

CHRNA2(neuronal) Polyclonal Antibody

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP58032

Product Information

Application WB, IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, E

Primary Accession
Reactivity
Rat, Dog
Host
Clonality
Polyclonal
Calculated MW
Physical State
C015822
Rat, Dog
Rabbit
Polyclonal
Liquid

Immunogen KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from human CHRNA2

Epitope Specificity 151-250/529

Isotype IgG

Purity affinity purified by Protein A

Buffer 0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.

SUBCELLULAR LOCATION Cell junction, synapse, postsynaptic cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane

protein. Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein.

SIMILARITY Belongs to the ligand-gated ion channel (TC 1.A.9) family. Acetylcholine

receptor (TC 1.A.9.1) subfamily. Alpha-2/CHRNA2 sub-subfamily.

SUBUNIT Neuronal AChR seems to be composed of two different types of subunits:

alpha and non-alpha (beta). Alpha-2 subunit can be combined to beta-2 or

beta-4 to give rise to functional receptors.

DISEASE Epilepsy, nocturnal frontal lobe, 4 (ENFL4) [MIM:610353]: An autosomal

dominant focal epilepsy characterized by nocturnal seizures associated with fear sensation, tongue movements, and nocturnal wandering, closely resembling nightmares and sleep walking. Note=The disease is caused by

mutations affecting the gene represented in this entry.

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human, therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

Background Descriptions Nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs) are ligand-gated ion channels

formed by a pentameric arrangement of alpha and beta subunits to create distinct muscle and neuronal receptors. Neuronal receptors are found throughout the peripheral and central nervous system where they are involved in fast synaptic transmission. This gene encodes an alpha subunit that is widely expressed in the brain. The proposed structure for nAChR subunits is a conserved N-terminal extracellular domain followed by three conserved transmembrane domains, a variable cytoplasmic loop, a fourth conserved transmembrane domain, and a short C-terminal extracellular region. Mutations in this gene cause autosomal dominant nocturnal frontal lobe epilepsy type 4. Single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) in this gene have been associated with nicotine dependence. [provided by RefSeq].

Additional Information

Gene ID 1135

Other Names Neuronal acetylcholine receptor subunit alpha-2, CHRNA2

Dilution WB=1:500-2000,IHC-P=1:100-500,IHC-F=1:100-500,IF=1:100-500,ELISA=1:5000

-10000

Format 0.01M TBS(pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide and 50% Glyce

Storage Store at -20 °C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. When

reconstituted in sterile pH 7.4 0.01M PBS or diluent of antibody the antibody

is stable for at least two weeks at 2-4 °C.

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

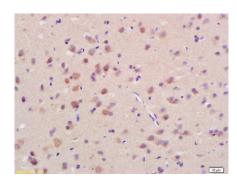
CHRNB2 and CHRNB4 and plays a role in nicotine dependence

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

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

Multi-pass membrane protein

Images



Tissue/cell: rat brain tissue; 4% Paraformaldehyde-fixed and paraffin-embedded;

Antigen retrieval: citrate buffer (0.01M, pH 6.0), Boiling bathing for 15min; Block endogenous peroxidase by 3% Hydrogen peroxide for 30min; Blocking buffer (normal goat serum, C-0005) at 37°C for 20 min;

Incubation: Anti-CHRNA2(neuronal) Polyclonal Antibody, Unconjugated(AP58032) 1:200, overnight at 4°C, followed by conjugation to the secondary antibody(SP-0023) and DAB(C-0010) staining

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