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Highlights

- Foxo expression is reduced by JEV infection in vitro and in vivo.
- Foxo inhibits JEV-induced apoptosis.
- Foxo exerts an anti-apoptotic function by Bcl-6 and p21 during JEV infection.
- JEV reduces Foxo expression, at least in part, by downregulating STAT3.