

Nervous bioprocess/disease	Methyltransferase/ demethylases	Expression	Target RNAs	Mechanism(Refs)
Cerebellar Development	Mettl3	Downregulated	<i>Dapk1, Fadd, Ngfr</i>	Controlling mRNA stability of genes related to cerebellar development and apoptosis(1).
	Alkbh5	Downregulated	<i>Ddx11, Ccnb1, Cbx1</i>	Affecting RNA nuclear export(2).
Cortical Neurogenesis	Mettl14	Downregulated	<i>CBP, p300</i>	destabilizing transcripts encoding histone modifiers(3).
	FTO	Downregulated	<i>Pdgfra, Socs5-Stat3, BDNF</i>	Decreasing the expression of BDNF protein(4).
Proliferation and Differentiation of Neural Stem Cells	FTO	Downregulated	<i>Pdgfra, Socs5, Stat3</i>	regulating aNSCs through modulating Pdgfra/Socs5-Stat3 pathway.(5).
	YTHDF2	Downregulated	<i>Nrp2, Nrnx3</i>	delayed mRNA clearance, contribute to the defects in neurogenesis(6).
Oligodendroglial Specification and Myelination	Prrc2a		Olig2	stabilizing Olig2 mRNA through binding to a consensus GGACU motif in the Olig2 CDS(7).
Ischemic Stroke	FTO	Downregulated	--	Reducing Fto immunoreactive structures in the hippocampus may be associated with impairments in Fto-related hippocampal function(8).
	YTHDC1	Upregulated	<i>Pten</i>	Regulating of PTEN mRNA stability(9).
Ischemia-Reperfusion Injury	FTO	Downregulated	<i>Bcl2</i>	preventing Bcl2 transcript degradation and enhancing Bcl2 protein expression(10).
Traumatic Brain Injury	FTO/Mettl14	Downregulated		Altering transcripts related to metabolic processes(11).
Alzheimer's Disease	FTO	Downregulated	<i>Aβ/Synaptophysin</i>	Enhancing Aβ protein expression and reducing synaptophysin protein expression(12).

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	Mettl3	Downregulated	<i>tau</i>	level of METTL3 positively correlated with that of Tau in the insoluble fraction of these hippocampal lysates(13).
Septic Encephalopathy	YTHDF1	Upregulated	<i>JAK/STAT</i>	reducing the entry of macrophages into the brain to cause endothelial damage(14).
Spinal Cord Injury	Mettl14	Upregulated	<i>EEF1A2</i>	METTL14 inhibited neuronal apoptosis in the spinal cord through the mediation of EEF1A2 m6A methylation(15).
Depression	FTO	downregulated	<i>Adrb2</i>	ADRB2 stimulation improve the depression-like behaviors and spine loss induced by hippocampal Fto deficiency(16).

Table1. Methyltransferases/demethylases and corresponding target RNAs in brain disease and nervous bioprocess.

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