

SUPPLEMENTARY FIG. S2. The absence of MSRA-1 exacerbates synaptic dysfunction in the  $A\beta$  transgenic worms. The graph shows the time course of paralysis in response to nicotine (31 m*M*). One-day-old control worms (CL2122),  $A\beta$  transgenic worms (CL2120),  $A\beta$ ; *msra-1* worms (ANM19), and  $A\beta$ ; *msra-1* worms rescued with the wild-type *msra-1* gene (ANM45) were assayed on nicotine plates. The absence of MSRA-1 increases the nicotine resistance of the  $A\beta$  strain. The *msra-1* rescued strain ANM45 shows the same behavior as the  $A\beta$  strain. \*\*\* $p \le 0.0001$  comparing the  $A\beta$  transgenic worms with  $A\beta$ ; *msra-1* worms.