

# CHRNA9 antibody - N-terminal region

Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody Catalog # AI16203

#### **Product Information**

Application WB
Primary Accession Q9UGM1

Other Accession <u>NM\_017581</u>, <u>NP\_060051</u>

**Reactivity** Mouse, Rabbit, Dog, Guinea Pig, Horse, Bovine **Predicted** Mouse, Rabbit, Dog, Guinea Pig, Horse, Bovine

Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Calculated MW 54807

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 55584

Alias Symbol NACHRA9, HSA243342

Other Names Neuronal acetylcholine receptor subunit alpha-9, Nicotinic acetylcholine

receptor subunit alpha-9, NACHR alpha-9, CHRNA9, NACHRA9

Format Liquid. Purified antibody supplied in 1x PBS buffer with 0.09% (w/v) sodium

azide and 2% sucrose.

**Reconstitution & Storage** Add 50 ul of distilled water. Final anti-CHRNA9 antibody concentration is 1

mg/ml in PBS buffer with 2% sucrose. For longer periods of storage, store at

20°C. Avoid repeat freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** CHRNA9 antibody - N-terminal region is for research use only and not for use

in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name CHRNA9 ( HGNC:14079)

Synonyms NACHRA9

**Function** Component of neuronal acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs) that function as

pentameric, ligand-gated cation channels with high calcium permeability among other activities. nAChRs are excitatory neurotrasnmitter receptors formed by a collection of nAChR subunits known to mediate synaptic transmission in the nervous system and the neuromuscular junction. Each nAchR subunit confers differential attributes to channel properties, including activation, deactivation and desensitization kinetics, pH sensitivity, cation permeability, and binding to allosteric modulators (PubMed: 11752216,

PubMed:18723036, PubMed:25282151). Forms either homopentamers or heteropentamers with CHRNA10. Expressed in the inner ear, in sympathetic neurons and in other non-neuronal cells, such as skin keratinocytes and lymphocytes (PubMed:11752216, PubMed:18723036). nAChR formed by CHRNA9:CHRNA10 mediate central nervous system control of auditory and vestibular sensory processing. The channel is permeable to a range of divalent cations including calcium, the influx of which may activate a potassium current which hyperpolarizes the cell membrane (PubMed:11752216, PubMed:25282151). In the ear, mediates synaptic transmission between efferent olivocochlear fibers and hair cells of the cochlea, this may lead to a reduction in basilar membrane motion, altering the activity of auditory nerve fibers and reducing the range of dynamic hearing. This may protect against acoustic trauma (By similarity). May also regulate keratinocyte adhesion (PubMed:11021840, PubMed:11752216, PubMed:25282151).

**Cellular Location** 

Synaptic cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein. Cell membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein

**Tissue Location** 

Expressed in cochlea, keratinocytes, pituitary gland, B-cells and T-cells.

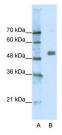
## **Background**

Ionotropic receptor with a probable role in the modulation of auditory stimuli. Agonist binding induces a conformation change that leads to the opening of an ion-conducting channel across the plasma membrane (PubMed:11752216, PubMed:25282151). The channel is permeable to a range of divalent cations including calcium, the influx of which may activate a potassium current which hyperpolarizes the cell membrane (PubMed:11752216, PubMed:25282151). In the ear, this may lead to a reduction in basilar membrane motion, altering the activity of auditory nerve fibers and reducing the range of dynamic hearing. This may protect against acoustic trauma. May also regulate keratinocyte adhesion (PubMed:11021840).

#### References

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#### **Images**



WB Suggested Anti-CHRNA9 Antibody Titration: 0.0625µg/ml ELISA Titer: 1:312500

Positive Control: Jurkat cell lysate

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