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Single Report

Animal Name: Baxter

Owner:

Cameron Murray

Membership Number : 4100183534

Member Body/Breed Club: DOGS QUEENSLAND

Approved Collection Method: Yes



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Owner's details

Name: Cameron Murray

Animal's Details

Registered Name : Spartanblu Zeus

Pet Name : Baxter

Registration Number : 4100339686

Breed : Staffordshire Bull Terrier

Microchip Number : 943094320435101

Sex : Intact Male

Date of Birth : 8th Jul 2020

Colour : Blue

Sample Collection Details

Case Number : 20K06305

Collected By : NO4500

Approved Collection : Yes

Sample Type : SWAB

Test Details

Test Requested : Degenerative Myelopathy

Pet Name : Baxter

Date of Test : 16th Sep 2020

Authorisation

Sample with Lab ID Number 20K06305 was received at Orivet Genetics, DNA was extracted and analysed with the following result reported:

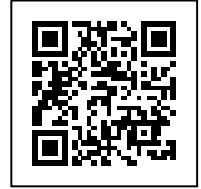


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Pet Name :	Baxter
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Test Reported : DEGENERATIVE MYELOPATHY**Result :** **NEGATIVE / CLEAR [NO VARIANT DETECTED]** ¹**Gene :** Superoxide dismutase 1 (SOD1) on chromosome 31**Variant Detected :** Base Substitutionc.118G>Ap.Glu40Lys

We have scanned the DNA and the genotype of this animal is NORMAL - no presence of the disease associated variant (mutation) has been detected. This result may also be referred to as NORMAL, "-/-" or "wild type (WT)" or "homozygous negative". The animal is clear of the disease and will not pass on the disease-causing variant.

Clarification of Genetic Testing

Genetic inheritance is not a simple process, and may be complicated by several factors. Below is some information to help clarify these factors.

- 1) Some diseases may demonstrate signs of what Geneticists call "genetic heterogeneity". This is a term to describe an apparently single condition that may be caused by more than one mutation and/or gene
- 2) It is possible that there exists more than one disease that presents in a similar fashion and segregates in a single breed. These conditions - although phenotypically similar - may be caused by separate mutations and/or genes.
- 3) It is possible that the disease affecting your breed may be what Geneticists call an "oligogenic disease". This is a term to describe the existence of additional genes that may modify the action of a dominant gene associated with a disease. These modifier genes may for example give rise to a variable age of onset for a particular condition, or affect the penetrance of a particular mutation such that some animals may never develop the condition.

The range of hereditary diseases continues to increase and we see some that are relatively benign and others that can cause severe and/or fatal disease. Diagnosis of any disease should be based on pedigree history, clinical signs, history (incidence) of the disease and the specific genetic test for the disease. Penetrance of a disease will always vary not only from breed to breed but within a breed, and will vary with different diseases. Factors that influence penetrance are genetics, nutrition and environment. Although genetic testing should be a priority for breeders, we strongly recommend that temperament and phenotype also be considered when breeding.

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