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Proheparin-Binding EGF-Like Growth Factor

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Source

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Proheparin-binding EGF-like growth factor (208 aa, ~23 kDa) is encoded by the human HBEGF gene. This protein plays a role in both heart valve formation and mitogenesis for fibroblasts and smooth muscle cells.