

Fig. S1. Knockdown of I kappa B kinase ε (IKKε) by siRNA. (A) Cultured human keratinocytes were transfected with *IKBKE* siRNA (siIKBKE) or control siRNA (siCon) before combined stimulation with tumour necrosis factor alpha (TNFa) (10 ng/ml) and IL-17A (100 ng/ml) for 24 h. Wholecell protein extracts were isolated from the keratinocytes and the IKKε protein level was measured by Western blotting (n = 3). β-actin was used as a loading control. (B) Densitometric analysis of the band intensities normalized to β-actin. The ratio is presented as mean +standard deviation (SD). *p < 0.05 compared with siCon, Student's t-test.