SDHD-related head and neck paragangliomas & their natural course

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Abbreviations

α-KG	α-ketoglutarate
A	Adenine
Arg	Arginine
Asp	Aspartic acid
AUC	Area under the curve
bp	Base pair
C	Cytosine
c.	Coding DNA reference sequence
CA	California
CBT	Carotid body tumor
CDKN1C	Cyclin-dependent kinase inhibitor 1c
CI	Confidence interval
cm	Centimeter
CNS	Central nervous system
CSF	Cerebrospinal fluid
CT	Computed tomography
DCIS	Ductal carcinoma in situ
del	Deletion
df	Degrees of freedom
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
DSA	Digital substraction angiography
3D TOF MRA	3D Time of Flight MR Angriography
ECA	External carotid artery
EGLN	Elegans homolog
ENT	Ear nose and throat
EPAS1	Endothelial PAS domain protein 1
EPO	Erytropoetin
ERK	Extracellular signal-regulated kinases
FAD	Flavin adenine dinucleotide
^{18}FDOPA	^{18}F-fluordopa
Fe	Iron

FH	Fumurate hydratase
G	Guanine
^{68}Ga	^{68}Gallium
GIST	Gastrointestinal stromal tumor
GN	Ganglioneuroma
GPR91	G-protein-coupled receptor 91
HIF	Hypoxia-inducible factor
HNPGL	Head and neck paraganglioma
HR	Hazard ratio
HRE	HIF-responsive elements
IBM	International Business Machines
ICA	Internal carotid artery
Ile	Isoleucine
^{123}I-MIBG	^{123}I-metaiodobenzylguanidine
IQR	Interquartile range
KIF1Bβ	Kinesin family member1Bβ
LC	Lung carcinoma
LDGA	Laboratory for Diagnostic Genome Analysis
Leu	Leucine
LOVD	Leiden Open (source) Variation Database
LUMC	Leiden University Medical Center
MAX	Myc associated factor X
5mC	5-methylcytosine
MDH2	Malate dehydrogenase 2
MERTK	C-MER proto-oncogene tyrosine kinase
Met	Methionine
MIBG	Metaiodobenzylguanidine
MLPA	Multiplex ligation-dependent probe amplification
mm	Millimeter
MRA	Magnetic resonance angiography
MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging
ms	Millisecond
3MT	3-methoxytyramine

MTC	Medullary thyroid carcinoma
mTOR	Mammalian target of rapamycin
n	Number
NVII	Facial nerve
NIX	Glossopharyngeal nerve
NX	Vagus nerve
NXII	Hypoglossal nerve
NB	Neuroblastoma
NF1	Neurofibromatosis type 1
NGF	Nerve growth factor
NGS	Next generation sequencing
NG_	Genomic sequence
NM_	mRNA reference sequence
NT_	DNA reference sequence
NY	New York
OR	Odds ratio
p.	Protein sequence
PA	Pituitary adenoma
PCC	Pheochromocytoma
PET	Positron emission tomography
PGL	Paraganglioma
PHDs	Prolyl hydroxylase domain proteins
PNMT	Phenylethanolamine N-methyltransferase
PP	Predicted probability
Pro	Proline
PTC	Papillary thyroid carcinoma
Q	Quartile
r	Growth rate
R^2	Coefficient of determination
RCC	Renal cell carcinoma
RET	Rearranged during transfection proto-oncogene
RMSE	Root mean squared error
ROC	Receiver operating characteristic

ROS	Reactive oxygen species
S	Sulfur
SD	Standard deviation
SDD	Smallest detectable difference
SDH	Succinate dehydrogenase
SDHA	Succinate dehydrogenase subunit-A (flavoprotein-subunit)
SDHAF1	Succinate dehydrogenase, assembly factor 1
SDHAF2	Succinate dehydrogenase, assembly factor 2
SDHB	Succinate dehydrogenase subunit-B (iron-sulfur subunit)
SDHC	Succinate dehydrogenase subunit-C (anchoring subunit)
SDHD	Succinate dehydrogenase subunit-D (anchoring subunit)
SLC22A18	poly-specific organic cation transporter
SMR	Standardized mortality ratio
sPGL	Extra-adrenal sympathetic paraganglioma
SPSS	Statistical Package for the Social Sciences
T	Thymine
T	Tesla
t	Time
TCA	Tricarboxylic acid
T_d	Tumor doubling time
Thr	Threonine
TMEM127	Transmembrane protein 127
TX	Texas
Tyr	Tyrosine
USA	United States of America
VEGF	Vascular endothelial growth factor
VHL	Von Hippel-Lindau
V	Volume
WHO	World health organization

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