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- Estimates of effect sizes (e.g. Cohen's d , Pearson's r), indicating how they were calculated

Our web collection on [statistics for biologists](#) contains articles on many of the points above.

Software and code

Policy information about [availability of computer code](#)

Data collection

Bulk RNA-seq and ATAC-seq data were collected by pair-end sequencing on HiSeq4000 (Illumina) in the Hartwell Center at St Jude Children's Research Hospital

Data analysis

For bulk RNA-seq data analysis, Trim-Galore version v0.60, STAR v2.7, RSEM v1.31, gsea2.2.3 and MSigDB 6.2 were used. For ATAC-seq analysis, Picard (version 1.65), samtools (version 1.3.1, parameter “-q 1 -F 1024”), MACS2, BEDtools, HOMER61 and the Integrated Genomic Viewer (IGV 2.3.82) were used.

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- Accession codes, unique identifiers, or web links for publicly available datasets
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The bulk RNA-seq, ATAC-seq data have been deposited to the Gene Expression Omnibus-GEO (NCBI). The bulk RNA-seq is under accession number GSE240980. The ATAC-seq is under accession number GSE262074. DepMap data (<https://depmap.org/portal/>).

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Life sciences study design

All studies must disclose on these points even when the disclosure is negative.

Sample size	A minimum of two biological replicates were used for each experiment to ensure the reproducibility and to perform statistical analysis.
Data exclusions	No data exclusion
Replication	Data was obtained from three technical replicates and in at least two biological replicates. Independent biological replicates are shown in all figures.
Randomization	Randomization was not relevant. All cell lines or biological samples were analyzed or treated in the same manner.
Blinding	Experiments were not blinded in order to allow the investigators to have correct identification of samples and to ensure the correct data collection. In other hand, blinding strategy was applied to computational biologists who performed bioinformatic analyses.

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Methods

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ChIP-seq
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Flow cytometry
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MRI-based neuroimaging

Antibodies

Antibodies used

Hif1 α Cayman 10006421, RRID: AB_409037
 Hif2 α Novus NB100-122, RRID: AB_10002593
 VHL Cell Signaling Technology 68547S, RRID: AB_2716279
 PRMT5 ABclonal A1520, RRID: AB_2762092
 MTAP Cell Signaling Technology 4158S, RRID: AB_1904054
 HSP90 Santa Cruz sc13119, RRID: AB_675659
 ACTIN Sigma A2066, RRID: AB_476693
 MAC2 Accurate/CEDARLANE CL-8942AP, RRID: AB_10060357

Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)

Murine: NEJF6(this manuscript)
 Murine: NEJF10 (this manuscript)
 HepG2 ATCC HB-8065
 HepG2-LeveV2 (this manuscript)
 HepG2-VHL-KO-1 (this manuscript)
 HepG2-VHL-KO-2 Yang lab N/A
 NEJF10-shCtrl (this manuscript)
 NEJF10-shPRMT5-1 (this manuscript)
 NEJF10-shPRMT5-2 (this manuscript)
 NEJF10-shPRMT5-3 (this manuscript)
 U2OS ATCC HTB96
 HCT116 ATCC CCL-247

Authentication

Cell lines were authenticated by short tandem repeat (STR) using Promega PowerPlex 16 HS System once per month.

Mycoplasma contamination

PCR-based method was used for detection of Mycoplasma with LookOut Mycoplasma PCR Detection Kit (Sigma) and JumpStart Taq DNA Polymerase (Sigma) once per month to ensure cells were mycoplasma negative.

Commonly misidentified lines
 (See [ICLAC](#) register)

No commonly misidentified cell lines were used in this study.

Animals and other organisms

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Laboratory animals

Albumin-Cre (Alb-Cre) (Strain #003574), R26StopFLMYC (CAG-MYC) (Strain #020458), and Prmt5 floxed mouse (Strain #034414) mice were obtained from the Jackson Laboratory.

Wild animals

No wild animals were used in this study

Field-collected samples

No Field-collected samples were used in this study

Ethics oversight

All experiments that involved the use of mice were performed in accordance with the guidelines outlined by the St Jude Children's Research Hospital Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

Note that full information on the approval of the study protocol must also be provided in the manuscript.