

Title (en)

METHODS OF TREATING DISORDERS OF NON-VISUAL SENSORY EPITHELIA

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR BEHANDLUNG VON STÖRUNGEN DES NICHTVISUELLEN SENSORISCHEN EPITHELS

Title (fr)

PROCEDES DE TRAITEMENT DE TROUBLES DANS DES EPITHELIUMS SENSORIELS NON VISUELS

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[origin: WO9717983A1] In general, the present invention provides methods for promoting the function of inner ear cells using neuregulins. A novel aspect of the invention involves the use of neuregulins as growth factors to promote function of non-visual sensory epithelial cells. Treating of the non-visual sensory epithelial cells to provide these effects may be achieved by contacting non-visual sensory epithelial cells with a polypeptide described herein. The treatments may be provided to slow or halt net cell loss or to increase the amount or quality of non-visual sensory epithelial tissue present in the vertebrate.

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