

Detection of mutation  
c.[1297T>C;1299C>T] of L2HGDH gene  
causing L2HGA in Staffordshire bull terriers

**Sample**

Sample: 18-03916  
Name: Marylin Auricstaff Fransimo Bohemia  
Breed: Staffordshire Bull Terrier  
Microchip: 941 000 017 000 929  
Date of birth: 18/02/2015  
Sex: female  
Date received: 19.02.2018  
Sample type: buccal swab

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**Result: Mutation was not detected (N/N)**

**Legend:** N/N = wild-type genotype. N/P = carrier of the mutation. P/P = mutated genotype (individual will be most probably affected with the disease). (N = negative, P = positive)

**Explanation**

Presence or absence of mutation c.[1297T>C;1299C>T] in exon 10 of L2HGDH gene causing L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria in Staffordshire bull terriers were tested. Double nucleotide substitution leads to double amino acid replacement in L2-hydroxyglutaric dehydrogenase enzyme: leucine to proline in position 433 and histidine to tyrosine in position 434. These mutations cause L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria disease (L-2-HGA) in Staffordshire bull terriers. L-2-HGA is a neurological disorder manifested by psychomotor retardation, seizures and ataxia. Accumulation of L-2-hydroxyglutaric acid in cerebrospinal fluid, plasma and urine is very typical.

Mutation that causes L-2-HGA is inherited as an autosomal recessive trait. That means the disease affects dogs with P/P genotype only. The dogs with N/P genotype are considered carriers of the disease (heterozygotes). In offspring of two heterozygous animals following genotype distribution can be expected: 25 % N/N, 25 % P/P and 50 % N/P.

Method: SOP175-L2HGA, real-time PCR-ASA, accredited method

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