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MTT assay

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ABSTRACT

Protocol for MTT cytotoxicity assay on SH-SY5Y cells.

MATERIALS

- Medium: DMEM/F-12, GlutaMAX™ (ThermoFisher Scientific) + 10% Fetal Bovine Serum (Gibco™)
- Trypsin-EDTA (0.25%) (ThermoFisher Scientific)
- PBS, pH 7.4 (ThermoFisher Scientific)
- RPMI medium (ThermoFisher Scientific)
- MTT kit (Abcam)
- 96-well plates, PS, F-bottom (Greiner Bio-One)
- Plate shaker
- Plate reader for absorbance measurement

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General

1 Culture human SH-SY5Y cells at 37 °C and 5% CO_2

Day 1

2 Detach 80–90% confluent cells with Trypsin-EDTA

3 Count cells and seed 10000 cells/well

4 Incubate at 37 °C and 5% CO_2 for 24 h

Day 2

5 Aspirate medium from cells

6 Add in protein solutions

7 Place back at 37 °C and 5% CO_2 for 24 h

Day 3

8 Dilute MTT 1:10 in RPMI medium

9 Aspirate medium from cells

10 Add 100 µL MTT/RPMI solution per well

11 Place back at 37 °C and 5% CO_2 for 4 h

12 Aspirate medium from cells

13 Add 100 µL stop solution per well

14 Incubate at 37 °C, 500 rpm on plate shaker

15 Read out absorbance at 570 nm on plate reader