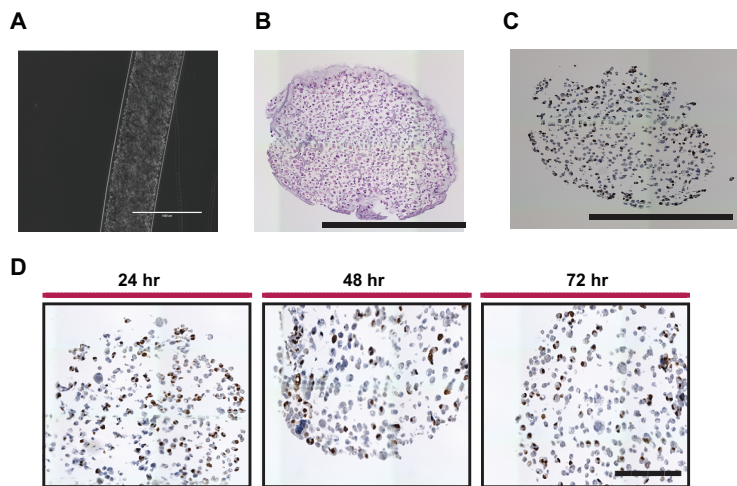


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Supplemental Figure Captions

Supp. Figure 1. Proton NMR spectra of LnCAP cell extracts treated either with DMSO or 1 μ M MK2206 for 24 hr. Co-factor concentrations were quantified as a ratio between the resonance for the lone hydrogen atom on the five membered ring of the adenine moiety in NAD⁺ that resonates at 8.435 ppm and NADH at 8.486 ppm. Extractions of cells were performed as described in the materials section.

Supp. Figure 2. Western blot of metabolic proteins in LnCAP cells.

Supp. Figure 3. Co-localization analysis of HKII and CoxIV. LnCAP cells were grown on coverslips, fixed and permeabilized for detection of HKII and CoxIV, coupled to Alexa488 and Alexa594 secondary antibodies respectively. Co-localization analysis was performed by the MSKCC Molecular Cytology Core using the ImageJ software. Scale bar = 100 μ m

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