

Supplementary Table 1. Summary of histological type and number of cancer cell lines screened for *DICER1* mutations

Tissue	Histology	Total Number of cell lines screened	Number of microsatellite stable cell lines screened
adrenal gland	adrenal cortical carcinoma	2	2
autonomic ganglia	neuroblastoma	35	35
biliary tract	bile duct/gallbladder carcinoma	6	6
bone	osteosarcoma	9	8
bone	Ewings sarcoma/PNET	20	20
bone	chondrosarcoma	1	1
bone	other	1	0
breast	carcinoma	45	42
central nervous system	glioma	52	51
central nervous system	primitive neuroectodermal tumor/medulloblastoma	7	7
cervix	carcinoma	13	12
endometrium	carcinoma	10	4
eye	retinoblastoma	1	1
gastrointestinal tract	carcinoma	1	1
haemopoietic and lymphoid tissue	haemopoietic neoplasm	47	37
haemopoietic and lymphoid tissue	lymphoid neoplasm	80	64
kidney	carcinoma	20	16
kidney	Wilms tumor	1	1
kidney	rhabdoid tumor	1	1
large intestine	carcinoma	40	24
liver	carcinoma	10	9
lung	carcinoma	150	137
lung	carcinoma endocrine tumor	4	4
oesophagus	carcinoma	22	21
oesophagus	other	1	1
ovary	carcinoma	19	13
ovary	germ cell tumor	1	1
ovary	other	1	1
pancreas	carcinoma	17	16
placenta	choriocarcinoma	2	2

pleura	mesothelioma	6	5
prostate	carcinoma	4	1
prostate	hyperplasia	1	1
salivary gland	carcinoma	1	1
skin	malignant melanoma	45	43
skin	carcinoma	1	1
skin	adnexal tumor	1	1
small intestine	carcinoma	1	1
soft tissue	rhabdomyosarcoma	7	5
soft tissue	sarcoma – other	11	10
soft tissue	leiomyoblastoma	1	1
stomach	carcinoma	20	14
stomach	other	1	1
testis	germ cell tumor	4	4
thyroid	carcinoma	12	11
upper aerodigestive tract	carcinoma	22	21
upper aerodigestive tract	other	1	1
urinary tract	carcinoma	18	17
vulva	carcinoma	3	3
unspecified	carcinoma	2	2

Supplementary Table 2. Primers used to amplify *DICER1* coding exons.

Exon	Multiplex Group	Forward Primer Sequence (5'-3')	Reverse Primer Sequence (5'-3')	Size (bp)
2	B	CCCTGCATGATTGTGTAATGG	AGAAGTGGGAGGCCTGAAAG	343
3	C	TTTTGTAAATTTATTGGAGGACG	TCTGCCAGAAGAGATTAATGAG	429
4	A	GAGGATAACCTTGGAAGTGTGG	CCTAAATCAGACAACCAAGGC	388
5	C	AATCCTCACTTATGATAACAATGGC	GCCAAACTCCCAATATTGATAAC	348
6	A	TAGTGGCATTTCACCAAAC	ATTCTTACTCTTGCCCATTC	388
7	A	CCCACTGCTAACATTCTGGC	GAGCCGCATTAAGCATATTTTC	395
8	A	AAATCCCAGTTAAACCCAC	TGCAGCGCATCACATCAC	623
9	B	GACCAAGACCGTTTTGTTAGG	GAGACCCTATGGGCACTTTG	333
10	D	CCCAAGAGCATGTGTGTCAG	TTCTATGGATACAAAGAATAACAAAG	439
11	C	TGTAGGTACAGAGGCAGACAGC	AACCGCAAAATGTCAACAATAC	323
12	C	CAAATTCAGTAGAGGGGAAGAG	CAACACAAGGCTCCTGCTC	375
13	B	GGGCAGTGGTTTCATAGGTG	TTAAGATCAGCAAGTGAATAGCTC	282
14	B	TCCAGGTCCTTCTAACATAGTTCTG	GGAAGTGAATTTGATGTAGCG	307
15	B	GTCATGCCTCGGGTATTTTC	ACAGAAATGATGCTTTCTAGTGG	475
16+17	C	CTAGAAAGCATCATTTCTGTTCTG	ACCGTGCCCGACCTAGTG	648
18	B	TGTAAAGGTGCCATTTAGCTTC	TTTGTGTGCAAAGCATCTCC	589
19	C	AGCCCAAGAGGCTGTAGTTG	CGAATCATGCATTTAACTTGG	319
20	A	AAATCCCATTTGGCCTTAGAG	TCTGACCTCAGATTCTCATCTCC	508
21a	A	AAATTCAAATTGCTGTTGCTCTC	TTTGTTAGCATTTCCATCAAGG	553
21b	C	CTTTTGCCAAGGAAATCAGC	CGTTCTCATCCTCTGAGATTATCC	557
22	A	CTTCTCAGTCATTCATAAGGAGTATG	GCAAAACTCAAAGTCAAACATC	732
23a	A	TTGAAATTATCCATAACCCTTGC	GCTGGTTAAATAGCAGCCC	609
23b	B	GACTTTGTGGTGGGGTTCTG	TACAAGGCCAACACGATGAG	606
24	B	AATCTTCTTCGGATTTGGGG	TGCCGTCAGAACTCTGAAAC	434
25+26	C	TCCAAGAAAAGAACTACATCTGTG	AAATCTGACAACAGCACACCAC	537
27	C	TGCACACTAAATGCTGATTGAC	CAACTTAAAGTCTTCCTTCCG	328

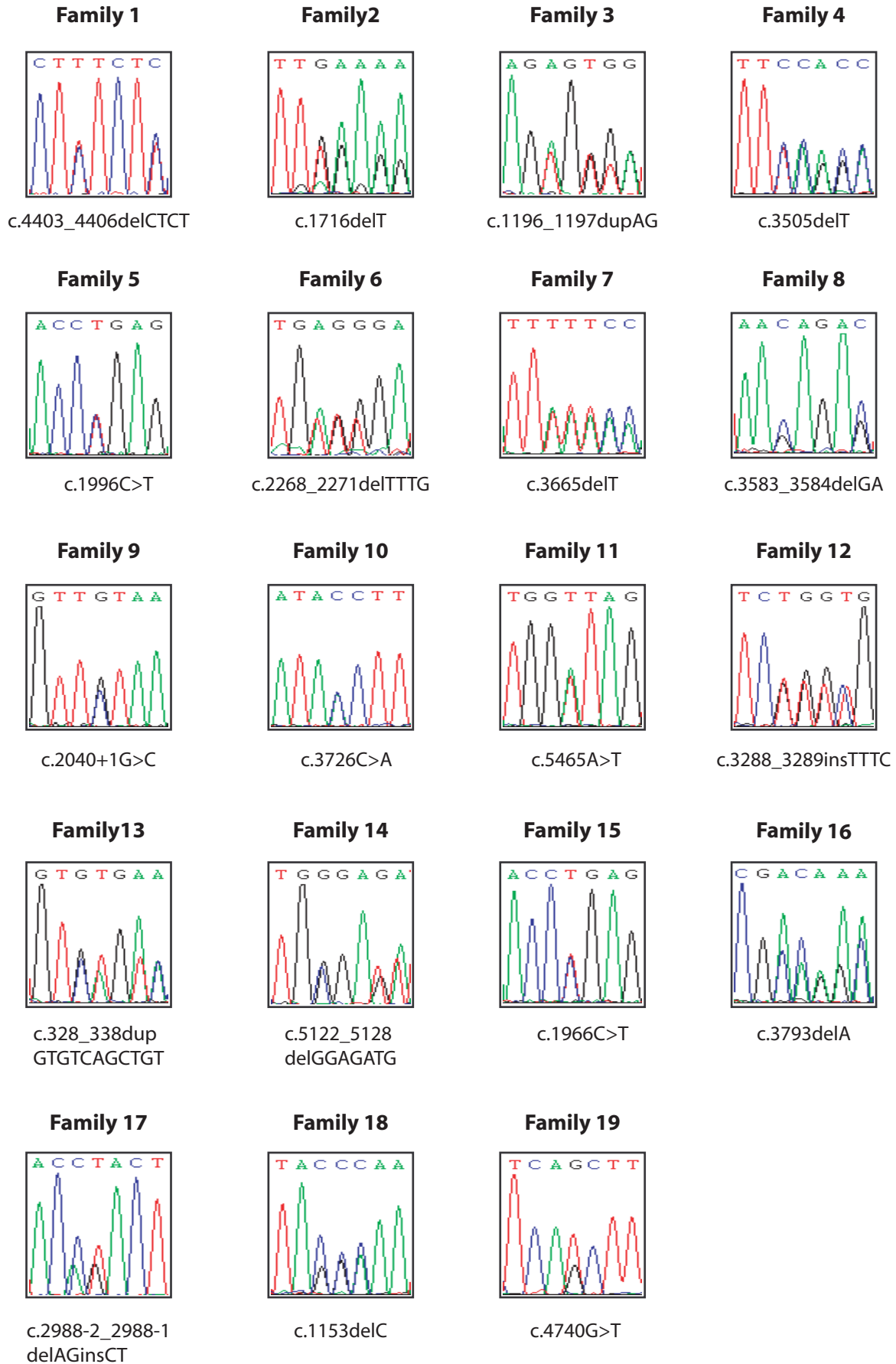
Supplementary Table 3. *DICER1* non-pathogenic variants

Nucleotide Change	Protein Change	Frequency
Non-synonymous variants		
c.20A>G	p.Q7R	3
c.1124C>G	p.P375R	1
c.1381A>G	p.I461V	1
c.2254G>A	p.A752T	1
c.2614G>A	p.A872T	1
c.3392A>G	p.N1131S	1
c.4260_4262delGGA	p.D1421del	5
c.4802A>T	p.K1601M	1
c.4891T>G	p.S1631A	4
c.5740G>A	p.A1914T	1
Synonymous variants		
c.126T>C	p.Y42Y	1
c.366G>A	p.G122G	3
c.1191C>T	p.S397S	1
c.1887G>A	p.T629T	3
c.1935G>A	p.P645P	7 (rs61751177)
c.2115T>C	p.I705I	1
c.2370G>A	p.R790R	1
c.2658C>T	p.D886D	1
c.2997T>G	p.L999L	7 (rs12018992)
c.3033G>A	p.A1011A	4 (rs8019857)
c.3198T>C	p.T1066T	3
c.3213A>G	p.R1071R	1
c.3813C>T	p.L1271L	1
c.3820A>C	p.R1274R	1
c.3972G>A	p.K1324K	3 (rs45562437)
c.4014G>A	p.A1338A	3
c.4647C>T	p.H1549H	1
c.4665T>C	p.A1555A	1
c.4680G>A	p.A1560A	4
c.4776G>T	p.P1592P	1
c.5112A>G	p.L1704L	1
c.5145C>T	p.L1715L	4
c.5643T>C	p.T1881T	1
Intronic variants		
c.439-7A>T		3
c.1377-4T>G		2
c.4207-3C>T		1
c.5769+4C>T		1
c.5769+5G>A		1

Supplementary Table 4. *DICER1* variants identified in cancer cell lines

Cell line	Tissue	Histology	Microsatellite Instability	DNA change	Protein change
ZR-75-30	breast	carcinoma	yes	c.946_962del	p.W316fs*15
NCI-H2342	lung	carcinoma	yes	c.3349G>T	p.E1117X
IGROV-1	ovary	carcinoma	yes	c.4605_4606delTG	p.C1535fs*3
MFE-296	endometrium	carcinoma	yes	c.5683C>T	p.R1895X
GR-ST	haematopoietic and lymphoid	haematopoietic neoplasm	yes	c.653A>G	p.E218G
TK10	kidney	carcinoma	no	c.835A>T	p.N279Y
HCT-116	large intestine	carcinoma	yes	c.862G>A	p.V288I
LS-411N	large intestine	carcinoma	yes	c.920G>A	p.R307H
HT-3	cervix	carcinoma	no	c.1213A>C	p.N405H
HCC2998	colorectal	carcinoma	no	c.1402G>A	p.D468N
HCT-15	large intestine	carcinoma	yes	c.1483G>A	p.E495K
CP66-MEL	skin	malignant melanoma	no	c.1504G>A	p.E502K
Ca9-22	upper aerodigestive tract	carcinoma	no	c.2033C>T	p.S678F
LAN-6	autonomic ganglia	neuroblastoma	no	c.2237G>C	p.R746T
NCI-H1770	lung	carcinoma	no	c.2612A>G	p.D871G
KYSE-520	oesophagus	carcinoma	no	c.3334A>G	p.N1112D
NCI-H1975	lung	carcinoma	no	c.3379A>T	p.I1127F
NCI-H1838	lung	carcinoma	no	c.3631G>T	p.V1211L
HEC-1	endometrium	carcinoma	yes	c.3673T>C	p.Y1225H
HCT-15	large intestine	carcinoma	yes	c.3839G>A	p.S1280N
SK-MES-1	lung	carcinoma	no	c.4123G>A	p.D1375N
PF-382	haematopoietic and lymphoid	lymphoid malignancy	no	c.4339C>A	p.Q1447K
ES4	bone	Ewings sarcoma	no	c.4474A>G	p.M1492V
HCC2998	large intestine	carcinoma	no	c.5001A>C	p.E1667D
NCI-H1522	lung	carcinoma	yes	c.5108G>A	p.R1703H
UACC-257	skin	malignant melanoma	no	c.5620T>C	p.Y1874H

Supplementary Figure 1. Constitutional *DICER1* mutations in 19 families



APPENDIX

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