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Supplemental Information

A Persistence Detector for Metabolic

Network Rewiring in an Animal

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Figure S1. Results of the TF RNAi screen for the increase or decrease of GFP expression in *Pacdh-1::GFP* transgenic animals in the presence of propionate. Related to Figure 2.

(A) Fluorescence microscopy images (bottom) show that 5 nM vitamin B12 represses *Pacdh-1::GFP* while propionate supplementation in the presence of 5 nM vitamin B12 induces reporter activation in a dose dependent manner. Top images show DIC controls.

(B) Fluorescence microscopy images of all 17 TF RNAi experiments performed side-by-side with untreated animals and with animals supplemented with 5 nM vitamin B12 and 40 mM propionate. Insets show DIC images.



Figure S2: Expression levels of *ges-1* and *asp-5* are not affected by vitamin B12, propionate, *nhr-10*, or *nhr-68*. Related to Figure 4.

(A, B) Bar-graph of RNA-seq fragments per kilobase of transcript per million mapped reads (FPKM) data showing that expression levels of intestinal genes *ges-1* (low expression) and *asp-5* (high expression) are not affected by 20 nM vitamin B12, 40 mM propionate, *nhr-10* deletion, or *nhr-68* deletion.

(C) qRT-PCR showing that constitutive intestinal expression (*asp-5* promoter) of NHR-68 does not induce *acdh-1* expression in response to propionate. All measurements are statistically significantly different compared to untreated vector control as determined by two-tailed paired Student's t-test (P < 0.05).

0		Fold Change		Fold Change		Fold Change nhr-		Fold Change Δ <i>nhr</i> -	
Sequence Name	Gene Name	(log2)	P-Adi	WT+B12+Prop / WT+B12 (log2)	P-∆di	WT+B12+Prop /	P-∆di	WT+B12+Prop /	P-Adi
F38A5 14	nspb-1	-5 94692	7 10F-09	6 8226	0	-0 4181	0.935	1 51663	0.0880
C17C3.12	acdh-2	-4.32705	0	5.7681	0	-9.1129	0	1.62773	0.8756
C55B7.4	acdh-1	-4.57147	0	4.1611	0	-12.4294	0	-9.6212	0
C14F5.2	zia-3	-4.70019	2.65E-04	4.0482	1.30E-10	-3.5210	1.73E-09	-4.3169	6.96E-12
T13F3.6	T13F3.6	-3.42797	2.05E-11	3.9539	9.68E-10	-0.7734	0.379	1.86737	0.0668
F09F7.4	hach-1	-1.90083	1.42E-03	2.7035	0	-3.1621	0	-2.3058	0
T07D3.9	T07D3.9	-0.90883	1.36E-03	2.6420	0	-2.8422	0	-2.7636	0
T05E12.7	srh-237	-4.11875	0	2.5031	1.52E-05	-4.2733	1.08E-11	-3.2203	1.02E-08
F02E8.4	F02E8.4	-1.38412	1.96E-03	2.4301	1.85E-10	-0.0762	0.961	0.9924	5.44E-14
T05G5.6	ech-6	-2.07524	3.42E-06	2.2079	0	-2.9039	0	-2.2165	0
Y38F1A.6	hphd-1	-2.15322	3.00E-15	2.1450	0	-4.2685	0	-3.6272	0
R06C7.4	cpg-3	-1.15400	1.45E-05	1.8805	8.78E-05	-0.4761	0.965	0.25138	0.9711
F37B4.7	folt-2	-1.60076	0	1.7434	0	-5.8406	0	-2.0716	0
C23H5.8	C23H5.8	-0.92923	1.46E-06	1.6491	0	-3.2100	0	-2.0744	0
T10H9.5	pmp-5	-2.50304	0	1.5272	1.08E-04	-2.9140	7.77E-16	-2.3058	3.14E-11
W01B11.6	W01B11.6	-2.15102	0	1.3826	3.69E-03	-0.2024	0.931	-0.32831	0.9183
T01H3.4	perm-1	-0.90649	9.11E-14	1.3658	3.58E-10	-0.4194	0.852	0.23760	0.7895
F31F4.15	fbxa-72	-2.48535	8.08E-05	1.3428	2.05E-14	-0.1178	0.957	-0.7745	4.42E-06
F10D2.9	fat-7	-0.63870	1.28E-03	1.2462	1.13E-13	0.0236	0.988	-0.56937	0.0268
C55B7.9	mdt-18	-1.47825	0	1.2045	6.23E-12	-0.8590	3.38E-06	-0.9945	1.33E-10
F18E2.1	papl-1	-0.89541	4.44E-16	0.9887	1.11E-16	-1.7482	0	-1.6519	0
F28A12.4	asp-13	-1.59904	0	0.9812	0	-1.0392	0	-1.2286	0
VF13D12L.3	VF13D12L.3	-0.61847	3.69E-13	0.6299	4.11E-14	-0.8205	0	0.10498	0.9785

 Table S1, related to Figure 3: RNA-seq fold change and P-adjusted values for the 23 genes up regulated by propionate and down regulated by vitamin B12 in wild type animals.

Genotyping	Forward	Reverse
acdh-1(ok1489)	CTTCCAGCTAATGGGTGTTCATGTTCC	CGCCATTGCAGCTTCTCGTAC
pcca-1(ok2282)	GGGGCAACAAAACAGGGTGGTG	CGAGCTTGAGAAGGCTGGAGC
nhr-10(tm4695)	GCATACTCTAGAGGATCAAGCACC	GTTTTCCGCGAATTCTCATTCCG
nhr-68(gk708)	GTTTTCTCTTTTTCAACTGCACCATGTG	CAATCACAGCCATTAAAATGTCTGCATG
MosSCI insert	TCTGGCTCTGCTTCTTCGTT	CAATTCATCCCGGTTTCTGT

qRT-PCR	Forward	Reverse
acdh-1	GCAAATGCAGATCCTAGCC	GTTTGTCTTCCTCCTTATCTACAG
nhr-68	GCAATTTACAGATTTGGGCG	GCAATCCAAACAGCTTCCT
ama-1 (control)	AATATCTCGCAGGTTATCGC	GTGTACGATGACGGAAACC
act-1 (control)	CTCTTGCCCCATCAACCATG	CTTGCTTGGAGATCCACATC

Table S2, related to the STAR Methods: All DNA oligonucleotides used in this study.