

## Strategies of Disease Causing Gene

Mutation in *PVRL4* gene encoding nectin-4 underlies ectodermal-dysplasia-syndactyly syndrome (EDSS1)

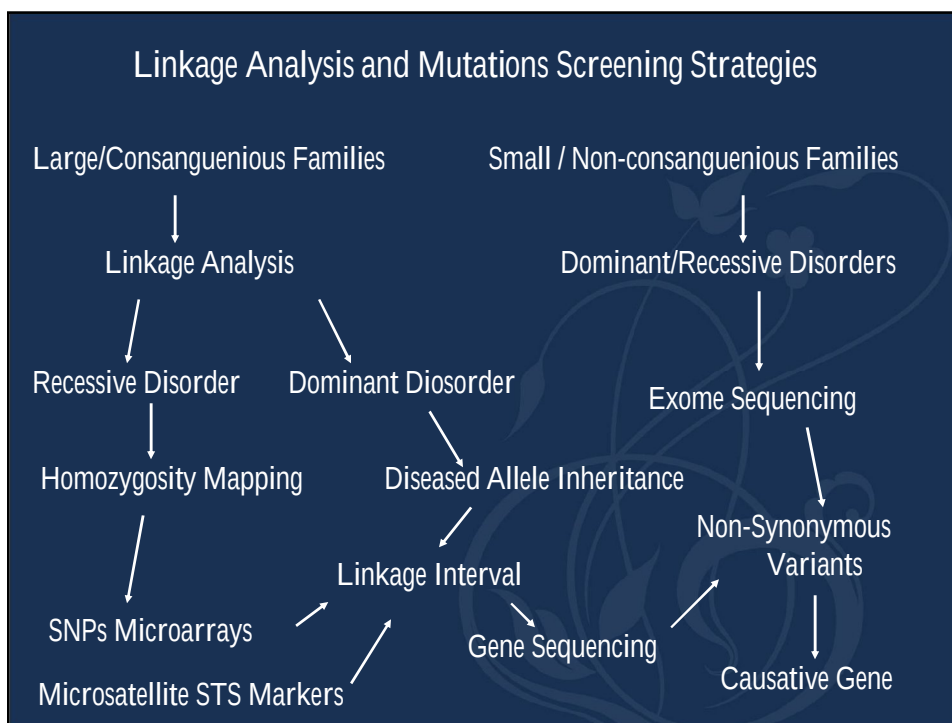
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## Ectodermal Dysplasia (ED)

- Hair
- Teeth
- Nails
- Sweat Glands
  
- More than 200 Ectodermal Dysplasias
- 62 Genes
  - Cell-cell signaling
  - Cell-cell adhesion
  - Transcription regulation
  - Development
  - Others



## EDSS1 Phenotype

- Ectodermal-dysplasia-syndactyly syndrome (EDSS1, MIM 613573) is a rare form of ED affecting skin and its appendages mainly hair, teeth and nails.
- All these individuals showed features of hypotrichosis, hypoplastic nails, tooth enamel hypoplasia, hyperhidrosis, palmoplantar keratoderma and bilateral partial cutaneous syndactyly.

## EDSS1 Genotyping and Mutation Screening

- The present study described a large consanguineous Pakistani family with EDSS1 phenotypes, originated from a remote area of Punjab province Pakistan.
- By homozygosity mapping we assigned the disease locus on chromosome 1q23.1-q23.3. DNA sequence analysis detected a homozygous missense mutation in PVRL4 gene.

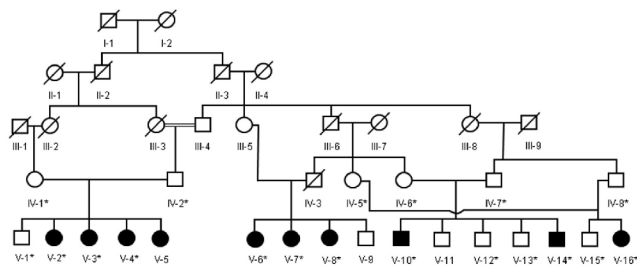
## Materials and Methods

- Study Approval
  - Institutional Review Board (IRB), Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan
- Research Volunteers
  - Inform consent from all participants
  - Blood samples of 5-6 ml (EDTA tubes)
- Genomic DNA Extraction
  - Commercially available kits
  - Organic Method (Phenol-Chloroform)
  - Nanodrop-1000 spectrophotometer DNA quantification
- Polymerase Chain Reaction
  - Standard temperature conditions for STS markers and exonic DNA amplification
- Gel Electrophoresis
  - Agarose 2%
  - Polyacrylamide 8%

## Materials and Methods

- Genotyping Data Analysis
    - PEDSTATS
    - Allegro 2
    - Superlink Online Software
  - DNA Sequencing Analysis
    - Chain Termination Reaction or DNA Cycle Sequencing (ABI Prism 310 Genetic Analyzer)
  - Standard Gene Sequences
    - NCBI
    - Ensembl
    - UCSC Genome Browser Santa Cruz
  - Sequencing Alignment
    - Bioedit
    - ClustalW

## EDSS 1 Pedigree Analysis



## EDSS 1 Clinical Features



## Exclusion of known genes

| No | Phenotype                               | Gene          | Chromosome | Markers | cM*    | Mb*    |
|----|-----------------------------------------|---------------|------------|---------|--------|--------|
| 1  | Tricho-thio-dystrophy                   | <i>ERCC3</i>  | 2q21       | D2S1328 | 136.80 | 125.90 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S2339 | 136.80 | 126.29 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S2271 | 139.06 | 127.81 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S2215 | 140.87 | 129.70 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S1260 | 143.00 | 131.30 |
| 2  | Odonto-onycho-dermal dysplasia          | <i>WNT10A</i> | 2q35       | D2S2248 | 218.87 | 217.64 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S1338 | 220.78 | 218.58 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S2244 | 222.96 | 219.94 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S163  | 225.03 | 220.50 |
|    |                                         |               |            | D2S126  | 226.94 | 221.72 |
| 3  | Lacrimo-auriculo-dento-digital syndrome | <i>FGFR3</i>  | 4p16.3     | D4S111  | 0.97   | 0.98   |
|    |                                         |               |            | D4S3038 | 0.97   | 01.08  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D4S115  | 0.97   | 01.22  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D4S1614 | 02.61  | 02.86  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D4S126  | 03.60  | 03.02  |
| 4  | Lacrimo-auriculo-dento-digital syndrome | <i>FGF10</i>  | 5p13-p12   | D5S430  | 65.30  | 41.40  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D5S665  | 65.87  | 42.35  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D5S1396 | 66.41  | 44.33  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D5S2106 | 66.75  | 45.23  |
|    |                                         |               |            | D5S1388 | 66.95  | 51.62  |

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| No | Phenotype                                 | Gene          | Chromosome   | Markers  | cM <sup>+</sup> | bp <sup>+</sup> |
|----|-------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 5  | Tricho-thio-dystrophy                     | <i>GTF2H5</i> | 6q25.3       | D6S947   | 165.52          | 154.44          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D6S442   | 167.93          | 155.79          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D6S363   | 171.11          | 158.46          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D6S969   | 171.11          | 159.20          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D6S1581  | 174.00          | 160.19          |
| 6  | Ectodermal dysplasia-cutaneous syndactyly | None          | 7p21.1-p14.3 | D7S488   | 31.04           | 18.35           |
|    |                                           |               |              | D7S2562  | 35.75           | 21.45           |
|    |                                           |               |              | D7S2190  | 39.92           | 24.43           |
|    |                                           |               |              | D7S1808  | 42.92           | 28.00           |
|    |                                           |               |              | D7S2491  | 48.65           | 30.78           |
| 7  | Tricho-rhino-phalangeal syndrome          | <i>TRPS1</i>  | 8q24.12      | D8S565   | 119.68          | 116.46          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D8S1694  | 121.77          | 118.41          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D8S384   | 121.77          | 118.52          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D8S199   | 123.12          | 120.34          |
| 8  | Lacrimo-auriculo-dento-digital syndrome   | <i>FGFR2</i>  | 10q26        | D10S542  | 141.57          | 120.74          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D10S1722 | 143.88          | 122.13          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D10S1483 | 145.95          | 123.27          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D10S587  | 149.12          | 125.17          |
|    |                                           |               |              | D10S2322 | 151.09          | 126.14          |

## Exclusion of known genes

|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               |          |        |        |
|----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------|--------|--------|
| 9  | Ectodermal dysplasia cleft/lip palate syndrome                                | <i>PVRL1</i>                                                       | 11q23-q24     | D11S4104 | 127.01 | 118.14 |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D11S924  | 128.16 | 118.94 |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D11S994  | 128.79 | 119.45 |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D11S925  | 130.70 | 120.33 |
| 10 | Pachyonychia congenita 1 and 2, Ectodermal dysplasia with pure hair-nail type | <i>KRT81</i> ,<br><i>KRT83</i> ,<br><i>KRT85</i> ,<br><i>KRT86</i> | 12q13         | D12S270  | 69.16  | 50.99  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D12S1604 | 70.68  | 52.01  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D12S103  | 71.09  | 52.72  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D12S1724 | 72.13  | 53.15  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D12S1632 | 74.18  | 54.70  |
| 11 | T-cell immunodeficiency, congenital alopecia and nail dystrophy               | <i>WHN</i>                                                         | 17q11-q12     | D17S841  | 55.69  | 24.56  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S1294 | 56.07  | 25.40  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S1800 | 56.74  | 26.96  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S798  | 58.69  | 28.31  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D171850  | 61.03  | 29.16  |
| 12 | Trichodontoosseous syndrome                                                   | <i>DLX3</i>                                                        | 17q21.3-q22   | D17S943  | 76.92  | 45.19  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S747  | 79.29  | 46.02  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S1865 | 81.29  | 47.99  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D17S752  | 82.62  | 50.05  |
| 13 | Tricho-thio-dystrophy                                                         | <i>ERCC2</i>                                                       | 19q13.2-q13.3 | D19S190  | 64.03  | 44.64  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D19S554  | 65.80  | 45.30  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D19S223  | 66.09  | 46.08  |
|    |                                                                               |                                                                    |               | D19S537  | 69.10  | 48.72  |

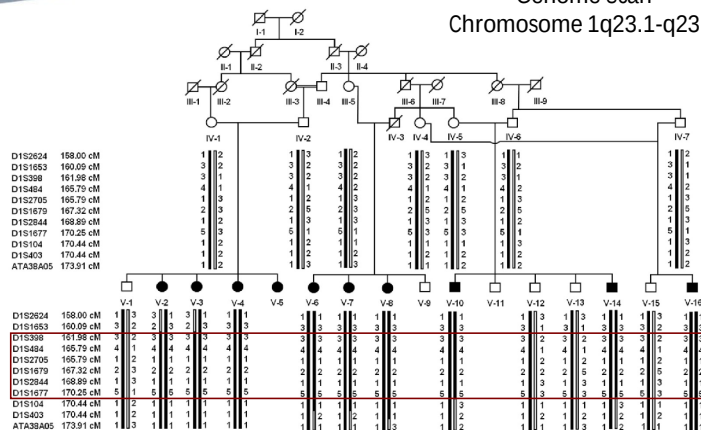
## Genome-Wide Linkage Analysis

- A total of 534 short tandem repeat polymorphic microsatellite markers, with an
- average heterozygosity of 0.75 from Linkage Mapping Set (Invitrogen, San Diego, CA, USA), were genotyped in the present genome scans
- These markers are spaced approximately 6-7 cM apart on 22 autosomes, and X and Y chromosomes.

## Linkage of Family K

Exclusion mapping followed by Human Genome Scan

Chromosome 1q23.1-q23.3



## Statistics of Linkage Analysis

- PEDSTATS was used to evaluate the genotyped data for Mendelian incompatibilities and to assess the data for occurrence of unlikely genotypes.
- SIMWALK2 was used to construct the haplotypes.
- Parametric linkage analysis was carried out using the online version of superlink software (<http://bioinfo.cs.technion.ac.il/superlink-online/>) and
- MLINK program of FASTLINK computer package.

## Statistical Analysis of Family K

**Table 5.1:** Two-point LOD score between EDCS syndrome and microsatellite markers on chromosome 1q23.1-q23.3

| Marker Name   | Distance                   |                           | Two-Point LOD Score at Recombination $\theta =$ |             |             |             |             |             |             |  |
|---------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--|
|               | Physical (bp) <sup>a</sup> | Genetic (cM) <sup>b</sup> | 0.00                                            | 0.01        | 0.05        | 0.10        | 0.20        | 0.30        | 0.40        |  |
| DIS2624       | 154,897,915                | 158.00                    | -∞                                              | 0.00        | 1.09        | 1.26        | 0.92        | 0.39        | 0.01        |  |
| DIS1653       | 156,199,398                | 160.09                    | -∞                                              | 1.92        | 2.42        | 2.29        | 1.56        | 0.74        | 0.15        |  |
| DIS398        | 157,905,344                | 161.98                    | 4.91                                            | 4.76        | 4.18        | 3.44        | 2.03        | 0.84        | 0.10        |  |
| <b>DIS484</b> | <b>159,033,934</b>         | <b>165.79</b>             | <b>5.05</b>                                     | <b>4.91</b> | <b>4.34</b> | <b>3.62</b> | <b>2.22</b> | <b>0.98</b> | <b>0.16</b> |  |
| DIS2705       | 159,124,442                | 165.79                    | 4.92                                            | 4.77        | 4.19        | 3.45        | 2.03        | 0.79        | 0.04        |  |
| DIS1679       | 160,628,539                | 167.32                    | 4.86                                            | 4.72        | 4.14        | 3.42        | 2.02        | 0.79        | 0.04        |  |
| DIS2844       | 161,215,397                | 168.89                    | 4.86                                            | 4.72        | 4.15        | 3.43        | 2.06        | 0.87        | 0.13        |  |
| DIS1677       | 161,826,325                | 170.25                    | -∞                                              | 2.81        | 2.94        | 2.54        | 1.48        | 0.53        | -0.01       |  |
| DIS104        | 161,903,530                | 170.44                    | 1.28                                            | 1.38        | 1.48        | 1.40        | 1.03        | 0.57        | 0.16        |  |
| DIS403        | 161,993,805                | 170.44                    | -∞                                              | -0.28       | 0.63        | 0.96        | 0.88        | 0.51        | 0.15        |  |
| ATA38A05      | 164,115,368                | 173.91                    | -∞                                              | -1.03       | 0.20        | 0.54        | 0.47        | 0.17        | -0.04       |  |

<sup>a</sup>Physical and <sup>b</sup>Genetic distances are according to the second-generation combined linkage physical map of the human genome (Matisse *et al.*, 2007).



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**PVRL4 poliovirus receptor related 4 [Homo sapiens]**

Gene ID: 81457, updated on 14-May-2012

Summary

**Official Symbol** PVRL4 (invited by HGNC)  
**Official Full Name** poliovirus receptor-related 4 (provided by HGNC)  
**Primary source** HGNC:13588  
**See related** Ensembl:ENSG000002142417; HPRD:17334; MIM:609907; Vega:OTTHUMD0000031475  
**Gene type** protein-coding  
**RefSeq status** REVIEWED  
**Organism** HOMO SAPIENS  
**Lineage** Eukaryota, Metazoa, Chordata, Vertebrata, Euteleostomi, Mammalia, Eutheria, Euarchontoglires, Primates, Haplorhini, Catarrhini, Hominoidea, Homo  
**Also known as** LHR, PR4, EDSS1, nadin-4, DFZp658K05183  
**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the nadin family. The encoded protein contains two immunoglobulin-like (Ig-like) C2-type domains and one Ig-like V-type domain. It is involved in cell adhesion through trans-homophilic and -heterophilic interactions. It is a single-pass type I membrane protein. The soluble form is produced by proteolytic cleavage at the cell surface by the metalloproteinase ADAM17/TACE. The secreted form is found in both breast tumor cell lines and breast tumor patients. Mutations in this gene are the cause of epidermal dysplasia-prickly syndrome type 1, an autosomal recessive disorder. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been found but the full-length nature of the variant has not been determined (provided by RefSeq, Jan 2011)

Genomic context

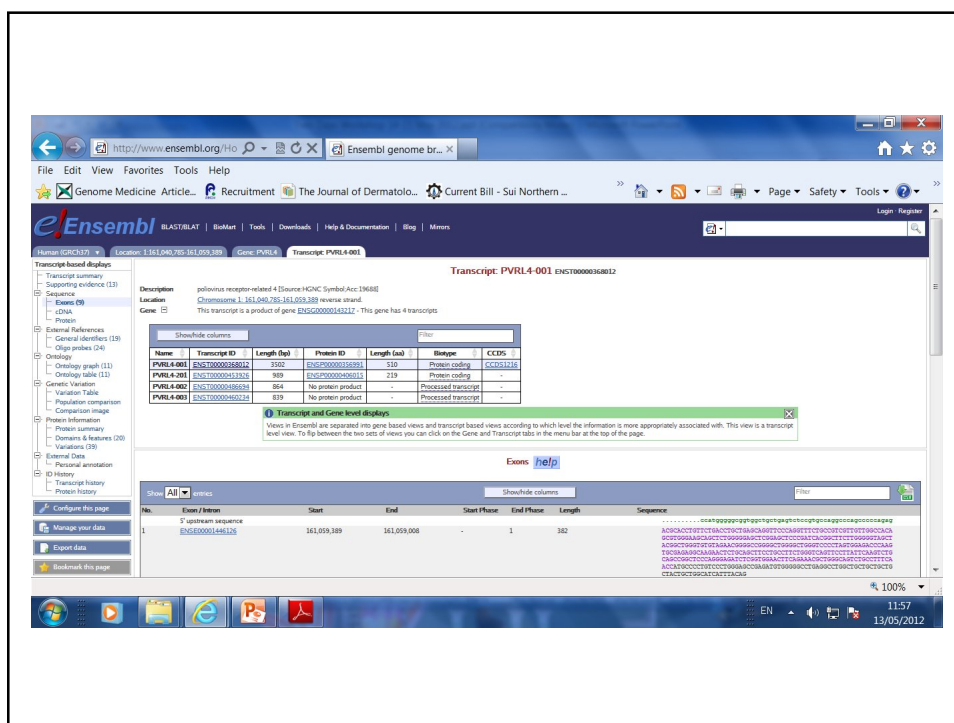
Location: 1q22-q23.2  
 Sequence: Chromosome: 1; NC\_000001.10 (161540781..101059385, complement)

See PVRL4 in Ensembl | Map Viewer

Chromosome 1 - NC\_000001.10 [161540781]

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## Primers of Exon 3 PVRL4

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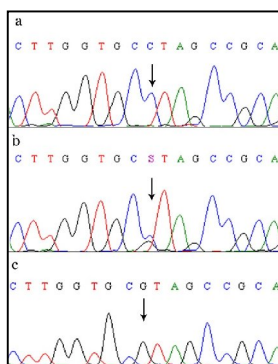
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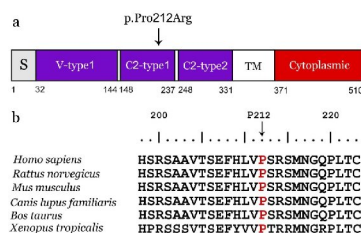
Reverse Primer 5'CCACATTGGACTAGTGCTC3'

Product Size 583 bp

## PVRL4 Mutation in Family K



c.635C>G, p.Pro212Arg





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