## Supplementary material

## Table S1: Potential off-target effects with gRNA1.

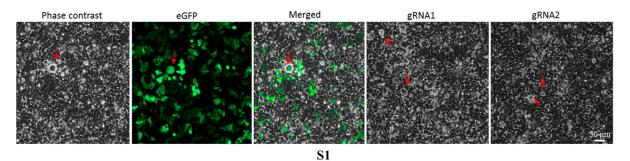
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## Table S2: Potential off-target effects with gRNA2.

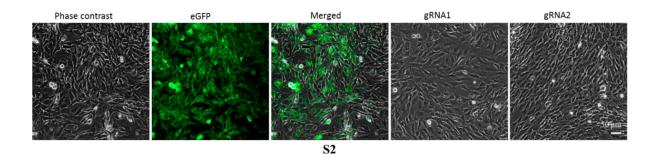
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GCGGGCCGCCGACCGGAAGCGGG	4MMs [9:14:15:19]	NR_039924	chrX:+7065829	Exon
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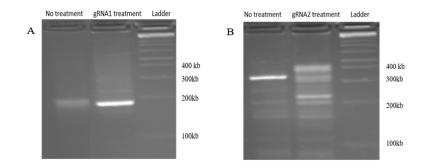
## **Supplemental figures**



**Figure S1**: **Morphological changes in 293FT cells after 24 h post-transfection.** The 293FT cells were grown in DMEM and transfected with PAX2, VSVG with either eGFP or gRNA1 or gRNA2 using lipofectamine-3000. Note that the 293FT cells showing 'balloon-like' morphology (highlighted with red arrow) 24 h post-transfection indicate successful production of lenti-virus. Scale bar is 50 µm and is applicable to all the images.



**Figure S2: Puromycin selected BM-MSCs.** BM-MSCs were cultured in MEM- $\alpha$  and infected with lentieGFP or lenti-CRISPR gRNA1 or lenti-CRISPR-gRNA2. Resistance and the survival of infected BM-MSC cultures to puromycin exposure after 15 days post-infection were observed. Scale bar is 50  $\mu$ m and is applicable to all images.



**Figure S3: Amplification of the region around the double strand break (DSB)**. This figure shows the amplified region around the DSB, from the YAC128 BM-MSCs before and after treatment with lenti-CRISPR-gRNA1 (A) and lenti-CRISPR-gRNA2 (B). The product size expected for A is 179 kb, and B is 339 kb.