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# HLH-30/TFEB is a conserved regulator of autophagy and modulates longevity in *C. elegans*

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### STRAIN LIST

### Published strains used in this study:

N2	Wild-type, WT (Hansen lab (MAH) – originated from Kenyon lab (CF))
CF1041	daf-2(e1370) III
CF1903	glp-1(e2141) III
CF1908	eat-2(ad1116) II
CF2172	isp-1(qm150) IV
DA2123	<i>adls2122[lgg-1p::gfp::lgg-1 + rol-6(su1006)]</i> (Avery lab)
HZ859	<i>him-5(e1490) V; bpls151[sqst-1/T12G3.1::GFP</i> + <i>unc-76]</i> (Zhang lab)
IU223	<i>clk-1(e2519) III</i> (Lee lab)
MAH14	daf-2(e1370)
MAH43	glp-1(e2141ts)
RT258	<i>unc-119(ed3);                                    </i>
VB633	<i>rsks-1(sv31) III</i> (Tuck lab)

### New strains created for this study:

JIN1375	hlh-30(tm1978) IV, outcrossed 6 times to Irazoqui lab (JIN) N2
JIN1679	jinEx10[hlh-30p::hlh-30::gfp, rol-6(su1006)]
MAH53	rsks-1(sv31)
MAH61	clk-1(e2519)
MAH71	isp-1(qm150) IV; adls2122[lgg-1p::gfp::lgg-1 + rol-6(su1006)]
MAH150	glp-1(e2141ts)
MAH200	jinEx10[hlh-30p::hlh-30::gfp + rol-6(su10060]; izEx5[lgg-1p::gfp::lgg-1 + odr-1p::rfp]
MAH202	glp-1(e2141) III; jinEx10[hlh-30p::hlh-30::gfp, rol-6(su1006)]
MAH203	glp-1(e2141ts) III; him-5(e1490) V?; bpls151[sqst-1/T12G3.1::GFP+ unc-76]
MAH204	daf-2(e1370)
MAH206	glp-1(e2141ts) III; hlh-30(tm1978) IV
MAH235	sqls19[hlh-30p::hlh-30::gfp, rol-6(su1006)] outcrossed 4 times to N2 (OE #1)
MAH236	sqls13[lgg-1p::gfp::lgg-1p + odr-1p::rfp] outcrossed 4 times to N2
MAH240	sqls17[hlh-30p::hlh-30::gfp, rol-6(su1006)] outcrossed 4 times to N2 (OE #2)
MAH253	eat-2(ad1116)
MAH266	rsks-1(sv31)
MAH267	clk-1(e2519)

#### SUPPLEMENTARY METHODS

#### Quantification of GFP::LGG-1 punctae by confocal microscopy

Day 1 adult wild-type or *rsks-1(sv31)* animals expressing GFP::LGG-1 fed OP50 *E. coli* bacteria and grown at 20°C were mounted on a 2% agarose pad containing 0.1% 1.5 M NaN<sub>3</sub>. Worms were imaged using a LSM Zeiss 710 scanning confocal microscope. Z stacks were taken at 0.6  $\mu$ m slices. GFP excitation/emission was limited to 493/512 nm to eliminate background autofluorescence from the worms. Four experiments with 10-15 L3 worms or day 1 adults were imaged for each experiment. The number of GFP::LGG-1 positive punctae were counted in the seam cells, intestinal cells, and muscle on one 0.6  $\mu$ m slice. The Z-position of the seam cells and intestinal cells was chosen at a position where the nucleus could be clearly seen. Statistical analysis (ANOVA) was performed with GraphPad Prism software.

TABLE S1. Distribution of CLEAR elements in autophagy-related and lysosomal	
genes in <i>C. elegans</i>	

GENE	COSMID	MAMMALIAN ORTHOLOG	CLEAR ELEMENT GTCACGTGAC	POSITION	OVERLAP /10 bp
AUTOPHAGY	GENES				
lgg-1	C32D5.9	lc3	GTCTCGTTTC GTCACATGAT	-930 -904	7 8
atg-18	F4E6.13	wipi	GTCAAGTTAG CTCACTTGAC ATCAGCTGAC	-815 -710 -211	7 8 7
atg-9	T22H9.2	atg-9	ATCATGTGAT GGCACGCGGC GACAGGTGGC	-667 -595 -402	7 7 7
sqst-1	T12G3.1	sqstm1	GTGTCGAGAC TTCGTGTGAC	-621 47	7 7
LYSOSOMAL	GENES				
vps-11	R06F6.2	vps-11			
vps-18	W06B4.3	vps-18	GTCAGGTCAC	-138	8
lmp-1	C03B1.12	lamp-1	GCTACGACAC GTCACATGTC ATCAGGTGAC ATGAGGTGAC	-949 -687 -513 -296	7 8 8 7
vha-15	T14F9.1	atp6v1h	GTCTCGCAAC	-249	7
vha-16	C30F8.2	atp6v0d2			
vha-17	F49C12.13.1	atp6v0e1	GCCGCGAGAC	-378	7
sul-1	K09C4.8	arsa	TCCACATGAC TTGACGAGAC TTCACTTGTC	-279 -237 -120	7 7 7
sul-2	D1014.1	arsa	TTTACGTGAA	-683	7

GENE	COSMID	MAMMALIAN	CLEAR ELEMENT	POSITION	OVERLAP
		ORTHOLOG	GTCACGTGAC		/10 bp
sul-3	C54D2.4	arsb	CTCACTTGAA	-802	7
			GTCAAGTGCC	-662	8
			ATCACTTGGC	-589	7
			ATCACTTGTC	-557	7
			GACAAGTGCC	-512	7
ctsa*	C08H9.1	ctsa	GTTACGTGGA	-540	7
			GTCGTTTGAC	-244	7
cpr-1	C52E4.1	ctsb	TGTACGTGAC	-733	7
			GTCATGTGAA	-478	8
			AGCACGTGAG	-154	7
asp-1	Y39B6A.20	ctsd			
hlh-30	W02C12.3a	tfeb	TTCACGGCAC	-85	7

**Table S1:** Analysis of nematode orthologs of TFEB autophagy-related and lysosomal target genes reveals the presence of CLEAR (Coordinated Lysosomal Expression And Regulation) elements within 1000 base pairs (bp) upstream and 200 bp downstream of the start codon in the majority of targets. Motifs were determined using Gene Runner 3.0 software. CLEAR elements fully overlap with E-box motifs, a 6-base DNA sequence recognized by HLH-30 (Grove et al., 2009). The positions of CLEAR elements (Sardiello et al., 2009) in the promoters of nematode orthologs of mammalian TFEB autophagy-related and lysosomal target genes were generally located within 1000 bp upstream of the open reading frame (ORF) of *C. elegans* genes. In contrast to their position in the promoters of nematode genes, CLEAR elements in mammalian TFEB target gene promoters were more prevalent within 200 bp of the initiation site of the ORFs (Sardiello et al., 2009). The cutoff for sequence motifs was 7 bp overlap, which limited the numbers of sites found. Notably, despite containing no sequences with 7+ bp overlap, promoter regions of *vha-16* and *asp-1* included several motifs with 6 bp overlap (data not shown).

hlh-30 RNAi **Control RNAi** Number of Number of ∆ avg P value avg lifespan avg lifespan **STRAINS RNAi** animals **RNAi** animals vs control (%) (days) (days) WT 42/100 16.1 62/100 0.99 # 16.5 3 63/100 17.9 69/100 0.67 Fig. 3a 17.8 -1 53/100 16.3 16.8 57/100 -3 0.51 76/100 73/100 0.037 18.5 17.1 8 17.1 68/100 16.7 77/100 2 0.52 18.1 59/100 16.8 54/100 8 0.10 65/100 92/100 -29 < 0.0001 15.6 22.1 # glp-1 89/100 60/100 0.0012 Fig. 3b 17.6 20.5 -14 71/100 20.8 83/100 0.0026 18.0 -14 16.6 106/125 20.4 95/125 -19 < 0.0001 16.1 90/100 19.4 80/100 -17 < 0.0001 51/100 64/100 < 0.0001 17.7 24.8 -29 68/100 daf-2 33.5 62/100 48.4 -31 < 0.0001 # Fig. 3c 31.4 34/100 39.8 41/100 -21 0.0005 36.2 68/100 46.5 71/100 -22 < 0.0001 65/100 75/100 0.0004 18.2 21.0 -13 # eat-2 58/100 19.1 55/100 21.3 -10 0.011 Fig. 3d 69/100 23.0 67/100 0.0001 19.7 -14 76/100 clk-1 17.8 44/100 25.0 -29 < 0.0001 # 19.5 65/100 21.8 71/100 -11 0.015 Fig. 3e 75/100 20.0 70/100 0.0002 16.6 -17 rsks-1 17.0 74/100 25.8 77/100 -34 < 0.0001 # 72/100 < 0.0001 Fig. 3f 15.0 79/100 22.3 -33 61/100 < 0.0001 17.2 75/100 21.6 -20 hlh-30 mutant Number of avg lifespan Number of ∆ avg P value avg lifespan **STRAINS** animals (days) **RNAi** animals (%) vs control (days) WT 16.0 68/100 16.0 60/100 0 0.40 # Fig. S3a 20.5 31/100 19.2 42/100 7 0.28 18.8 66/100 17.6 67/100 7 0.050 -16 16.7 93/100 19.8 69/100 < 0.0001 # glp-1 Fig. S3a 17.6 63/100 34.7 79/100 -49 < 0.0001 74/100 70/100 < 0.0001 16.5 23.8 -31

TABLE S2. Lifespan analysis of *C. elegans* animals with reduced *hlh-30* levels.

**Table S2:** (**Top**) Results of lifespan analyses of wild-type (WT, N2), *glp-1(e2141)*, *daf-2(e1370)*, *eat-2(ad1116)*, *clk-1(e2519)*, and *rsks-1(sv31)* animals fed bacteria expressing empty vector or *hlh-30* dsRNA during adulthood (from L4 stage for *clk-1(e2519)*). WT and *glp-1(e2141)* were raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C) and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* during development. *daf-2(e1370)*, *eat-2(ad1116)*, *clk-1(e2519)*, and *rsks-1(sv31)* mutants were raised at 20°C and fed OP50 bacteria during development.

(**Bottom**) Results of lifespan analyses of WT, *glp-1(e2141)*, *hlh-30(tm1978)*, and *glp-1(e2141)*; *hlh-30(tm1978)* animals raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C), transferred to 20°C on day 1 of adulthood, and fed OP50 bacteria throughout their life. Lifespan experiments including WT and *glp-1* animals were carried out in parallel and were organized in the same order.

Data show the mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test. #, representative lifespan curves displayed in the indicated figures.

STRAINS	Adult-only treatment	Target RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	Control RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control	
WT	vha-16	15.6	72/100	17.5	63/100	-11	0.0015	#
Fig. S3b		14.1	64/100	16.8	54/100	-16	0.0001	
		14.6	68/100	16.1	62/100	-9	0.011	
Fig. S3c	lmp-1	16.8	66/100	16.7	77/100	1	0.79	#
		15.8	78/100	17.9	69/100	-12	0.0059	
		17.8	74/100	15.8	64/100	13	0.021	
glp-1	vha-16	13.8	65/100	25.9	64/100	-47	<0.0001	#
Fig. S3b		14.8	80/100	24.8	64/100	-42	<0.0001	
		15.0	94/100	22.0	92/100	-32	<0.0001	
Fig. S3c	lmp-1	17.2	91/100	19.4	80/100	-11	0.069	#
		16.6	78/100	17.3	77/100	-4	0.58	
		18.3	91/100	20.5	60/100	-11	0.041	

TABLE S3. Lifespan analysis of *C. elegans* subjected to *vha-16* or *lmp-1* RNAi.

**Table S3:** Results of lifespan analyses of wild-type (WT, N2) and *glp-1(e2141)* animals fed bacteria expressing control dsRNA or dsRNA against the proton pump subunit *vha-16* or the lysosomal protein *Imp-1* during adulthood. Animals were raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C) and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria during development. Lifespan experiments with WT and *glp-1* animals were carried out in parallel and were organized in the same order. *Imp-1* RNAi was confirmed to have a visible effect on an LMP-1::GFP reporter strain (see Supplementary Fig. S3d).

Data show the mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test. #, representative lifespan curves displayed in the indicated figures.

TABLE S4. Lifespan analysis of wild-type animals and *hlh-30* mutants subjected to *tor* RNAi.

STRAINS	<i>tor</i> RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	Control RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control
WT	21.8	70/100	17.1	60/100	28	<0.0001 #
Fig. 2d	24.8	58/100	18.7	46/100	33	<0.0001
	26.0	69/100	21.6	49/100	20	<0.0001
hlh-30	17.8	80/100	17.1	61/100	4	0.18 #
Fig. 2d	17.0	70/100	16.7	51/100	2	0.98
	19.3	67/100	19.5	60/100	1	0.54

**Table S4:** Results of lifespan analyses of wild-type (WT, N2) and *hlh-30(tm1978*) animals fed bacteria expressing control or *tor* dsRNA during adulthood. Animals were raised at 20°C and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria during development. Lifespan experiments with WT and *hlh-30* animals were carried out in parallel and were organized in the same order.

Data show the mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test. #, representative lifespan curves displayed in the indicated figures.

TABLE S5. Lifespan analysis of mitochondrial mutants subjected to autophagy gene RNAi during late larval development.

STRAINS	RNAi treatment from L3/L4 stage	RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control
<i>clk-1</i> (L4)	Control	24.9	76/115		
	bec-1	21.4	94/119	-14	<0.0001
	vps-34	20.4	84/116	-18	<0.0001
<i>clk-1</i> (L4)	Control	22.2	71/116		
	bec-1	16.9	79/112	-24	<0.0001
	vps-34	18.0	76/113	-19	<0.0001
<i>clk-1</i> (L4)	Control	25.0	76/100		
	atg-18	12.7	67/100	-49	<0.0001
<i>clk-1</i> (L4)	Control	21.8	71/100		
	atg-18	13.9	61/100	-36	<0.0001
<i>isp-1</i> (L3)	Control	28.3	93/249		
	bec-1	24.5	130/251	-13	<0.0001
	vps-34	23.8	62/248	-16	0.0022
<i>isp-1</i> (L4)	Control	21.4	99/228		
	bec-1	19.8	167/235	-7	0.052
	vps-34	19.7	72/221	-8	0.022
WT (L4)	Control	15.3	70/89		
	bec-1	15.6	74/95	2	0.89
	vps-34	16.4	48/93	7	0.33
<i>isp-1</i> (L4)	Control	21.7	26/72		
	bec-1	16.8	27/73	-23	<0.0001
	vps-34	17.7	26/65	-18	<0.0001
WT (L4)	Control	19.9	83/96		
	bec-1	19.0	65/100	-5	0.25
	vps-34	18.9	73/111	-5	0.22
	<u>lgg-1</u>	19.0	59/69	-5	0.12
<i>isp-1</i> (L4)	Control	22.8	23/121		
	bec-1	15.6	31/121	-32	<0.0001
	vps-34	15.7	24/122	-31	<0.0001
	lgg-1	14.8	22/120	-35	<0.0001

**Table S5:** Results of lifespan analyses of wild-type (WT, N2), *clk-1(e2519)*, and *isp-1(qm150)* animals. Animals were incubated at 20°C and fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against the autophagy genes *bec-1*, *vps-34*, *lgg-1*, or *atg-18* starting at the indicated larval stages (L3-L4), since inhibition of mitochondrial respiration during this development window is necessary for lifespan extension (Rea et al., 2007). Before RNAi treatments started, the animals were fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria.

Experiments separated by dashed lines were performed in parallel, and showed that RNAi of *bec-1* and *vps-34* from the L4 stage (and L3, data not shown) does not significantly shorten the lifespan of WT animals. Moreover, inhibition of autophagy genes in *clk-1* and *isp-1* mitochondrial mutants starting during L3-L4 larval stages selectively shortened the lifespan of mitochondrial mutants but had no effect on WT animals. This is consistent with previous studies investigating reduced mitochondrial respiration in short-lived autophagy mutants following whole-life administration of *atp-3* RNAi (Toth et al., 2008). We further note that *clk-1(e2519)* L3 larvae stably expressing GFP::LGG-1 (MAH61) displayed a significant increase in GFP::LGG-1– positive foci in seam cells compared to wild-type animals (DA2123) (data not shown), consistent with previous studies of other mitochondrial mutants (Hansen et al., 2008; Yang and Hekimi, 2010).

Data show the mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead RNAi-treated animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test.

TABLE S6. Lifespan analysis of S6K mutants subjected to autophagy gene atg-18RNAi.

STRAINS	Adult-only treatment	Target RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	Control RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control	
WT	atg-18	16.8	73/110	17.9	91/110	-6	0.12	#
Fig. S5b		14.4	80/103	17.3	91/101	-17	<0.0001	
		13.0	70/100	15.4	79/100	-16	<0.0001	
rsks-1	atg-18	18.4	65/110	21.5	79/110	-14	<0.0001	#
Fig. S5b		16.5	71/102	21.4	65/108	-23	<0.0001	
		16.0	71/100	20.8	65/100	-23	<0.0001	

**Table S6:** Results of lifespan analyses of wild-type (WT, N2) and *rsks-1(sv31)* animals. *rsks-1* animals were incubated at 20°C and fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against the autophagy gene *atg-18* during adulthood. Animals were raised at 20°C and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria during development. *atg-18* RNAi also reduced the lifespan of other long-lived animals, including *glp-1(e2141)* (Lapierre et al., 2011) and *clk-1(e2519)* animals (**Table S5**). Lifespan experiments with WT and *rsks-1* animals were carried out in parallel and were organized in the same order.

Data show the mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead RNAi-treated animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test. #, representative lifespan curves displayed in the indicated figures.

STRAINS	Bacteria	HLH-30 OE avg lifespan (days)	Number of animals	WT avg lifespan (days)	Number of animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control	
HLH-30 OE	OP50	18.2	72/100	15.5	72/100	17	0.0045	
#1		20.2	69/100	17.0	63/100	19	0.0030	
Fig. 4c		18.4	49/100	15.1	64/100	22	0.0001	#
		19.0	60/100	16.4	32/100	16	0.017	
HLH-30 OE	OP50	17.7	77/100	15.5	72/100	14	0.027	
#2		20.0	71/100	17.0	63/100	18	0.0047	
Fig. 4c		18.8	75/100	15.1	64/100	25	<0.0001	#
		19.8	29/100	16.4	32/100	20	0.021	

TABLE S7. Lifespan analysis of *C. elegans* overexpressing HLH-30::GFP.

**Table S7:** Results of lifespan analysis of animals stably expressing transgenic HLH-30::GFP (referred to as HLH-30 OE) and wild-type (WT, N2) animals incubated at 20°C and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria. To generate the HLH-30 OE strain, we integrated the strain expressing HLH-30::GFP from an extrachromosomal array used for our nuclear localization studies (JIN1679), and outcrossed two separate integrants (#1 and #2) four times to our WT strain (see Supplementary Methods). These integrated strains were slightly developmentally delayed, and integrant #2 had mildly reduced progeny production (data not shown).

Data show mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test. #, representative lifespan curves displayed in the indicated figures.

STRAINS	RNAi treatment	RNAi avg lifespan (days)	Number of RNAi animals	∆ avg (%)	P value vs control
wт	Control	16.1	73/100		
	atg-18	15.9	60/100	-1	0.41
HLH-30 OE #1	Control	21.0	68/100		
	atg-18	18.4	69/100	-12	0.0004
HLH-30 OE #2	Control	18.7	67/100		
	atg-18	15.6	79/100	-17	0.0002
HLH-30 OE #1	Control	17.2	70/88		
	atg-18	13.6	70/94	-21	<0.0001
HLH-30 OE #2	Control	18.1	102/102		
	atg-18	16.3	103/123	-10	0.0024

TABLE S8. Lifespan analysis of HLH-30–overexpressing *C. elegans* subjected to *atg-18* RNAi.

**Table S8:** Results of lifespan analysis of animals stably expressing transgenic HLH-30::GFP (HLH-30 OE#1 and #2 are two stable and outcrossed integrants described in Table S7) and wild-type (WT) animals incubated at 20°C and fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *atg-18* during adulthood. Animals were raised at 20°C and fed standard OP50 *E. coli* bacteria during development. Lifespan experiments carried out in parallel were boxed with double line.

Data show mean lifespan (avg lifespan), observed events (number of dead animals/total number of animals analyzed), % mean change in lifespan vs control ( $\Delta$  avg), and *P* value vs control calculated with the Mantel-Cox log-rank test.

GENE	ANNEALING TEMP. (°C)	DIRECTION	PRIMER SEQUENCE
C. elegans			
act-1*	58	Forward	CTACGAACTTCCTGACGGACAAG
		Reverse	CCGGCGGACTCCATACC
cyn-1*	58	Forward	GTGTCACCATGGAGTTGTTC
		Reverse	TCCGTAGATTGATTCACCAC
cdc-42*	58	Forward	CTGCTGGACAGGAAGATTACG
		Reverse	CTCGGACATTCTCGAATGAAG
pmp-3*	58	Forward	GTTCCCGTGTTCATCACTCAT
		Reverse	ACACCGTCGAGAAGCTGTAGA
hlh-30	58	Forward	CTCATCGGCCGGCGCTCATC
		Reverse	AGAACGCGATGCGTGGTGGG
atg-18	58	Forward	AAATGGACATCGGCTCTTTG
		Reverse	TGATAGCATCGAACCATCCA
lgg-1	58	Forward	ACCCAGACCGTATTCCAGTG
.33		Reverse	ACGAAGTTGGATGCGTTTTC
atg-9	64	Forward	GGCCGCCATCCACTCATCGG
		Reverse	TTGACGTCGTGCCGCCGTAG
p62	64	Forward	TGGCTGCTGCATCATCCGCT
1		Reverse	TCAATCGTGCCGAGACCGGG
vps-11	58	Forward	TCCGCTTGTCGTCCTGGAGC
		Reverse	TCACACGCCGAGCACTTGGT
vps-18	58	Forward	CGAGCCGGCGCCAGTTGTAA
		Reverse	TCCATCCGGCGAAAGCCACG
Imp-1	58	Forward	ATCCGCCACCGCTTCGCATT
		Reverse	TCGAGCTCCCACTCTTTGGCG
vha-15	64	Forward	CGAGGTTCGTTCCGGACGTCTT
		Reverse	CCTCGGCAGTCAGGAGACGC
vha-16	64	Forward	AGGCGCTGACTCGCGGACTT
		Reverse	TGGTCTCTGGTGAAGAGTTCCGGTG
vha-17	64	Forward	TCGGTTTCCGCCTTCTGGGC
	•	Reverse	ACATCCAGCAGCAAACAGCAGTCA
sul-1	64	Forward	CAGGATGGGATGAGTGGCACG
••••		Reverse	GGGTCTTCTGGTCCATGCGGC
sul-2	64	Forward	ATGGCAGCAGAAGGCACCCG
	•	Reverse	GCCATTTTCCAACCATGCCAGTTGC
sul-3	64	Forward	ACATGGAGCCTGCCGGTGTG
	•	Reverse	TGGTACGCTTTTTCCGCTGCCA
ctsa	64	Forward	TTCTCCTCGAGGCGCGGGGAT
		Reverse	TCCAACGCCAATTGGGGGACTC
ctsb	64	Forward	CGCCAAGGACAAGCACTTCGGA
	•	Reverse	ACCTTGGCCTTTCCGGCGAC
ctsd	64	Forward	GGTGCCAACGCACAAGACCG
	•	Reverse	AGCCTGGGTCTTGCATGCGG
Mice			
Rpl23*	60	Forward	TGTCGAATTACCACTGCTGG
		Reverse	CTGTGAAGGGAATCAAGGA
Arbp*	60	Forward	AGATGCAGCAGATCCGCAT
		Reverse	GTTCTTGCCCATCAGCACC
Tfeb	60	Forward	CCTGCCGACCTGACTCAGA
		Reverse	CTCAATTAGGTTGTGATTGTCTTTCTTC
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## TABLE S9. List of primers used for QPCR

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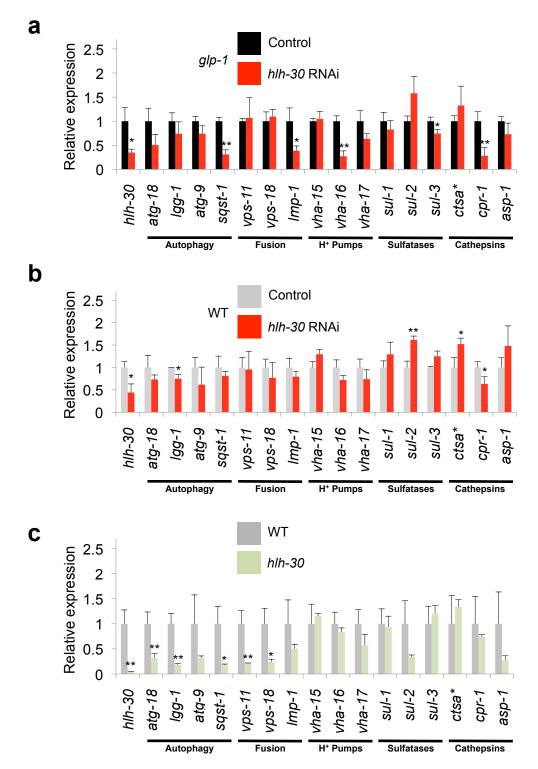
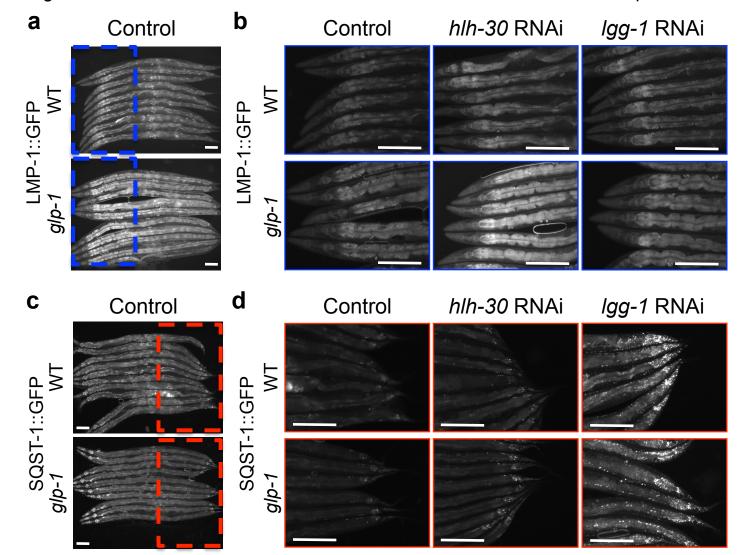


Fig. S1: Analysis of the expression of autophagy-related and lysosomal gene expression in *hlh-30* mutants, and in *hlh-30*-depleted wild-type animals and *glp-1* mutants.

QPCR analysis of autophagy-related and lysosomal gene expression in day 3 (a) *glp-1(e2141)* and (b) Wild-type (WT, N2) animals raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C) and fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *hlh-30* from day 1 of adulthood (at 20°C), or in (c) day 1 wild-type (WT, N2) and *hlh-30(tm1978)* mutants fed OP50 *E. coli* and raised at 20°C. Data are mean  $\pm$  SD of biological triplicates. \**P* < 0.05, \*\**P* < 0.01; Student's *t*-test.

Figure S2

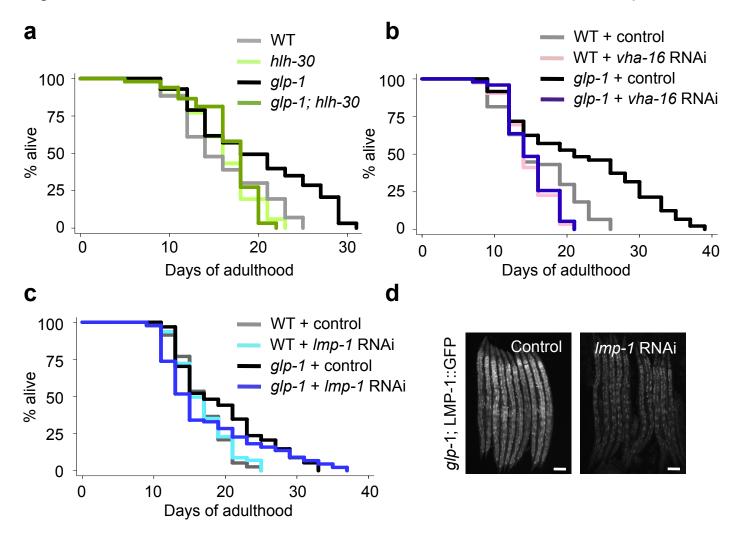
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## Fig. S2: Expression of LMP-1::GFP and SQST-1::GFP reporters in wild-type animals and *glp-1* mutants.

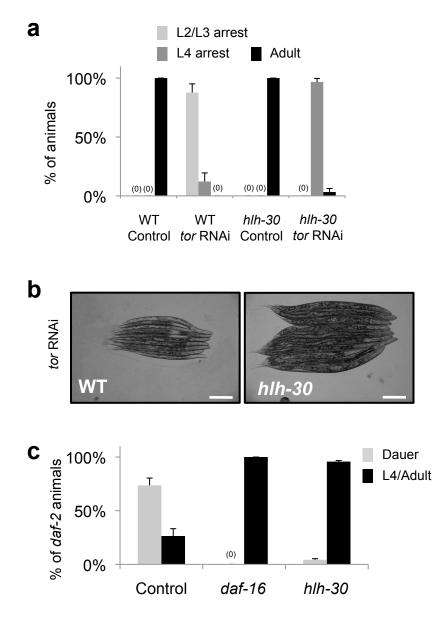
(**a-b**) Representative micrographs of day 1 wild-type (WT, N2) and *glp-1(e2141)* mutants expressing LMP-1::GFP and raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C). Animals were fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *hlh-30* or *lgg-1/L*C3 from hatching. (**c-d**) Representative micrographs of day 1 WT and *glp-1(e2141)* mutants expressing SQST-1/T12G3.1::GFP and raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C). Animals were fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *hlh-30* or *lgg-1/L*C3 from hatching. *lgg-1* RNAi is a positive control for inhibition of turnover because mammalian p62/SQSTM1 is targeted for degradation via autophagy by binding directly to LC3 (Komatsu et al., 2007; Pankiv et al., 2007). *hlh-30* RNAi caused an increase in SQST-1::GFP aggregates in the posterior intestine and an increase in LMP-1::GFP levels in the intestine of *glp-1* animals. Higher magnification pictures of these animals are shown in Fig. 1f and 1g. Exposure times were 2 sec for magnifications of 100x (a and c) and 200x (b and d), scale bar 100  $\mu$ m. Head region is highlighted in blue in (a) and tail region is highlighted in red in (c).

Figure S3



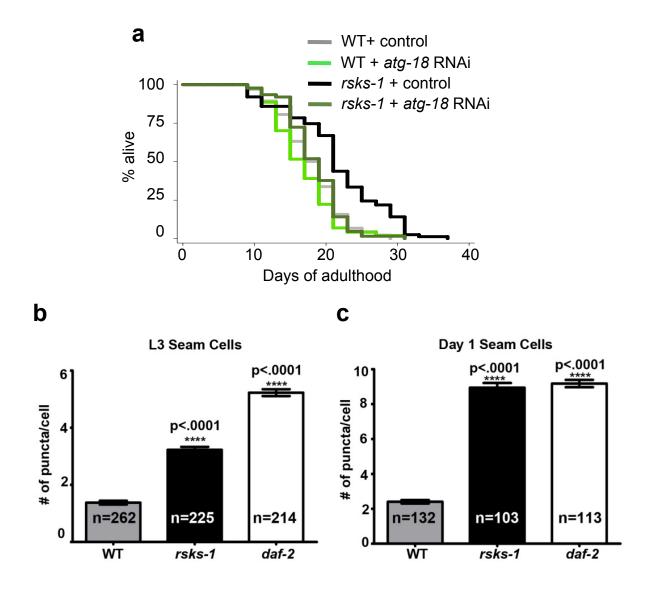
## Fig. S3: Role of HLH-30 and select HLH-30–regulated genes in the long lifespan observed in *glp-1* animals.

(a) Lifespan analysis of wild-type (WT, N2), *hlh-30(tm1978)*, *glp-1(e2141)*, and *glp-1(e2141)*; *hlh-30(tm1978)* animals raised at the non-permissive temperature (25°C), transferred to 20°C on day 1 of adulthood, and fed OP50 *E. coli* (see Table S2 for details and replicate experiments). (**b-c)** Lifespan analysis of WT and *glp-1(e2141)* animals fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against (**b**) *vha-16* or (**c**) *Imp-1* during adulthood (see Tables S2 and S3 for details and replicate experiments). (**d**) Silencing of *Imp-1* by *Imp-1* RNAi was confirmed by evaluating the level of LMP-1::GFP in *glp-1(e2141)* animals fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *Imp-1* (magnification, 100x; scale bar 100  $\mu$ m; representative of two independent observations).



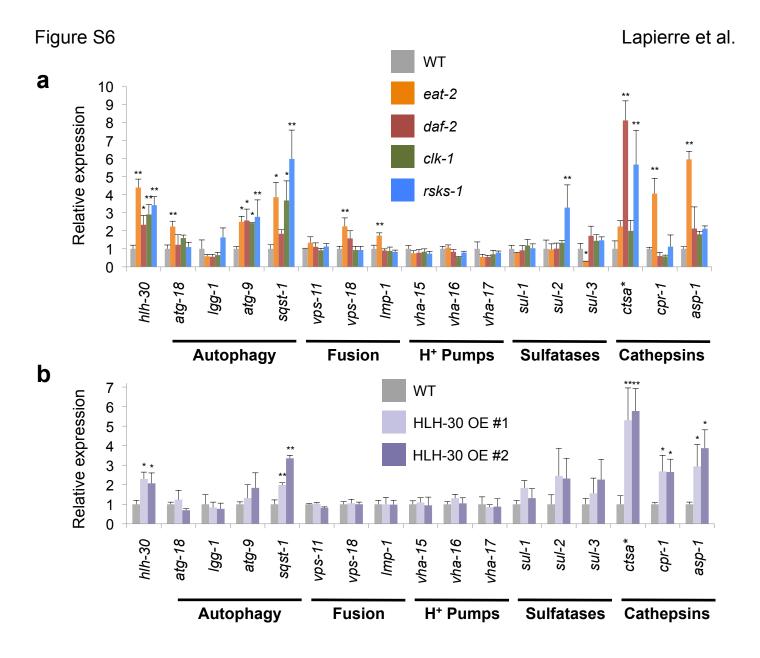
## Fig. S4: *hlh*-30 inhibition impairs larval arrest mediated by TOR inhibition and prevents dauer formation in *daf*-2 animals.

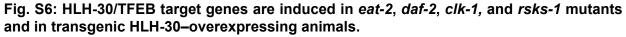
(a) Quantification of larval development of wild-type (N2, WT) and *hlh-30(tm1978)* mutant animals fed bacteria expressing control or *tor* dsRNA for two generations (F1, 20°C). All animals fed control bacteria reached reproductive adulthood. As previously reported (Long et al., 2002), we observed that progeny of WT animals with reduced *tor* levels arrested almost exclusively at the L2/L3 stage. In contrast, most *tor* RNAi-treated *hlh-30* mutants arrested at the L4 stage, and ~5% of animals bypassed developmental arrest completely and reached reproductive adulthood (n~10-20 animals per plate, 8 plates per treatment, mean  $\pm$  SD, repeated twice with similar results). (b) Micrographs of WT animals and *hlh-30* mutants subjected to *tor* inhibition and arrested at L2/L3 and L4 stages, respectively (magnification, 100x; scale bar 100  $\mu$ m). (c) Quantification of dauer formation in *daf-2(e1370)* mutants fed bacteria expressing control, *daf-16*/FOXO, or *hlh-30 ds*RNA for one generation at ~21°C. The number of dauers or L4 larva/adults were counted after 4 days of incubation (mean  $\pm$  SD of three independent experiments).



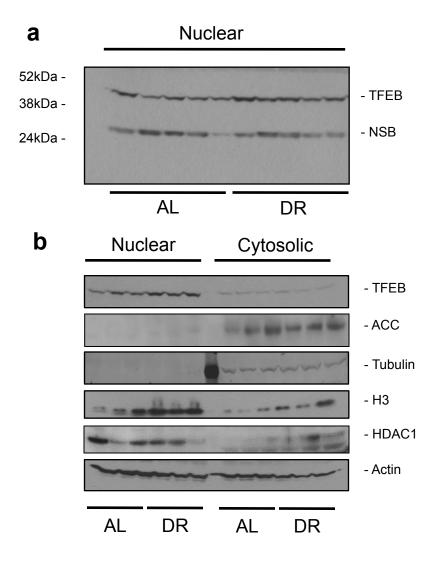
#### Fig. S5: Autophagy may play a role in the long lifespan of *rsks-1* animals.

(a) Lifespan analysis of wild-type (WT, N2) and *rsks-1(sv31)* animals raised at 20°C fed control bacteria or bacteria expressing dsRNA against *atg-18* (see Table S7 for details and replicate experiments). (**b-c**) Quantification of GFP::LGG-1 punctae in WT, *rsks-1(sv31)*, and *daf-2* (*e1370*) animals (included as a positive control) in seam cells from L3 larvae (**b**) and day 1 adults (**c**). Punctae in 10-15 animals were quantified using confocal microscopy (see Supplemental Methods). Data are mean  $\pm$  SEM, P values by ANOVA. The analysis was repeated twice with similar results. We previously counted LGG-1::GFP-positive puncta in seam cells of WT and *rsks-1(sv31)* L3 larva using an extrachromosomal array, and found no statistically significant difference (Hansen et al., 2008). The difference between these and our recent results could be due to the use of integrated arrays (Kang *et al.*, 2007). A reduction in counts has been observed in day 3 *rsks-1(sv31)* adults compared to WT animals (Robida-Stubbs S. et al., 2012) using the same integrated array we used here, suggesting a very dynamic regulation of LGG-1-positive punctae in rsks-1 animals.



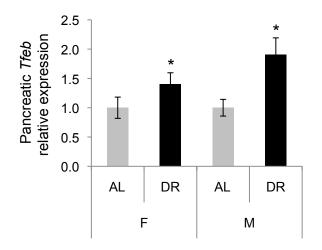


(a) QPCR analysis of autophagy-related and lysosomal gene expression in day 1 wild-type (WT, N2), *eat-2(ad1116)*, *daf-2(e1370)*, *clk-1(e2519)*, and *rsks-1(sv31)* animals raised at 20°C. (b) QPCR analysis of two different transgenic strains overexpressing HLH-30 (HLH-30 OE #1, #2) raised at 20°C and collected on day 1. Data are mean  $\pm$  SD of biological triplicates. \**P* < 0.05, \*\**P* < 0.01; ANOVA.



#### Fig. S7: Dietary restriction increases murine hepatic nuclear TFEB protein levels.

(a) Entire membrane shown in Fig. 4f blotted for proteins below 60 kDa with anti-TFEB antibody. NSB: Non-specific band. (b) Immunoblot of nuclear and cytosolic fractions of livers from 5 ad libitum (AL) and 5 dietary-restricted (DR) mice (see Methods for details). Membranes were blotted with antibodies against TFEB, the cytosolic proteins Acyl-CoA carboxylase (ACC) and tubulin, the nuclear proteins histone H3 and histone deacetlyase HDAC1, and actin. Each lane was loaded with 40 µg total protein. Note that the anti-tubulin antibody cross-reacted with a marker protein (lane 7, center). Nuclear protein levels were highly variable, but loading equivalence was confirmed by blotting for actin.



#### Fig. S8: Dietary restriction increases murine pancreatic TFEB mRNA levels.

*Tfeb* expression was measured by QPCR in the pancreas of 4.5-month-old female (F) and male (M) mice fed *ad libitum* (AL) or subjected to dietary restriction (DR) for 5.5 weeks starting at 3 months of age (mean  $\pm$  SEM of ~20 mice per group, \**P* < 0.05, Student's *t*-test).