Association Studies and Direct DNA Sequencing Implicate Genetic Susceptibility Loci in the Etiology of Nonsyndromic Orofacial Clefts in Sub-Saharan African Populations

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Appendix Table 5: Other rare and/or potentially aetiologic variants observed in seven sequenced genes

HGVS	HGVp	α	1	b	Polyphen-2	SIFT	§	¥	Reference
ARHGAP29			I.						I
c.560-199T>C	N/A	1	NSCLP	N/A	N/A	N/A	β	N/A	dbSNP
c.1144-18T>C	N/A	2	1 NSCLP and I NSCL	N/A	N/A	N/A	β,μ	N/A	dbSNP
c.2738C>T	p.Ser913Leu	4	2 NSCLP, 1 NSCL and 1 CPO	4 d	Benign	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
c.2957T>C	p.lle986Thr	1	NSCLP	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
c.2962G>T	p.Asp988Tyr	2	NSCLP	1 d, 1 g	Probably Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
c.3023G>A	p.Arg1008Lys	2	1 NSCLP and 1 CPO	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
VAX1		I							
c.390G>A	p.Arg130Arg	1	NSCPO	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	ε	N/A	Novel
c.429+37G>C	N/A	1	NSCLP	N/A	N/A	N/A	β	N/A	1000Genome
c.429+50C>A	N/A	4	1 NSCLP, 1 NSCL and 2 CPO	N/A	N/A	N/A	μ	λ	1000Genome
c.693C>A	p.Ala231Ala	4	1 NSCLP and 3 NSCPO	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	γ, ε	λ	Novel
c.754G>T	p.Gly252Cys	1	NSCL	е	Probably	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	Novel

					Damaging				
PAX7									
_			NSCLP	1 c, 1 d	Probably				
c.703G>A	p.Ala235Thr	2			Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP and ExAC
			СРО	d	Probably				
c.1223C>T	p.Pro408Leu	1			Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP and ExAC
MSX1	'	<u> </u>				I	I		
			2 NSCL and 2	N/A					
c.95C>T	p.Ala32Val	4	СРО		Benign	Tolerated	η,ε	N/A	ExAc
			NSCL	2 d, 1 f	Possibly				
c.218C>T	p.Pro73Leu	3			Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
c.522G>A	p.Lys174Lys	1	NSCL	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	Novel
BMP4									
c.860G>A	p.Arg287His	1	NSCL	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
			1 NSCLP and 1	N/A					
c.371-164G>A	N/A	2	NSCL		N/A	N/A	β, μ	N/A	Novel
c.280G>A	p.Glu94Lys	1	NSCL	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	Novel
			2 NSCLP and 1	1 d, 2 f		Damaging			
			NSCL		Possibly	to two			
c.228T>A	p.Ser76Arg	3			Damaging	isoforms	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
FOXE1	I		I				<u> </u>		1

c.107C>T	p.Thr36Met	1	NSCLP	d	Possibly Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	ExAc
c.569C>G	p.Pro190Arg	6	3 NSCLP, 2 NSCL and 1 CPO	1 c, 2 d, 1 e, 2 f	Possibly Damaging	Deleterious	N/A	N/A	dbSNP
MAFB									
c1G>A	N/A	2	1 NSCL and 1 CPO	N/A	N/A	N/A	δ	N/A	dbSNP
c75C>A	N/A	1	NSCLP	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	λ	dbSNP
c.603G>C	p.Ala201Ala	1	NSCL	N/A	Benign	Tolerated	N/A	N/A	Novel

 $[\]alpha$: Total number of cases with variant, \P : subphenotype of probands in which the variant was observed, \mathbf{b} : segregation analyses, \mathbf{c} : variant was observed in clinically unaffected father, \mathbf{d} : variant was observed in clinically unaffected mother, \mathbf{e} : variant was absent in the only paternal sample available, \mathbf{g} : no parental sample was available, \mathbf{g} : Human Splice Finder, \mathbf{f} : RegulomeDB, \mathbf{f} : alteration of Exonic Splicing Silencer (ESS) Site, \mathbf{p} : creation of new Exonic Splicing Enhancer (ESE) site, \mathbf{f} : Alteration of the wildtype (WT) donor site, \mathbf{f} : alteration of an ESE site, \mathbf{f} : creation of new Acceptor site with branch points, \mathbf{f} : creation of new Donor site, \mathbf{h} : 2b - Likely to affect binding of *EZH2*, *N/A*: Not Applicable, *NSCLP*: nonsyndromic cleft lip and palate, *NSCL*: nonsyndromic cleft lip only, *CPO*: cleft palate only. All analyses were based on genome assembly number GRCh37/hg19, 2009 (http://genome.ucsc.edu).