**Table S1. Laboratory strains and clinical isolates used in this study.** Isolates included commonly used laboratory strains and recent clinical isolates.

Strain	Common name	Serotype <sup>a</sup> /	Source
		phenotype	
P. multocida subsp. gallicida P1059	WT P1059	A:3/	National Animal Disease
		encapsulated	Center (NADC)
P. multocida subsp. gallicida P1059∆hyaE	P1059 $\Delta$ hyaE	Non- encapsulated	This study
P. multocida subsp. multocida P1062	WT P1062	A:3/	NADC
		encapsulated	
$P.\ multocida\ { m Subsp.}\ multocida\ { m P1062}\Delta { m hya}{ m E}$	P1062ΔhyaE	Non- encapsulated	This study
P. multocida X73	WT X73	A:1/	NADC
		encapsulated	
P. multocida X73∆hyaD	X73ΔhyaD	Non- encapsulated	This study
Pasteurella multocida C0513	WT C0513	A/	Experimental calf infection <sup>3</sup>
		encapsulated	

Pasteurella multocida C0513-P5	C0513-P5	A (capsule-	This study
		deficient)	

Clinical	Location of Origin	Host species and infection site	Serogroup or Serotype
Isolates			
756	Virginia Department of Agriculture,	Chicken heart, spleen, bone marrow	F:9
	Division of Animal and Food Industry		
	Services		
765	Virginia Department of Agriculture,	Turkey liver, spleen, lung	A
	Division of Animal and Food Industry		
	Services		
704	Virginia Department of Agriculture,	Chicken wattle	A:8
	Division of Animal and Food Industry		
	Services		

801	Virginia Department of Agriculture,  Division of Animal and Food Industry  Services	Chicken heart, spleen, bone marrow	A
785	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Chicken liver, spleen, heart	F:9
775	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Turkey lung	A:3,4
741	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Chicken bone marrow	A:3,4
742	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Chicken heart, spleen, bone marrow	A:1

745	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Chicken heart, spleen, bone marrow	A:3,4
747	Virginia Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal and Food Industry Services	Chicken heart, spleen	A
232	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A
9877	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A
96031276	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A
00111378	Oklahoma State University	Bovine nasal	A
96020298	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A
134	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A
95101538	Oklahoma State University	Bovine lung	A

13-1367	Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary  Medicine	Dog ear	A
H1	Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary  Medicine	Cat mouth	A
12B- 21481	University of Wyoming	Bovine liver, lung, small intestine	A
	Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary  Medicine	Porcine lung	D
Pm70	ATCC (BAA-1909)	Chicken	F
Pm70	Dr. Kapur, Pennsylvania State University	Chicken	F
989	Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary  Medicine	Turkey	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>A standard system for designating serotypes of *P. multocida* was established using a combination of capsular serogroup typing and LPS serovar typing systems (86).