

Cytochrome P450 Pain Management Panel, *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, *CYP2C19* – Common Variants

Indications for Ordering

Assess genetic risk for altered cytochrome P450 (CYP) *CYP2D6*-, *CYP2C9*-, and *CYP2C19*-mediated drug metabolism

Test Description

- *CYP2D6* – polymerase chain reaction/primer extension
- *CYP2C9* and *CYP2C19* – polymerase chain reaction/fluorescence monitoring

Tests to Consider

Primary test

[Cytochrome P450 Pain Management Panel, *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, *CYP2C19* – Common Variants 2008920](#)

- May aid in drug selection and dose planning for drugs metabolized by *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, and *CYP2C19*
- Single gene tests for *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, and *CYP2C19* are available separately

Related tests

[Cytochrome P450 2D6 \(*CYP2D6*\) 14 Variants and Gene Duplication 0051232](#)

- May aid in drug selection and dose planning for drugs metabolized by *CYP2D6*

[Cytochrome P450 2C9, *CYP2C9* – 2 Variants 2012766](#)

- May aid in drug selection and dose planning for drugs metabolized by *CYP2C9*

[Cytochrome P450 2C19, *CYP2C19* – 9 Variants 2012769](#)

- May aid in drug selection and dose planning for drugs metabolized by *CYP2C19*

Disease Overview

Treatment issues

- Drug use is widespread
- Variants in genes affecting the CYP pathways may result in altered drug metabolism
- *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, and *CYP2C19* metabolic phenotypes may be predicted by genotype
- Combined effect of variant *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, and *CYP2C19* genotypes on phenotype is not well understood
- Predicted phenotype may be helpful clinically for drug and dose selection decisions
 - Based on whether a drug is activated or inactivated by the respective CYP enzyme

- When drugs metabolized by the CYP enzymes are administered, variant genotypes are associated with
 - Increased potential for adverse drug reactions
 - Therapeutic failure
 - Increased risk of drug/drug interactions
- Other factors also impact drug metabolism
 - Pharmacodynamic factors
 - Not detected by this test
 - Nongenetic factors
 - Drug/drug or food/drug interactions
 - Age-related changes in pharmacokinetics
 - Impact of disease on pharmacokinetics
 - Body size
- Refer to [P450 Drug Interaction Table](#) (medicine.iupui.edu/clinpharm/ddis/main-table/) for drug substrates/inhibitors/inducers for CYP (Flockhart DA, Indiana University School of Medicine, 2013)
- See Table 1
- Refer to [Clinical Pharmacogenetics Implementation Consortium \(CPIC\) Gene-Drug Pairs](#) (www.pharmgkb.org/page/cpicGeneDrugPairs)

Genetics

Genes – *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, *CYP2C19*

- Refer to [Anaesthetist.com](http://www.anaesthetist.com) for overview of CYP genes (www.anaesthetist.com/physiol/basics/metabol/cyp/Findex.htm)
- Refer to [The Human Cytochrome P450 \(CYP\) Allele Nomenclature Database](#) (www.cypalleles.ki.se/)

Allele frequencies – see Table 2

Inheritance – autosomal codominant

Penetrance – drug dependent

Variants detected – see Table 3 for alleles tested and effect of functionality of CYP450 pathways

Test Interpretation

Sensitivity/specificity

- Clinical sensitivity – drug dependent
- Analytical sensitivity/specificity – >99%

Results

- Positive – one or more variant alleles detected that are associated with altered enzyme function
 - Reported metabolizer phenotypes include
 - Normal
 - Two functional alleles, or specific combinations of alleles, as defined per gene
 - Poor
 - Two nonfunctional alleles
 - Intermediate (metabolizing at a rate between poor and normal)
 - Gene dependent
 - Rapid or ultra-rapid
 - Presence of increased functional allele(s)
 - More than two copies of a functional allele
- Negative – no variants detected
 - Predictive of *1 functional alleles and normal enzymatic activity
 - Predicts normal metabolizer phenotype
- *CYP2D6* gene duplication detected
 - Specific allele duplicated may not be determined
 - Metabolizer phenotype may not be predicted

Limitations

- Only the targeted *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, and *CYP2C19* variants will be detected
- Diagnostic errors can occur due to rare sequence variations
- Risk of therapeutic failure or adverse reactions with *CYP2D6*, *CYP2C9*, or *CYP2C19* substrates may be affected by genetic and nongenetic factors that are not detected by this test
- Variant detection does not replace
 - Therapeutic drug monitoring
 - Clinical monitoring

References

Clinical Pharmacogenetics Implementation Consortium. CPIC Genes/Drugs, PharmGKB (www.pharmgkb.org/cpic/pairs), Stanford, CA

Table 1. Cytochrome P450 Pathways for Common Analgesics (CYP2C9, CYP2C19, and CYP2D6)			
Drug	CYP2C9	CYP2C19	CYP2D6
acetaminophen	-----	-----	inactivation
buprenorphine	-----	-----	-----
codeine	-----	-----	activation
fentanyl	-----	-----	inactivation
hydrocodone	-----	-----	activation
hydromorphone	-----	-----	-----
ibuprofen	inactivation	-----	-----
meperidine	-----	activation	-----
methadone	-----	inactivation	inactivation
morphine	-----	-----	-----
naproxen	inactivation	-----	-----
oxycodone	-----	-----	activation
oxymorphone	-----	-----	-----
propoxyphene	-----	-----	-----
tapentadol	inactivation	inactivation	inactivation
tramadol	-----	-----	activation

Note: Table does not reflect all analgesics. Many other drug classes are metabolized by *CYP2C9*, *CYP2C19* and *CYP2D6*. This information is provided as an illustration for how results may be applied clinically.

Table 2. Common Allele Frequencies	
Allele	Populations
<i>CYP2D6</i> Incidence of poor metabolizer phenotype	Caucasians and Hispanics 10% African Americans 2% Asians 1%
<i>CYP2C9*2</i>	Caucasians 13% African Americans 3% Asians <1%
<i>CYP2C9*3</i>	Caucasians 7% Asians 4% African Americans 2%
<i>CYP2C19*2</i>	Oceanian 54.9% South Asian 34.4% African American 18.3% Caucasian 14.6% Middle Eastern 13.2%
<i>CYP2C19*3</i>	Oceanian 13.9% East Asian 8.5% Middle Eastern 2.6% Caucasian 0.6% African American 0.3%
<i>CYP2C19*17</i>	Caucasian 21.5% African American 19.4% South Asian 16.5% Oceanian 2.5%

**Table 3. Expected Functionality for CYP450 Pathways Based on Allelic Variants
(CYP2D6, CYP2C9, and CYP2C19)**

Gene (reference sequence)	Allele Function			
	Nonfunctional	Decreased Function	Functional	Increased Function
CYP2D6 (M33388 sequence)	*3 (2549delA) *4 (c1846G>A) *5 (gene deletion) *6 (1707delT) *7 (2935A>C) *8 (1758G>T) *12 (124G>A) *14 (1758G>A)	*9 (2613-5delAGA) *10 (100C>T) *17 (1023C>T) *29 (1659G>A) *41 (2988G>A)	*2 (2850C>T) *2A (-1584C>G, 2850C>T)	Duplicated functional alleles
CYP2C9 (NM_000771)	*3 (rs1057910, c.1075A>C)	*2 (rs1799853, c.430C>T)		
CYP2C19 (NM_000769)	*2 (rs4244285, c.681G>A) *3 (rs4986893, c.636G>A) *4 (rs28399504, c.1A>G) *6 (rs72552267, c.395G>A) *7 (rs72558186, c.819+2T>A) *8 (rs41291556, c.358T>C)	*9 (rs17884712, c.431G>A) *10 (rs6413438, c.680C>T)		*17 (rs12248560, c.-806C>T) Increased gene transcription