

S2 Table. Plasmids and primers used in this study.

Plasmid	Genotype	References
p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{WT} :: <i>cat</i>	pGEM-T easy containing <i>cagL</i> plus <i>cagI</i> and <i>cagN</i> flanking regions (26695 genome nts 570713-571881)	[12]
p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{NK} :: <i>cat</i>	E59 to K59 substitution of p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{WT}	This study
p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{DE} :: <i>cat</i>	N58 to D58 substitution of p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{WT}	This study
p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{DK} :: <i>cat</i>	N58 to K58 & E59 to K59 substitutions of p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{WT}	This study
p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{YE} :: <i>cat</i>	N58 to Y58 substitution of p26695 <i>cagL</i> ^{WT}	This study

Primer name	Sequence (5' → 3')
R-CagL58/59	ATTAGCACTAGGGCTAGTGGTTG
F-CagLN58/K59	AATAAAATGGGTGAAGAAGATGCTC
F-CagLD58/E59	GATGAAATGGGTGAAGAAGATGCTC
F-CagLY58/E59	TATGAAATGGGTGAAGAAGATGCTC
F-CagLD58/K59	GATAAAATGGGTGAAGAAGATGCTC