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Hsap ABCD1 aligned with Dmel cg2316:
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Hsap ABCD1
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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                                           {\tt MMFSQSVAHLYSNLTKP} {\tt ILDVML} {\tt TSYTL} {\tt IQTATSRGASPIGPTLLAGLVVYA} {\tt TAKVL} {\tt KACSPKFGKLVAEEAHRKGYLRY}
Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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                                           VHSRIIANVEEIAFYRGHKVEMKQLQKSYKALADQMNLILSKRLWYIMIEQFLMKYVWSSSGLIMVAIPIITATGFADG-
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
                               374
                                           --EDGQKQVM<mark>VSERT</mark>EAF<mark>TTARNLL</mark>ASG<mark>ADAIERIMSSYKE</mark>VTE<mark>LAGYTARV</mark>YNMFW<mark>VFDE</mark>VKR<mark>GIY</mark>KR<mark>TAV</mark>IQES<mark>ES</mark>HS
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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Dmel cg2316
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Hsap ABCD1
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                                           OFRKMN-----SDEEOK------GOFLS-----
Dmel cg2316
                                           RFEQLDTAIRLTLSEEKQKLESQLAGIPKMQQRLNELCKILGEDSVLKTIKNEDETS 740
Hsap ABCD1
                                684
RED = identical residues
BLUE = conserved residues
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**Figure S1.** Amino acid alignment of human ABCD1 and Drosophila CG2316 shows high levels of conservation. Sequences were aligned using COBALT software through NCBI.

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Dmel cg2781 aligned with Hsap ELOVL7, ELOVL1, and ELOVL4:
                 <mark>M</mark>DYLTM-----F<mark>Y</mark>DGWRDLMDnkS<mark>DPR</mark>TRDYP<mark>LM</mark>SSPF--PTIAISLTYaYIVKV<mark>LGP</mark>KL<mark>M</mark>EN<mark>R</mark>KPF
Hsap ELOVL71
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Hsap ELOVL11
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Hsap ELOVL41
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                ELRKVLIVYNAAOVIFSAWLFYESCIGGWLNGYNLRCEPVNYSYSPKAIRTAEGCWWYYFSKFTEFFDTFFVMRKRYDO
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Dmel cq278161
Hsap ELOVL763
                 \texttt{ELKKAM} \textcolor{red}{\textbf{ITYN}} \textbf{FIVLFSVYMCY} \textcolor{red}{\textbf{EFVMSGWGIGYSFRCDIVDYS}} \textbf{RSPTAL} \textcolor{red}{\textbf{RMARTCWLYYFSKFIELLDT}} \textbf{IFFVLRKKNSQ}
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Hsap ELOVL157
                 QLRGFMIVYNFSLVALSLHIVYEFLMSGWLSTYTWRCDPVDYSNSPEALRMVRVAWLFLFSKFIELMDTVIFILRKKDGQ
Hsap ELOVL474
                 QMRLVL<mark>IIYNFGMV</mark>LLNLFIFRELFMGSYNAG<mark>Y</mark>SYICQSVDYSNNVHEVRIAAALWWYFVSKGVEYLDTVFFILRKKNNQ
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Dmel cg2781141
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Hsap ELOVL7143
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                 VTFLHVFHHSVLPWSWWWGVKIAPGGMGSFHAMINSSVHVIMYLYYGLSAFGPVAOPYLWWKKHMTAIOLIOFVLVSLHI
Hsap ELOVL1137
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Hsap ELOVL4154
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Dmel cg2781221
                FQLFFKNDCNYPI-GFAYFIGAHAVMFYFLFSNFYKRAYV--KRDGKDKASVKANGHANGHVKALKDGDVA---PTSNGQ
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Hsap ELOVL7223
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                 SQYYFMSSCNYQYPVIIHLIWMYGTIFFMLFSNFWYHSYT--KGKRLPRA-LQQNG-APGIAKVKAN------
Hsap ELOVL1217
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Hsap ELOVL4234
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Dmel cg2781295 ANGFhntfskfttdmcnpalnsstrqrvlvnagnk 329
Hsap ELOVL7
Hsap ELOVL1
Hsap ELOVL4311 AKGD-----
RED = identical residues
BLUE = conserved residues
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**Figure S2.** Amino acid alignments of *Drosophila* elongase CG2781 and three human elongases (ELOVL1,4,and 7). Sequences were aligned using COBALT software through NCBI.