

Table 7. Mutations in genes of CF airways isolates from 29 different patients

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transcriptional regulator <i>mexZ</i> (PA2020)										
	26	nonsynonymous	C	T	S	F	10	15.4A, 15.4B	6.7	Not tolerated
	60	18bp deletion	CGAGCGGG TTTTCTGG A	-	-	-	18	11.8, 18.4	4.2, 9.0	-
	74	nonsynonymous	T	C	L	P	19	22.5	7.2, 16.4	Not tolerated
	137	nonsynonymous	G	T	G	V	14	13.1B	4.3, 13.1A	Not tolerated
	139	nonsynonymous	G	C	A	P	8	13.3A	1.1	Not tolerated
	145	3bp deletion	TAC	-	-	-	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	-
	231	14bp deletion	CCAGGGTG CCGGCGC	-	-	-	11	15.3	7.3, 13.7	-
	256–319	64bp deletion	-	-	-	-	24	22.5	8.5, 17.4	-
	308	1bp deletion	A	-	-	-	15	12.8A, 12.8B	5.7	-
	315	5bp deletion	G	-	-	-	25	14.5	1.2, 21.0	-
	337	13bp deletion	ACTTGAGGT AGAG	-	-	-	22	20.0	9.9	-

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	97	11bp deletion	TCGAAGATC CT	-	-	-	20	17.5	-	-
	179	nonsynonymous	G	A	W	STOP	3	7.3	0.8, 6.8	-
	181	nonsynonymous	C	T	R	C	12	21.1B	8.6, 21.1A	Not tolerated
	194	nonsynonymous	A	G	D	G	17	17.7, 22.2	6.6	Not tolerated
	254	nonsynonymous	C	T	P	L	30	18.5	10.2, 16.8	Not tolerated
	292	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	10	15.4A, 15.4B	6.7	-
	316	nonsynonymous	T	C	S	P	28	14.8, 17.9	8.2	Tolerated
	341	nonsynonymous	T	C	L	P	21	15.2	0.5, 10.7, 14.3, 19.5	Not tolerated
	344	nonsynonymous	C	T	T	I	8	13.3A	1.1, 13.3B	Tolerated
	350	nonsynonymous	C	T	P	L	23	14.0	6.2, 10.0	Not tolerated
	355	2bp insertion	CA	CACA	-	-	13	19.6A, 19.6B	10.8	-
	362	nonsynonymous	C	A	A	D	17	22.2	6.6, 17.7	Not tolerated
	455	1bp deletion	G	-	-	-	6	9.6B	1.0, 9.6A	-
	467	nonsynonymous	A	G	D	G	30	18.5	10.2, 16.8	Not tolerated
	532	nonsynonymous	A	G	T	A	21	19.5	0.5, 10.7, 14.3, 15.2	Not tolerated

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	538	nonsynonymous	C	T	R	W	15	12.8A, 12.8B	5.7	Not tolerated
	561	nonsynonymous	G	A	W	STOP	27	6.4	9.1, 11.4	-
	578	nonsynonymous	C	T	T	I	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	Not tolerated
	608	nonsynonymous	G	A	C	Y	24	22.5	8.5, 17.4	Not tolerated
	665	nonsynonymous	C	T	T	I	22	20.0	9.9	Tolerated
	678	IS insertion	-	-	-	-	20	9.9	-	-
	691	nonsynonymous	G	C	A	P	26	8.6	2.9, 13.3	Not tolerated
probable permease of ABC transporter (PA0313)										
	259	nonsynonymous	G	A	G	R	6	9.6B	1.0, 9.6A	Not tolerated
	353	nonsynonymous	G	A	R	H	29	13.5, 14.0	5.6	Not tolerated
	384	1bp deletion	A	-	Q	-	7	15.4A	7.8, 15.4B	-
	417	nonsynonymous	G	A	W	STOP	21	15.2	0.6, 10.7, 14.3, 19.5	-
	419	1bp insertion	GGGG	GGGGG	-	-	25	14.5	1.2, 21.0	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	8	13.3A, 13.3B	1.1	-

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				CAGCCTGAT						
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	11	13.7	7.3, 15.3	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	13	19.6A, 19.6B	10.8	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	15	12.8A, 12.8B	5.7	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	25	21.0	1.2, 14.5	-
	483	9bp deletion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT	-	-	21	14.3	0.6, 10.7, 15.2, 19.5	-
	483	9bp insertion	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT CAGCCTGAT	-	-	30	16.8, 18.5	10.2	-

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	538	nonsynonymous	G	A	E	K	18	11.8	4.2, 9.0, 18.4	Not tolerated
RND multidrug efflux membrane fusion protein <i>mexA</i> (PA0425)										
	352	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	21	15.2	0.6, 10.7, 14.3	-
	379	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	20	9.9	17.3	-
	479	nonsynonymous	T	G	V	G	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	Not tolerated
	520	nonsynonymous	A	G	T	A	8	13.3A	1.1, 13.3B	Not tolerated
	658	nonsynonymous	G	C	E	Q	14	13.1A, 13.1B	4.3	Tolerated
	658	nonsynonymous	G	T	E	STOP	14	4.3	13.1A, 13.1B	-
	658	nonsynonymous	G	T	E	STOP	12	8.6, 21.1A, 21.1B	-	-
	768	1bp deletion	C	-	-	-	19	16.4, 22.5	7.2	-
	800	nonsynonymous	A	G	N	S	23	6.2	10.0, 14.0	Not tolerated
	812	nonsynonymous	A	G	E	G	23	6.2	10.0, 14.0	Tolerated
	824	nonsynonymous	G	C	G	A	15	12.8A, 12.8B	5.7	Not tolerated
	838	nonsynonymous	G	C	A	P	20	17.3	9.9	Not tolerated
	878	nonsynonymous	C	A	A	D	17	22.2	6.6, 17.7	Not tolerated

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	142	nonsynonymous	C	T	R	C	29	13.5, 14.0	5.6	Not tolerated
	155	nonsynonymous	C	A	A	D	17	22.2	6.6, 17.7	Tolerated
	280	nonsynonymous	C	T	P	S	23	6.2	10.0, 14.0	Tolerated
	304	nonsynonymous	G	T	D	Y	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	Not tolerated
	529	nonsynonymous	A	G	T	A	20	17.3	9.9	Not tolerated
	549	6bp deletion	GAGTTC	-	-	-	7	15.4A	7.8, 15.4B	-
	730	nonsynonymous	G	A	G	S	7	15.4B	7.8, 15.4A	Not tolerated
	935	nonsynonymous	T	G	F	C	23	10.0, 14.0	6.2	Not tolerated
transcriptional regulator <i>exsA</i> (PA1713)										
	128	IS insertion	-	-	-	-	20	17.3	9.9	-
	427	nonsynonymous	G	A	E	K	2	12.8, 13.0	6.3	Not tolerated
	463	3bp insertion	GGGG	GGGGGGG	-	-	22	20.0	9.9	-
	467	nonsynonymous	C	T	P	L	2	13.0	12.8, 6.3	Tolerated
	596	nonsynonymous	C	T	T	I	23	14.0	6.2, 10.0	Tolerated
	676	nonsynonymous	C	T	H	Y	23	10.0	6.2, 14.0	Not tolerated
	727	nonsynonymous	G	C	A	P	27	11.4	6.4, 9.1	Not tolerated

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	730	nonsynonymous	G	A	G	S	14	13.1A, 13.1B	4.3	Not tolerated
probable acyl-CoA dehydrogenase (PA0506)										
	578	nonsynonymous	G	A	G	D	22	20.0	9.9	Not tolerated
	783	2bp deletion	AC	-	-	-	20	17.3	9.9	-
	1091	nonsynonymous	T	A	L	Q	17	17.7, 22.2	6.6	Tolerated
	1285	nonsynonymous	C	G	Q	E	27	9.1	6.4, 11.4	Not tolerated
	1525	nonsynonymous	G	C	A	P	7	15.4B	7.8, 15.4A	Not tolerated
	1651	nonsynonymous	A	G	T	A	21	19.5	0.5, 10.7, 14.3, 15.2	Tolerated
*probable methyltransferase involved in chemosensory signal transduction <i>wspF</i> (PA3703)										
	37-63	27-bp deletion	GTCGAGGC GCTGCGCC	-	-	-	20	17.3	9.9	-

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			GCGCGCTG GCC							
	494	nonsynonymous	C	G	S	W	16	7.0	23.4	Not tolerated
	761	nonsynonymous	A	G	D	G	10	6.7	15.4A, 15.4B	Not tolerated
	800-801	16-bp insertion	-	TCGCCACGC CAATAAT	-	-	17	17.7, 22.2	6.6	-
	895	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	23	10.0, 14.0	6.2	-
	955	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	25	14.5	1.2, 21.0	-
*RNA polymerase sigma-54 factor <i>rpoN</i> (PA4462)										
	99	1-bp deletion	CC	C	-	-	13	19.6A, 19.6B	10.8	-
	324	nonsynonymous	G	A	W	STOP	9	19.7A, 19.7B	9.2	-
	1019	3-bp insertion	-	AGC	-	S	17	17.7	6.6, 22.2	-

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	1279-1280	2-bp deletion	GT	-	-	-	30	16.8, 18.5	10.2	-
	1346	nonsynonymous	C	T	A	V	2	12.8, 13.0	6.3	Not tolerated
*transcriptional regulator of flagella synthesis <i>fleQ</i> (PA1097)										
	230	nonsynonymous	A	G	D	G	13	19.6A	10.8, 19.6B	Tolerated
	235	nonsynonymous	T	C	Y	H	30	18.5	10.2, 16.8	Tolerated
	364	nonsynonymous	C	T	Q	STOP	11	15.3	7.3, 13.7	-
	433	nonsynonymous	A	G	S	G	21	19.5	0.5, 10.7, 14.3, 15.2	Not tolerated
	1135	nonsynonymous	G	A	G	R	12	21.1A	-	Not tolerated
transcriptional regulator <i>mexT</i> (PA2492)										
	468	nonsynonymous	C	A	P	Q	17	22.2	6.6, 17.7	Not tolerated

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	659	nonsynonymous	G	A	D	N	13	19.6A, 19.6B	10.8	Not tolerated
	893	nonsynonymous	G	C	G	R	27	9.1, 11.4	6.4	Tolerated
	977	nonsynonymous	G	A	A	T	7	15.4A	7.8	Not tolerated
*probable transcriptional regulator <i>nalD</i> (PA3574)										
	26-31	1-bp deletion	AAAAAA	AAAAA	-	-	13	19.6A, 19.6B	10.8	-
	123	synonymous	G	A	G	G	23	6.2	10.0, 14.0	-
	160	nonsynonymous	A	C	K	Q	26	8.6, 13.3	2.9	None
*β-lactamase expression regulator <i>ampD</i> (PA4522)										
	78-88	11-bp deletion	AGGGGACG CGG	-	-	-	10	15.4A, 15.4B	6.7	-
	83	nonsynonymous	A	G	D	G	22	20.0	9.9	Tolerated

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	913	nonsynonymous	A	G	R	G	8	13.3A	1.1, 13.3B	None
probable transcriptional regulator (PA2312)										
	306	synonymous	G	A	A	A	7	15.4A	7.8, 15.4B	-

IS, insertion element.

[†]Genes with names preceded by an asterisk were chosen for sequencing on the basis of other studies. The remaining 24 genes were mutated in the 96-month isolate of patient 1.

[‡]For each mutation, all isolates listed are clonally related and are from the same patient.

[§]Nonsynonymous mutations that are predicted to cause partial or complete loss of function are labeled "Not tolerated." No prediction was made when fewer than four homologs were available.