



## Correspondence

Letter to the Editor: Dysosteosclerosis related to the unique mutation in *SLC29A3*

Dear Editor,

I read the paper by Howaldt and colleagues [1] published in March 2019 with great interest. The authors described two different *SLCA29A3* and one *TCIRG1* mutation from three families with dysosteosclerosis. *SLCA29A3* mutations have been described from two different Turkish families. The authors stated that the homozygous mutation *SLC29A3* c.302\_303insCTAC TTTGAGAGCTACC (p.Asn101delinsAsnTyrPheGluSerTyrLeu) described in patient 1 was first insertion mutation in this gene. However, we previously reported insertion mutation in one patient with dysosteosclerosis in *SLC29A3* as novel homozygous 18 bp duplication in exon 3 (c.303\_320dup, p.102\_107dupYFESYL), which was presented at 7th International Conference on Children's Bone Health Salzburg Austria and published in *Bone Abstracts* (2015) 4 P97 | DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1530/boneabs.4.P97> [2].

We believed that this report had been missed by the authors and they may want to correct this misinformation.

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