

Resource Summary Report

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CMHD - Centre for Modeling Human Disease

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.cmhd.ca/>

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Description: Multidisciplinary collaboration undertaking genome-wide mutagenesis to functionally annotate the mouse genome and develop new mouse models relevant to human disease. To achieve these goals two major research platforms are carried out: Gene trapping and ENU Mutagenesis. A new challenge is faced in the post-genomic era - the assignment of biological function to the human genome sequence and projecting that assignment into understanding of human health and disease. The Centre for Modeling Human Disease (CMHD) was established to take part in the worldwide initiative to address these challenges. At the CMHD, two fundamentally different, yet complimentary methods are employed to generate mutant mouse models of human disease: chemical mutagenesis by ethylnitrosourea (ENU), and gene trap insertional mutagenesis. The Centre contributes its resources to similar international efforts and is the first of its kind in Canada. The Center is also actively developing other mutagenic strategies including pharmacologic and genetic modifier screens to dissect disease pathways, and novel mutagenic techniques using embryonic stem cells. ENU Database * Statistics for Mouse Physiological Parameters * Search Mutants by Phenotype * Search Mutants by Heritability Gene Trap Database * Search by in vitro Expression Pattern * Search by Gene Trap Sequences CMHD Members Only (must register and login) * Search Mouse Line * Histopathology * Sperm, Tissue, Slide Archiving * CMHD Database Download CMHD Services * Phenotyping * Genetic Mapping * Pathology * Pathology Service Charges

Abbreviations: CMHD

Synonyms: Centre for Modeling Human Disease

Resource Type: production service resource, data or information resource, database, service resource, material service resource, biomaterial manufacture, analysis service resource

Keywords: mutant, mouse model, chemical mutagenesis, ethylnitrosourea, gene trap insertion, mutagenesis, genome-wide mutagenesis, mouse genome, genome, phenotype, heritability, expression pattern, sequence, image, neurobiology, behavior, embryonic stem cell, gene trapping, enu mutagenesis, human disease

Related Condition: Human disease

Funding: CIHR ;
Genome Canada

Availability: Non-CMHD users are required to register and log in only if you wish to view images on our mouse models.

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Alternate IDs: nlx_151636

Record Creation Time: 20220129T080234+0000

Record Last Update: 20260803T040428+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for CMHD - Centre for Modeling Human Disease.

No alerts have been found for CMHD - Centre for Modeling Human Disease.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 12 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [ASWG](#) .

Raileanu VN, et al. (2019) Banking Mesenchymal Stromal Cells from Umbilical Cord Tissue: Large Sample Size Analysis Reveals Consistency Between Donors. Stem cells translational medicine, 8(10), 1041.

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