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# MIR16-2 wt Allele

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The human MIR16-2 wild-type allele is located in the vicinity of 3q26.1 and is 80 bases in length. This allele, which encodes MIR16-2 pre-miRNA, plays a role in the regulation of gene expression. Alteration in the expression of this gene is associated with the development of both hepatocellular carcinoma and chronic lymphocytic leukemia.