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Patient no.: **XXX**, First Name: **XXX**, Last Name: **XXX**
DOB: **XXX**, Sex: **male**, Your ref.: **XXX**

Test(s) requested: Chromosomal microarray analysis (CMA; CentoArrayCyto™ – HD incl. SNP test)

CLINICAL INFORMATION

The patient is part of twin pregnancy, born at 34 weeks of gestation; stayed two weeks in NICU; required assisted ventilation for a week. He has delayed speech development, behavioral abnormality, no eye contact, attention deficit disorder, and features of autism spectrum.



UNCLEAR RESULT
Variant of uncertain significance identified

INTERPRETATION

A copy number variation within the region 15q13.1 has been detected.

Please note that several regions with absence of heterozygosity (AOH) were detected (listed below).

RECOMMENDATIONS

- If the detected variation is considered clinically relevant, confirmation by another method (such as qPCR or MLPA) is recommended.
- Parental carrier testing might be considered to determine whether this variation is de novo or has been inherited.
- Genetic counselling is recommended.

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RESULT SUMMARY

CNV DESCRIPTION*	SIZE (KB)	GENE COUNT**	INTERPRETATION***	PATIENT RELEVANT PHENOTYPE
arr[GRCh37] 15q13.1(28828167_29089733)x3	262	5	Uncertain significance	-

* according to ISCN 2016; ** genes are listed at the end of the report; *** according to ACMG 2011, modified

VARIANT INTERPRETATION

We detected a 262 kb large 1 copy gain on the long arm of chromosome 15 including 5 genes. So far, no copy number variation (CNV) similar in size and position has been reported in the literature and none of the included genes are linked to a phenotype overlapping with the one described for the patient. The variant is classified as CNV of uncertain significance according to the recommendations of Centogene and ACMG (please see additional information below).

GENES INCLUDED IN THE DETECTED CNVs:

CNV DESCRIPTION*	RefSeq GENES**
arr[GRCh37] 15q13.1(28828167_29089733)x3	HERC2P9, GOLGA8M, WHAMMP2, LOC100289656, PDCD6IP2

* according to ISCN 2016; **according to ChAS, Affymetrix

REGIONS WITH ABSENCE OF HETEROZYGOSITY (AOH):

CHROMOSOMAL REGION*	SIZE (KB)
arr[GRCh37] 3p14.3p14.1(55637762_65727612)	10090
arr[GRCh37] 5p13.1p11(41417233_46383335)	4966
arr[GRCh37] 8q22.1q22.3(94932839_101896495)	6964

* according to ISCN 2016

CHROMOSOMAL REGION*	SIZE (KB)
arr[GRCh37] 11q22.1q22.3(101171675_107566557)	6395
arr[GRCh37] 14q21.2q22.1(45710348_51116863)	5407
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* according to ISCN 2016

CENTOGENE CLASSIFICATION OF CMA DETECTED COPY NUMBER VARIANTS

PATHOGENIC – CNV with sufficient evidence to classify as pathogenic

LIKELY PATHOGENIC – CNV with strong evidence in favor of pathogenicity

UNCERTAIN SIGNIFICANCE – CNV with limiting and/or conflicting evidence regarding pathogenicity

LIKELY BENIGN – CNV with strong evidence against pathogenicity

BENIGN – CNV with sufficient evidence to classify as benign; polymorphism

Additionally, other types of clinical relevant variants can be identified (e.g. risk factors, modifiers).

The classification of copy number variants at Centogene is based on the ACMG standards and guidelines for interpretation and reporting of postnatal constitutional copy number variants (2011). Copy number variants are evaluated based on the patient's reason for referral for this genomic screening. Comprehensive reporting of heterozygous recessive variants is outside the scope of the intended use of this test. Therefore, recessive carrier status might not be disclosed. Any clinical concern for recessive disorders should be communicated to the reporting laboratory for appropriate consideration.

1 copy loss – heterozygous/hemizygous deletion

2 copy loss – homozygous deletion

1 copy gain – heterozygous/hemizygous duplication

2 copy gain – homozygous duplication or triplication

METHODS

Chromosomal microarray analysis (CMA; CentoArrayCyto™- HD)

250 ng of genomic DNA were fragmented, amplified and hybridized to the array according to manufacturer's guidelines. The Cytoscan HD array (Affymetrix) contains 2.7 million markers, including 750,000 SNP markers, across the whole genome covering 96% of the genes. It enables the detection of copy number variations and/or large deletions/duplications. The results were analyzed with the Chromosome Analysis suite (ChAS, Affymetrix). Copy number variations with a minimum of 25 markers and a size of more than 50kb (deletions) and 200kb (duplications) are reported. The SNP component of this array allows analyzing absence of heterozygosity (AOH). The presence of AOH in multiple chromosomes might be consistent with inheritance from a shared ancestor. For homozygous deletions, analysis was performed for all

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aberrations with at least 5 aberrant markers and a size of more than 1kb. These and eventually identified deletions below the given thresholds are only reported if a clear phenotypic overlap of affected genes is observed. The results were interpreted using the DGV and Decipher databases and additional available databases.

LIMITATIONS

CMA method is recommended for the purpose of identifying DNA copy number variations (CNVs) associated with chromosomal imbalances and for the detection of absence/loss of heterozygosity (AOH/LOH), regions of homozygosity (ROH), or long contiguous stretches of homozygosity (LCSH). CMA can only detect large genomic copy number imbalances and AOH in the nuclear genome. It cannot detect balanced chromosomal rearrangements such as balanced inversions, reciprocal translocations and inversions. CMA cannot detect imbalances in the mitochondrial genome, repeat sequences such as segmental duplications, complete uniparental heterodisomy for the entire chromosome, point mutations and indels, low levels of mosaicism for regions 15 Mb in size or below 30% mosaicism, genomic copy number changes in the regions of the genome that are not represented on the microarray. Failure to detect an alteration at a specific locus does not exclude the diagnosis of a genetic disorder associated with that locus. There might be abnormalities present in that region that are not detectable by the CMA technology.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This test was developed and its performance validated by CENTOGENE AG. The US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has determined that clearance or approval of this method is not necessary and thus neither have been obtained. This test has been developed for clinical purposes. All test results are reviewed, interpreted and reported by our scientific and medical experts.

To exclude mistaken identity in your clinic, several guidelines recommend testing a second sample that is independently obtained from the proband. Please note that any further analysis will result in additional costs.

The classification of variants can change over the time. Please feel free to contact CENTOGENE (dmqc@centogene.com) in the future to determine if there have been any changes in classification of any reported variants.

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