

Complement C3-dependent glutamatergic synapse elimination in the developing hippocampus is region- and synapse-specific

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The authors have withdrawn their manuscript owing to the results of this pre-print being based on experiments performed prior to COVID-19 shutdowns, which required a near complete culling of the mouse colony. Upon re-initiating the colony, the phenotype outlined in the pre-print could no longer be observed and as such we have decided to withdraw the pre-print. Therefore, the authors do not wish this work to be cited as

reference for the project. If you have any questions, please contact the corresponding author.