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Latent Nuclear Antigen

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Source

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Latent nuclear antigen (1036 aa, ~119 kDa) is encoded by the human herpesvirus 8 ORF73 gene. This protein plays a role in both viral latency and the transcriptional regulation of host genes that modulate apoptosis and cell proliferation.