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Supplemental Data

Dosage-Dependent Severity of the Phenotype in Patients

with Mental Retardation Due to a Recurrent Copy-Number

Gain at Xq28 Mediated by an Unusual Recombination

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Table S1. Primer sequences used for copy number analysis, expression profiling, and breakpoint analysis in the four families. All positions are based on the UCSC genome browser (NCBI Build 36.1, Hg18, March 2006).

qPCR primer sequences for mapping the aberrations and for copy number quantification			
locus ID	forward primer (5' to 3')	reverse primer (5' to 3')	position
normalizer	GGTGTCCAAGCCACTGAAT	GTGACTTGGTGACTCACAGTTA	48257866
1	TGCTGGATGAATAACCACAACAC	GAAGGTCTCCAGCCATCAGAAG	152958445
2	TCCCAGCTGAGAGTCCATCTG	CACGTCTTCTCAACCTAATGGAATT	153056474
3	GGATGGGACGCTGCTACAGA	GGACATGGTATCAGGTGGACTCA	153190779
4	TAACACCCACAGCCACAT	AAGTCCGGGCTCAAATACC	153201372
5	GCCATAAAGCAGGTGTTTCCA	TTTCCATTTGGTGGCGTTTT	153208098
6	CACAGCAAATGCAGAAAACAGT	TTTCCAGGCGCAAACACT	153210170
7	TGGAGCTGAGGGAGGAT	AGACAAGGGCCAGGAAG	153228970
8	CCGCGGGTTCGCACTTAC	CAAATCAGTGGCTCTCCCTCTT	153232685
9	CATGCACGCTACCAGCAGTC	AGAATGATGTGCCAGAGACGC	153263348
10	TGCTGGTTCTCACACCTT	TCAGTGGCTGCAACGAAA	153279966
11	TTGACCTGATTCCCAAATTCCT	CCCCGACCTGCAATACC	153320372
12	CGCAGGGAAGGGTTTGTG	AAAAGAGGGTCCCAGGAACAG	153344474
13	ACGGACGTCTGAGTTGGT	CACCTACTGCAGATGCTGTGTCT	153414994
14	TGGGTGGTGCCAGCATCT	CAGCTTTCCGCCAGTTCT	153485548
15	TCCAGTGTGAAAGCAGCAAG	ATGATCCAAACTCCTGAGTCC	153515781
16	GGAGTAAGATTCTGCCACCATTG	CCATCTTGTTCAGCCTCTGA	153559191
17	CCAAATGCCGTGCCTCTTT	TGGACCACGTTGGGTATTCA	153634659

qPCR primer sequences for copy number analysis of LCR sets			
locus ID	forward primer (5' to 3')	reverse primer (5' to 3')	position
K1/K2	GCCTTCCCTGAGGAATGT	CCAGGACCCTGTACCCGA	153226431
			and 153268727
L1/L2	TCCAGTGTGAAAGCAGCAAG	ATGATCCAAACTCCTGAGTCC	153451460
			and 153515781

qPCR primer sequences for gene expression analysis			
gene ID	forward primer (5' to 3')	reverse primer (5' to 3')	map
<i>FLNA</i>	CAGATGAGGCCAGGATCA	CATCAAACCTGGTGTCCATCGA	ex1-2
<i>GDI1</i>	CCTGCAACGACATCAAAGACA	TTTGCCTTCATGTTCTCAAAG	ex11
<i>RPL10</i>	TGCTGGTTCTCACACCTT	TCAGTGGCTGCAACGAAA	ex1
<i>ATP6AP1</i>	TCTGCTGCTCATTGCGC	CTCATCGTTGCCTGTGAGGA	ex4-5
<i>HUWE1</i>	ACAGGCCATGCAGAGCTTTAA	ATACGTTCTCTGTACCAACAACCT	ex23-24
<i>PORCN</i>	CTCTGCCGACATTCCTCC	TGTGCATCTCACCCATGAGT	ex2-3
<i>HPRT</i>	TGACACTGGCAAAACAATGCA	GGTCCTTTTACCAGCAAGCT	ex6-7
<i>ACTB</i>	CACCCTGAAGTACCCCATCG	CACGGCATCGTCACCAACTGGG	ex3
<i>GUSB</i>	AGAGTGGTGCTGAGGATTGG	CCCTCATGCTCTAGCGTGTC	ex2-3

Table S2. Summary of the 44K array data for duplication mapping in families 1 to 4. All positions are based on the UCSC genome browser (NCBI Build 36.1, Hg18, March 2006).

	Family 1 (IV.2)	Family 2 (II.1)	Family 3 (II.2)	Family 4 (II.1)		
Region 1 (R1)	153,063,119 mean: -0.39 153,174,273	153,063,119 mean: -0.04 153,176,589	153,075,872 mean: 0.47 153,176,589	153,062,921 mean: -0.54 153,176,459	JA-JB-JC	
Region 2 (R2)	153,218,037 mean: 0.58 153,277,405	153,218,037 mean: 0.99 153,276,349	153,218,037 mean: 0.76 153,272,904	153,218,037 mean: 0.53 153,277,380	K1-K2	153.217 153.278
Region 3 (R3 and R3')	153,278,883 mean: 0.97 153,440,851	153,277,032 mean: 1.43 153,428,103	153,273,266 mean: 1.15 153,443,457	153,277,390 mean: 0.91 153,308,905 153,308,932	intervening region	
Region 4 (R4 and R4')	153,440,879 mean: 0.63 153,535,824	153,428,204 mean: 1.07 153,542,213	153,443,474 mean: 0.82 153,535,824	mean: 0.50 153,535,824	L1-L2	153.437 153.531
Size	317.787	324.176	317.787	317.787		

Figure S1

Pictures of affected male individuals of family 1. The proband IV.2 and his mother III.11 (A), male III.10 (B) and III.19 (C) are shown.

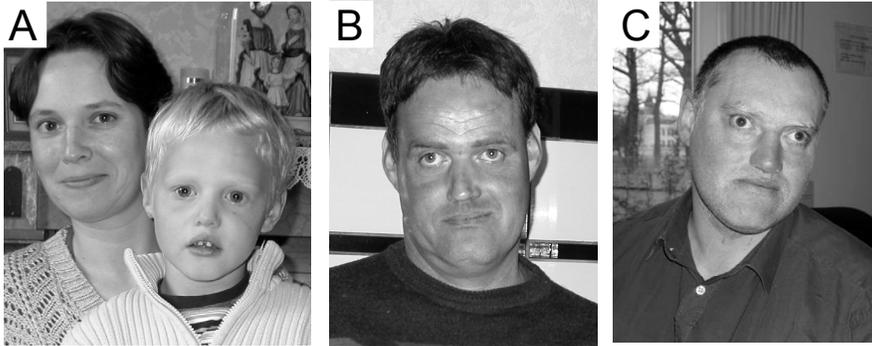


Figure S1

Figure S2

X chromosome-specific array-CGH plots obtained for probands of **A.** Family 1 and **B.** Family 2 revealing the duplications at Xq28. DNA from two unrelated MR patients were differentially labeled and co-hybridized onto the X-array. The log₂ normalized intensity ratios of the Cy5 (patient with duplication) and Cy3 (unrelated MR patient) signals are plotted (Y-axis) against the position on the X chromosome (in Mb), from Xpter to Xqter (X-axis). The duplications are visible as clones with aberrant ratios >0.3 (arrows). Other clones outside the normal interval are confirmed polymorphic clones or outliers.

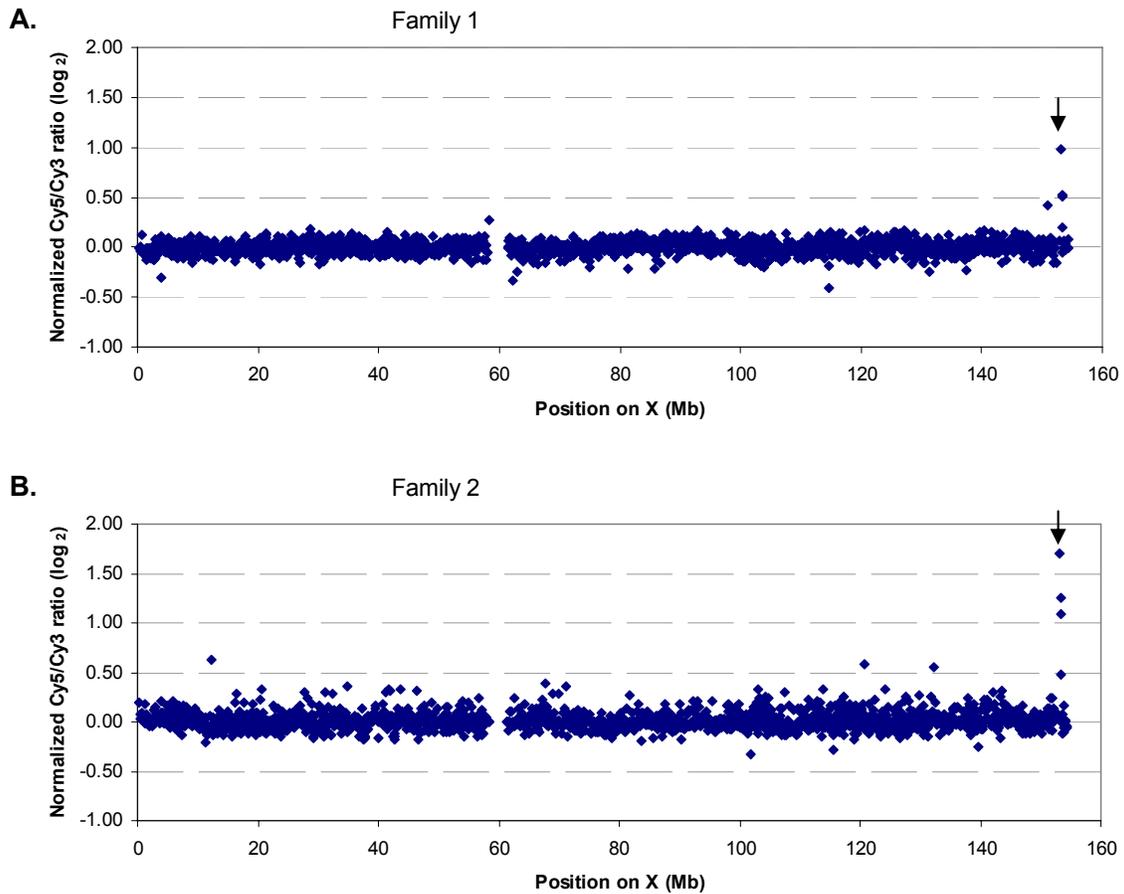


Figure S2

Figure S3

Relative copy number (indicated by the numbers above each bar) at several loci within the R3 region in the probands of the four families (Fam) as determined by qPCR, normalized to the *PORCN* locus on the X chromosome and relative to two male control samples (Co1 and Co2). The data represent the average of at least 4 independent experiments and standard deviations are indicated.

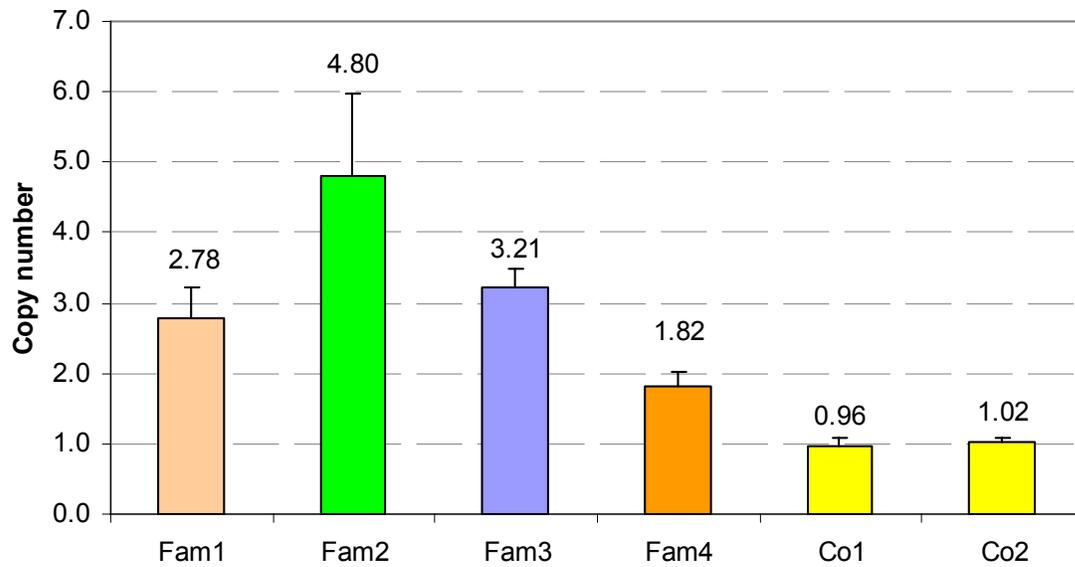


Figure S3

Figure S4

Alternative inversion polymorphism-dependent recombination model to explain the triplication found in families 1 and 3. In Step 1, an inversion takes place in between the members of the K- and L-LCRs, which results in the repositioning of K2 and L1. This relocation then allows NAHR between sister chromatids resulting in duplication of the intervening sequence R3 (Step 2: NAHR1). In Step 3a (or 3b) a second NAHR will yield triplication (or quadruplication) of this intervening sequence (NAHR2).

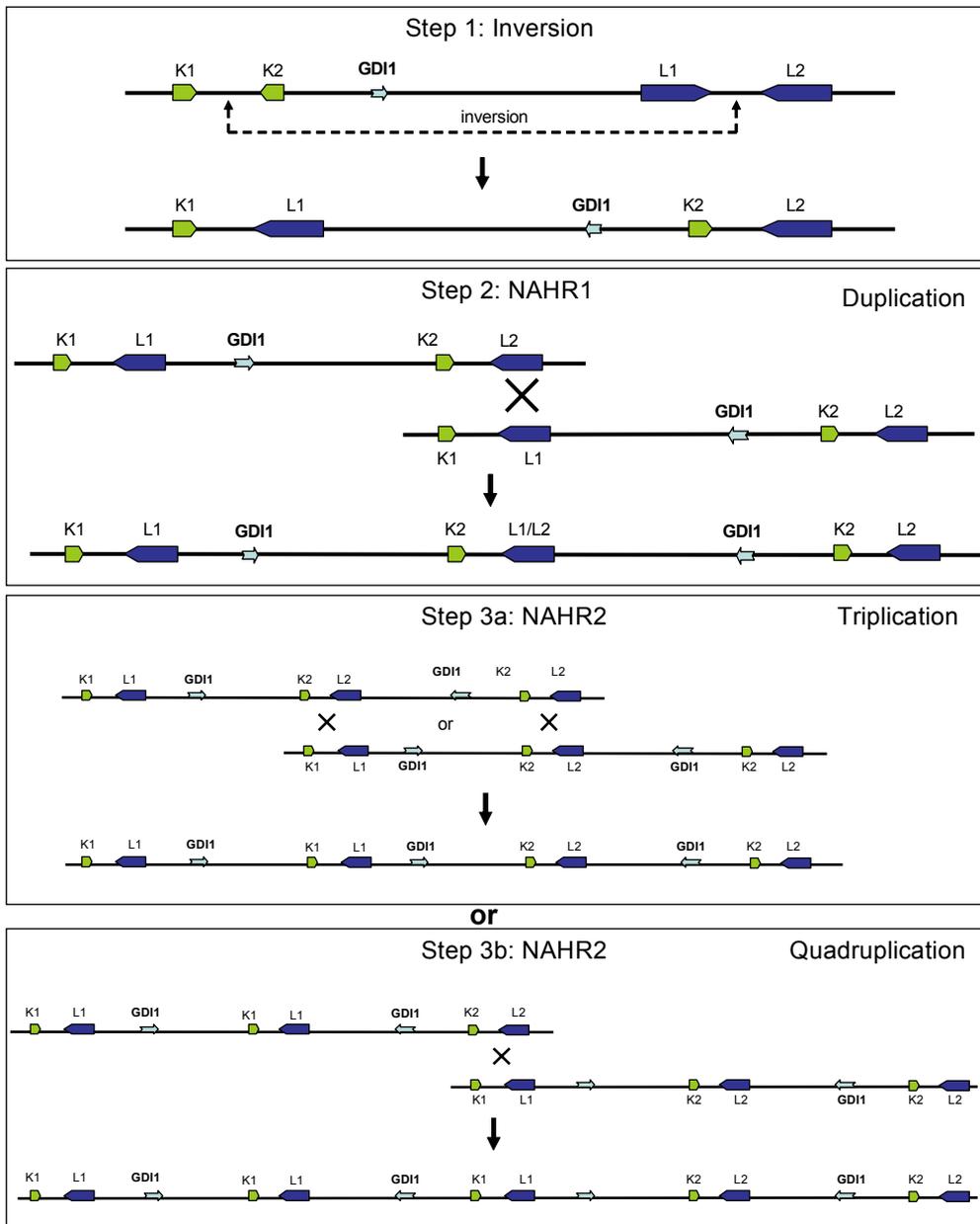


Figure S4