

## Supplementary Materials

### **Ik2/TBK1 and Hook/Dynein, an adaptor complex for early endosome transport, are genetic modifiers of FTD-associated mutant CHMP2B toxicity in *Drosophila***

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### **Supplementary 2. Motor function defect in *CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>* Larvae**

Motor neuronal expression of *UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>* by *OK6-Gal4* results in a significant decrease in median crawling speed in 3<sup>rd</sup> instar wandering larvae compared to wild-type (Canton S, *w<sup>1118</sup>* outcross) and driver only (*OK6-Gal4/+*) larvae. Co-expression of *UAS-ik2* shows no significant difference to *UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>* larvae, indicating other pathways also contribute to motor dysfunction induced by mutant CHMP2B. ANOVA with Tukey's post-hoc multiple comparison to wild-type \*\*: p < 0.01, \*\*\*: p < 0.001.

### **Supplementary 3. Partial loss of Spn-F activity does not induce retinal degeneration phenotype.**

A genetic allele and UAS-RNAi were used to knockdown Spn-F in the eye. The image was taken with a Nikon DS-Fi1 camera on a Nikon SMZ1500 stereomicroscope using the NIS-Element BR software version 3.10. This software requires purchase and is not freely available. However, a simpler software, NIS-Elements Viewer, is freely available ([https://www.microscope.healthcare.nikon.com/en\\_AOM/products/software/nis-elements/viewer](https://www.microscope.healthcare.nikon.com/en_AOM/products/software/nis-elements/viewer)).

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### **Supplementary 5. Fly lines and reagents used in this study and their sources.**

### **Supplementary 6. Values of all the statistical test results.**

## Methods

### Motor function assay

Larval locomotor assays were performed as described previously [1]. Briefly, female third instar wandering larvae, raised at 18 °C, of the appropriate genotype were selected and washed in HL3 (70 mM NaCl, 5 mM KCl, 1 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>·2H<sub>2</sub>O, 10 mM NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, 5 mM trehalose, 115 mM sucrose and 5 mM BES in dH<sub>2</sub>O). Larvae were filmed from above for 120 s (0.2 frames s<sup>-1</sup>) using VirtualDub software whilst crawling on a petri dish filled with 1% agar, 2-3 at a time. Videos were analyzed using imageJ and custom macros using the MTrack2 plugin as described [1].

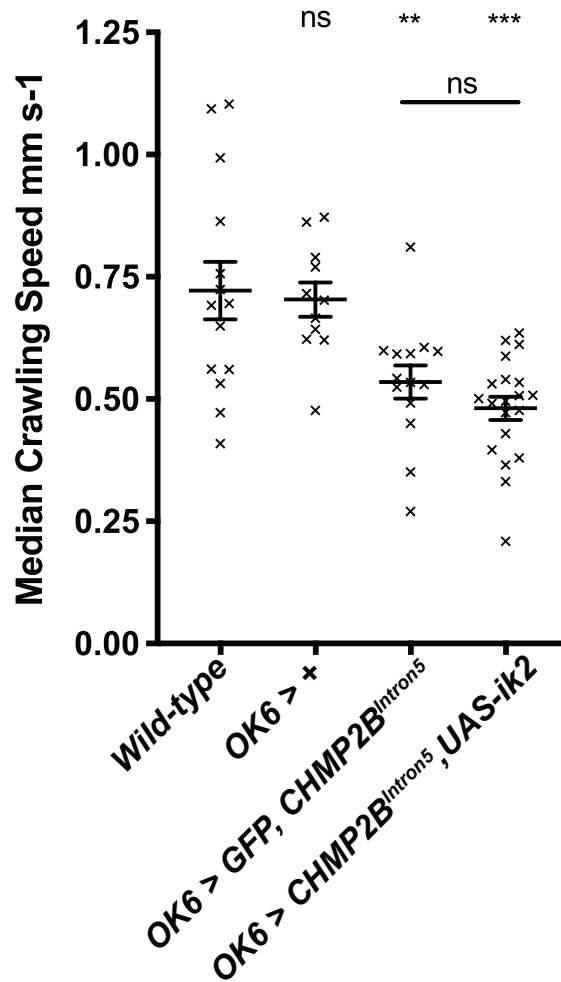
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Fly mutants	Mutation information
<i>Ik2<sup>Alice</sup></i>	Point mutation in the kinase domain (E297I)
<i>Ird5<sup>KG08072</sup></i>	P element intertion mutation
<i>Ter94<sup>K15502</sup></i>	P element intertion mutation
<i>Spn-F<sup>2</sup></i>	A 67 nucleotide deletion starting at base 726 (where +1 is the A of the initiator Met)
<i>Hook<sup>7</sup></i>	Point mutation, resulting in a 185aa polypeptide.
<i>Hook<sup>11</sup></i>	Point mutation, resulting in a 60aa polypeptide.

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### Supplementary 2. Motor function defect in CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup> Larvae

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*GMR-Ga4;UAS-Spn-F RNAi*

**Supplementary 3.** Partial loss of Spn-F activity does not induce retinal degeneration phenotype. A UAS-RNAi was used to knockdown Spn-F in the eye.

Associated figures	Genotypes
Figure 1	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/Ik2<sup>Alice</sup>·+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/+;UAS-Ik235266/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/Ik2<sup>Alice</sup>·+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+; UAS-Ik2 RNAi<sup>235266</sup>/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+; Ird5<sup>KG08072</sup>/+</i>
Figure 2	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>;+/+;+/+</i> (Outcrossed Wild-type)
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>;OK6-Gal4/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>;OK6-Gal4/UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>;OK6-Gal4/+;UAS-ik2/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>;OK6-Gal4/UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-ik2/+</i>
Figure 3	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;Spn-F<sup>2</sup>/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-Spn-F RNAi<sup>65226</sup>·+/+</i>
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	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/Hook<sup>7</sup>·+/+</i>
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	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/+<sup>1</sup>;UAS-Hook RNAi<sup>35483</sup>/+</i>
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Figure 5	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/UAS-Ctp<sup>43115</sup>·+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP/UAS-Ctp<sup>109084</sup>·+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;+/+</i>
	<i>+/w<sup>1118</sup>; GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-Ctp<sup>43115</sup>·+/+</i>
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Supplementary 4. Genotypes of the flies used in this study.



Reagents	Sources
<b>Flies</b>	
<i>GMR-Gal4</i>	Ahmad et al., 2009
<i>UAS-GFP</i>	RRID:BDSC_5431
<i>GMR-Gal4, UAS-GFP</i>	This study
<i>GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	Ahmad et al., 2009
<i>Ik2<sup>Alice</sup></i>	RRID:BDSC_31035
<i>UAS-Ik2</i> RNAi	RRID: BDSC_35266 (Bergalet et al., 2020)
<i>Ird5<sup>KG08072</sup></i>	RRID: BDSC_14684
<i>UAS-Spn-F</i> RNAi	RRID:BDSC_65226
<i>Spn-F<sup>2</sup></i>	Lin et al, 2015
<i>UAS-GFP-Spn-F</i>	Lin et al, 2015
<i>Hook<sup>7</sup></i> and <i>Hook<sup>11</sup></i>	Kramer et al, 1998
<i>UAS-Hook</i> RNAi lines	VDRC: 35483 AND 35485
<i>UAS-Ctp</i> RNAi lines	VGCR: 43115 and 109084 (Zaytseva et al., 2014)
<i>UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	Ahmad et al., 2009
<i>UAS-ik2</i>	F001016, FlyORF
<i>CS</i>	RRID:BDSC_64349
<i>W<sup>1118</sup></i>	RRID:BDSC_5905
<b>Antibodies</b>	
anti-synaptotagmin	RRID:AB_2713991
Cy3-Conjugated anti-HRP	RRID:AB_2338959
anti-Rabbit IgG (H+L) Alexa Fluor 488	RRID:AB_2576217

**Supplementary 5.** Fly lines and reagents used in this study and their sources.

Figure 1	<i>Chi-squared test for categorical data</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>P value</i>
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/Ik2<sup>Alice</sup> vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	***	7.58403E-09
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+; UAS-Ik2 RNAi<sup>235266</sup>/+ vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	***	5.9822E-21
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+; Ird5<sup>KG08072</sup>/+ vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	ns	0.105646194
Figure 2B	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P Value
	Wildtype vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	**	0.0013
	Wildtype vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	**	0.0024
	Wildtype vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.5239
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	ns	0.9873
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.0543
	OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.0633
Figure 2C	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P Value
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	*	0.0144
	Wild type vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	*	0.0429
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.5674
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	ns	0.9708
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.1777
	OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.3813
Figure 2D	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P Value
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	****	<0.0001
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	ns	0.7216
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.5821
	OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.0665
Figure 2E	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P Value
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	*	0.0129
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	ns	0.9479
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	**	0.0051
	OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	***	0.0004
Figure 2F	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P Value
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	****	<0.0001
	Wild type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	**	0.0034
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	ns	0.8572
	OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	ns	0.0785
	OK6 > mCD8-GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-TBK1	**	0.0063
Figure 3	<i>Chi-squared test for categorical data</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>P value</i>
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;Spn-F<sup>2</sup>/+ vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;</i>	***	6.2127E-22
	<i>GMR-Gal4, UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-Spn-F RNAi<sup>65226</sup> vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP</i>	***	1.97234E-39
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/Hook<sup>7</sup> vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	***	0.00001981
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/Hook<sup>11</sup> vs. GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	**	0.005270609
Figure 4	<i>Chi-squared test for categorical data</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>P value</i>

	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/Hook<sup>11</sup></i> vs. <i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup></i>	**	0.005270609
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;UAS-Hook RNAi<sup>35483</sup>/+</i> vs. <i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP</i>	***	9.70605E-10
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/+;UAS-Hook RNAi<sup>35485</sup>/+</i> vs. <i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP</i>	**	2.02058E-12
Figure 5	<i>Chi-squared test for categorical data</i>	Summary	P value
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-Ctp<sup>43115</sup></i> vs. <i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP</i>	***	0.0000000307
	<i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-Ctp<sup>109084</sup></i> vs. <i>GMR-Gal4,UAS-CHMP2B<sup>Intron5</sup>/UAS-GFP</i>	**	0.0079128247
Supplementary 2	Tukey's multiple comparisons test	Summary	P value
	Wild-type vs. OK6 > +	ns	0.9897
	Wild-type vs. OK6 > GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	**	0.0076
	Wild-type vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-IK2	***	0.0001
	OK6 > + vs. OK6 > GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup>	*	0.0310
	OK6 > + vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-IK2	***	0.0010
	OK6 > GFP, CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> vs. OK6 > CHMP2B <sup>Intron5</sup> , UAS-IK2	ns	0.7182

**Supplementary 6.** Values of all the statistical test results.