

Title (en)  
IL- 17B FOR USE IN WOUND HEALING

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IL-17B ZUR ANWENDUNG IN DER WUNDHEILUNG

Title (fr)  
UTILISATION DE L'IL-17B POUR LA CICATRISATION DES PLAIES

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[origin: WO2008073653A2] IL-17B is known to stimulate the proliferation of chondrocytes, bone, and is highly expressed in nervous tissue, resulting in repair of diseased tissue. When IL-17B is absent a marked negative effect on wound healing is noted. The present invention comprises providing IL-17B, by topical, parental, or other administration means, in order to accelerate the wound healing process. The present invention further encompasses a pharmaceutical composition and formulations thereof that utilize IL-17B, either alone or in combination with other cytokines or growth factors known to aid wound healing. The invention also contemplates methods of treating wounds in patients using this pharmaceutical composition.

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