

CHRNA2 antibody - N-terminal region

Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody Catalog # AI16214

Product Information

Application WB Primary Accession Q15822

Other Accession NM 000742, NP 000733

Reactivity Human
Predicted Human
Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Calculated MW 59765

Additional Information

Gene ID 1135

Other Names Neuronal acetylcholine receptor subunit alpha-2, CHRNA2

Format Liquid. Purified antibody supplied in 1x PBS buffer with 0.09% (w/v) sodium

azide and 2% sucrose.

Reconstitution & Storage Add 100 ul of distilled water. Final anti-CHRNA2 antibody concentration is 1

mg/ml in PBS buffer with 2% sucrose. For longer periods of storage, store at

20°C. Avoid repeat freeze-thaw cycles.

Precautions CHRNA2 antibody - N-terminal region is for research use only and not for use

in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Protein Information

Name CHRNA2 (HGNC:1956)

Function Component of neuronal acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs) that function as

pentameric, ligand-gated cation channels with high calcium permeability among other activities. nAChRs are excitatory neurotrasnmitter receptors formed by a collection of nAChR subunits known to mediate synaptic transmission in the nervous system and the neuromuscular junction. Each nAchR subunit confers differential attributes to channel properties, including activation, deactivation and desensitization kinetics, pH sensitivity, cation permeability, and binding to allosteric modulators (PubMed:18723036). CHRNA2 forms heteropentameric neuronal acetylcholine receptors with CHRNB2 and CHRNB4 and plays a role in nicotine dependence

(PubMed: <u>24467848</u>, PubMed: <u>27493220</u>).

Synaptic cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein. Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein

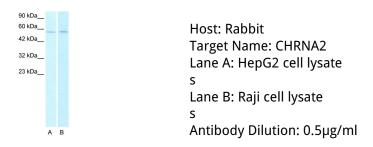
Background

After binding acetylcholine, the AChR responds by an extensive change in conformation that affects all subunits and leads to opening of an ion-conducting channel across the plasma membrane.

References

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