Dr. Robertson,

Enclosed are the following epithelial cell lines:

CCL-17 KB (oral mucosa): EBV positive- CCL-17 KB with Akata BDLF3⁽⁻⁾

EBV negative- CCL-17 KB normal

CCL-185 A549 (lung): EBV positive- CCL-185 A549 with Akata BDLF3⁽⁻⁾

EBV negative- CCL-185 A549 normal

CCL-20.2 WK (conjunctiva): EBV positive- CCL20.2 WK with Akata BDLF3⁽⁻⁾

EBV negative- CCL20.2 WK normal

The EBV positive cells were infected with the EBV-neo^r virus (obtained from Lindsey Hutt-Fletcher, PhD), in which a neomycin resistance cassette was inserted into the BDLF3 ORF of the Akata strain of EBV.

We culture these cells in DMEM with 10% FBS and 350ug/ml geneticin.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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