

# Defective NTHL1 truncation mutants do not bind dihydrouracil (DHU)

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## Introduction

Reactome is open-source, open access, manually curated and peer-reviewed pathway database. Pathway annotations are authored by expert biologists, in collaboration with Reactome editorial staff and cross-referenced to many bioinformatics databases. A system of evidence tracking ensures that all assertions are backed up by the primary literature. Reactome is used by clinicians, geneticists, genomics researchers, and molecular biologists to interpret the results of high-throughput experimental studies, by bioinformaticians seeking to develop novel algorithms for mining knowledge from genomic studies, and by systems biologists building predictive models of normal and disease variant pathways.

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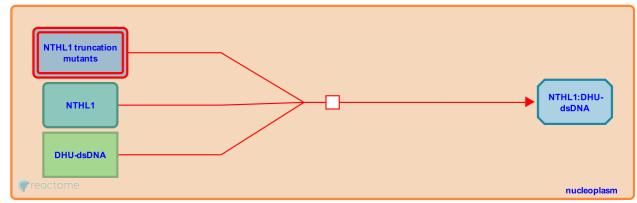
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Type: transition

**Compartments:** nucleoplasm

Diseases: cancer



NTHL1 Q90TER (NTHL1 Q90\*) truncation mutant (Weren et al. 2015) lacks the DNA binding domain and the glycosylase domain and is thus predicted to be unable to recognize and bind damaged DNA, including damaged DNA containing dihydrouracil (DHU), although this has not been experimentally tested. NTHL1 Q287TER (NTHL1 Q287\*) truncation mutant (Broderick et al. 2017) lacks a portion of the DNA binding domain, including glutamine residue Q287, important for substrate recognition (Robey-Bond et al. 2017) and is predicted to be unable to recognize and bind damaged DNA, including damaged DNA containing dihydrouracil (DHU), although this has not been experimentally tested.

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