



# Human Myotonic Dystrophy Induced Pluripotent Stem Cell Lines

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**Tissue:** Skin Fibroblast

**Disease:** Myotonic dystrophy patient

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## Desired Partnerships

These cell lines are fully developed and available for license. Please contact our office to learn more.

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## References

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