

عنوان مقاله:

Potential therapeutic application of CRISPR-Cas9 in Huntington s disease

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خلاصه مقاله:

Background: Huntington s disease caused by a extension of a CAG repeat in huntingtin gene and lead to anelongated polyglutamine tract that is toxic for the brain. So far, the drugs available for this disorder are symptomatic treatment; unfortunately, they are not successful in curing the disease or slow down the progression of the disease. But CRISPR/Cas9 recently has been used as a constant treatment. So, the purpose of this study was to evaluation articles in this field. Methods: Searching for related publications was done using keywords crispr-cas9 and Huntington s disease in PubMed, Scopus and Web of Science databases. Results: The rapid growth of the CRISPR-Cas9-mediated genome editing tool has revolutionized the field of gene therapy. One of the application this procedure is gene therapy in various diseases like neuromuscular disorders and Huntington s disease. Currently, decrease of HTT mRNA levels with this method is a therapeutic choice for HD. The major therapeutic profit is expected when the mutant allele is entirely silenced while expression from the normal allele is left intact. In addition to therapeutic benefits , this method is also used to make genetically modified animal models like pig for neurodegenerative disease in order to enhance insight about diagnosis, remedy, and prevention of neurodegenerative disorders. Conclusion: Our research provide proof of Therapeutic characteristic of crispr-cas9 in Huntington s disease therapy Although CRISPR/Cas9 system has many problems to be solved, such as off-target effects, delivery system, efficacy, safety concerns, but is being practical in biotechnology and clinical trial

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