

**Table S4:** Plasmids

<b>Plasmid</b>	<b>Genotype</b>	<b>Reference</b>
pAH25	<i>amyE spec amp</i>	Gift from Amy Camp, Mt. Holyoke College
pDR111	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub> spec amp</i>	Gift from David Rudner, Harvard Medical School
pMimiMAD	<i>oriP<sup>t,s</sup> mls amp</i>	(Patrick and Kearns, 2008)
pKRH58	$\Omega\Delta yaaO$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH69	$\Omega\Delta yfkA$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH70	$\Omega\Delta ynbB$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH71	$\Omega\Delta ynbA$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH72	$\Omega\Delta gsaB$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH73	$\Omega\Delta ywlG$ <i>mls amp</i>	
pKRH86	<i>amyE::P<sub>ynbA</sub>-ynbB spec amp</i>	
pKRH87	<i>amyE::P<sub>yfkA</sub>-yfkA spec amp</i>	
pKRH88	<i>amyE::P<sub>ywlF</sub>-ywlG spec amp</i>	
pKRH89	<i>amyE::P<sub>xpcA</sub>-yaaO spec amp</i>	
pKRH90	<i>amyE::P<sub>gsaB</sub>-gsaB spec amp</i>	
pKRH101	<i>amyE::P<sub>ynbA</sub>-ynbA spec amp</i>	
pKRH112	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-yaaO spec amp</i>	
pAW40	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-ppw-gfp spec amp</i>	Rajkovic, 2016
pAW92	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-gfp spec amp</i>	Rajkovic, 2016
pAW93	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-ppp-gfp spec amp</i>	Rajkovic, 2016
pAW162	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-ppe-gfp spec amp</i>	
pAW143	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-fabF spec amp</i>	
pAW144	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-fabG spec amp</i>	
pAW145	<i>amyE::P<sub>hyspank</sub>-accB spec amp</i>	