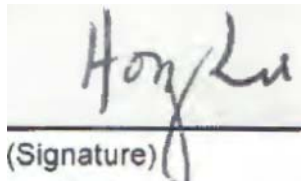


### Animal care and use statement

The animal protocol was designed to minimize the pain or distress to the mice. Age-matched young-adult HNF4a Liv-KO mice and their wild-type control littermates were fed rodent chow (#8064, Teklad; Harlan, Indianapolis, IN). Mice were housed at an ambient temperature of 22°C with alternating 12-h light/dark cycles and allowed water and feed *ad libitum*.

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