

Supplementary Material

Mutations in Sphingolipid Metabolism Genes Are Associated with ADHD

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Table S1. Result of SNP-based association analysis for targeted genes in the PGC data set.

Gene	Number of SNPs in PGC data set	-log ₁₀ (<i>P</i> -value)		SNP-based combined <i>P</i> -value ^a
		Min (SNP)	Max (SNP)	
<i>GALC</i>	676	0.0013 (rs75360027)	2.6660 (rs8008772)	1.0000
<i>CERS6</i>	822	0.0011 (rs10490712)	2.3614 (rs10490712)	<0.0001
<i>SMPD1</i>	7	0.4306 (rs1050228)	0.8539 (rs1050239)	0.0130
<i>SMPDL3B</i>	74	0.0168 (rs57607983)	1.6538 (rs11577165)	0.0034
<i>CERS2</i>	29	0.1058 (rs2280627)	0.9488 (rs525676)	0.9502
<i>FADS3</i>	37	0.0134 (rs76656467)	1.0835 (rs75306442)	0.9998
<i>ELOVL5</i>	255	0.0003 (rs70980834)	0.9270 (rs209512)	0.9376
<i>CERK</i>	112	0.0057 (rs135692)	2.6558 (rs74486714)	0.9786
Total	2012			

^aEstimated using Stouffer's method (Stouffer et al, 1949).

Table S2. Results of the gene-based association test for target genes in the PGC data set.

Gene	VEGAS-2		KGG 4.0 <i>P</i> -value	
	Gene-based <i>P</i> -value	Top SNP (<i>P</i> -value)	GATES	ECS
<i>GALC</i>	0.973	rs117778022 (0.075)	0.9968	0.89619
<i>CERS6</i>	0.099	rs183574665 (0.005)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>SMPD1</i>	0.182	rs1050239 (0.140)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>SMPDL3B</i>	0.206	rs11577165 (0.022)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>CERS2</i>	0.956	rs11579289 (0.522)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>FADS3</i>	0.929	rs75306442 (0.083)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>ELOVL5</i>	0.606	rs209512 (0.118)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>CERK</i>	0.746	rs9616098 (0.010)	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>

^aNot reported. VEGAS-2: Versatile gene-based association study version 2; KGG: Knowledge-based mining system for Genome-wide Genetic studies; GATES: Gene-based association test using extended Simes procedure; ECS: Effective chi-squared test.

Table S3. Pairwise linkage disequilibrium coefficients from the 1000 Genomes dataset.

Chr	Gene	AFR ^a			AMR ^b			EUR ^c			
		D' (r ²)			D' (r ²)			D' (r ²)			
		rs74073730	rs398607	rs1805078	rs7407730	rs398607	rs1805078	rs74073730	rs398607	rs1805078	
14	GALC	rs74073730	-	1 (0.1329)	1 (0.0001)	-	1 (0.0009)	1 (0.0001)	-	NA	NA
		rs398607	1 (0.0706)	-	1 (0.0008)	1 (0.0009)	-	0.93 (0.051)	NA	-	0.97 (0.065)
		rs1805078	1 (0.0001)	1 (0.0008)	-	1 (0.0001)	0.93 (0.051)	-	NA	0.97 (0.065)	-
11	SMPDI	rs7951904	-	1 (0.2302)	-	1 (0.0525)	-	-	-	NA	NA
		rs35785620	1 (0.2302)	-	-	1 (0.0525)	-	-	NA	-	-
		rs13393173	-	0.52 (0.027)	-	-	0.2 (0.025)	-	-	0.39 (0.093)	-
6	CERS6	rs13393173	-	0.52 (0.027)	-	0.2 (0.025)	-	-	0.39 (0.093)	-	-
		rs4668077	0.52 (0.027)	-	-	0.2 (0.025)	-	-	0.39 (0.093)	-	-
		rs13393173	-	0.52 (0.027)	-	-	0.2 (0.025)	-	-	0.39 (0.093)	-

^aMinor allele frequency (MAF) in AFR (1000 genomes) rs74073730= 0.068; rs398607= 0.355; rs1805078= 0.002; rs7951904= 0.212; rs35785620= 0.058; rs13393173= 0.014; rs4668077= 0.27

^bMAF in AMR (1000 genomes) rs74073730= 0.001; rs398607= 0.379; rs1805078=0.035; rs7951904= 0.099; rs35785620= 0.006; rs13393173= 0.148; rs4668077= 0.277

^cMAF in EUR (1000 genomes) rs74073730= 0; rs398607= 0.488; rs1805078=0.062; rs7951904= 0.124; rs35785620= 0; rs13393173= 0.24; rs4668077= 0.16

AFR =African; AMR = Admixed American; EUR = European

Figure S1. GWAS meta-analysis P -values for the PGC data set SNPs harbored sphingolipid metabolism genes found to be associated with ADHD in our study. FBAT-based raw P -values for SNPs associated with ADHD in the MTA, Paisa and US samples are shown in color. For more details, see Tables 2 and 3 of the main manuscript.

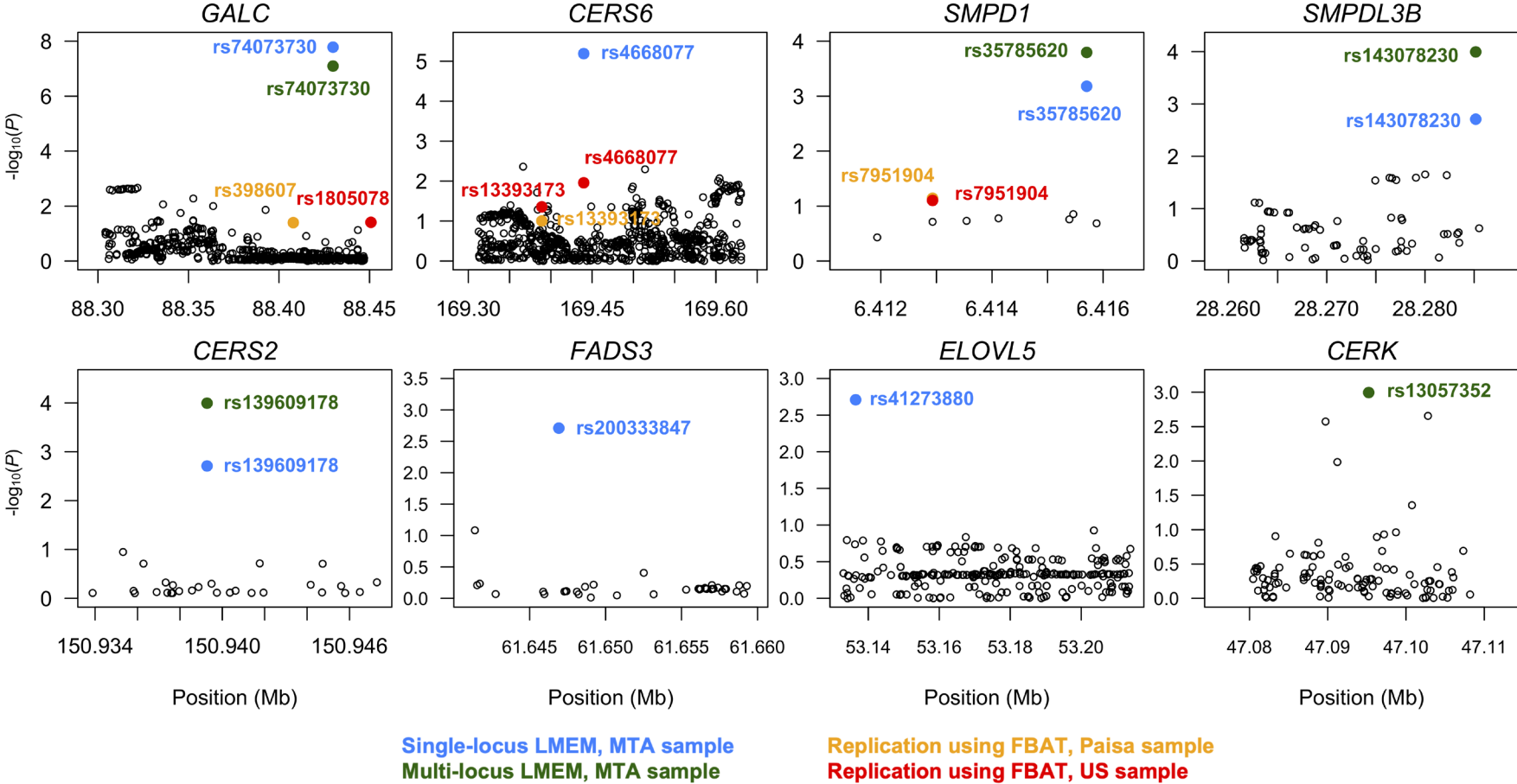


Figure S2. GALC mRNA expression in human post-mortem tissue is influenced by ADHD risk variant rs398607. Risk variant G is significantly associated with increased GALC expression in the cerebellum ($P=2.9 \times 10^{-8}$) (<https://gtexportal.org/home/snp/rs398607>).

