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Leu-Enkephalin

National Cancer Institute

Source

National Cancer Institute. <u>Leu-Enkephalin</u>. NCI Thesaurus. Code C126499.

Leu-enkephalin (5 aa, \sim 1 kDa) is encoded by the human PENK gene. This protein is involved in the activation of mu and delta opioid receptors.