

Variant: *NM_000023.4(SGCA):c.246C>A (p.Ser82Arg)*

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CA400177611 [↗](#)

813953 (ClinVar) [↗](#)

Gene: SGCA ([HGNC:6442](#))

Condition: autosomal recessive limb-girdle muscular dystrophy
([MONDO:0015152](#))

Inheritance Mode: Autosomal recessive inheritance

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HGVS expressions

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NC_000017.11:g.50167670C>A

CM000679.2:g.50167670C>A

NC_000017.10:g.48245031C>A

CM000679.1:g.48245031C>A

NC_000017.9:g.45600030C>A

NG_008889.1:g.6666C>A

ENST00000504073.2:c.246C>A

ENST00000511303.6:n.38-277C>A

ENST00000512526.2:c.246C>A

ENST00000682109.1:c.126C>A

ENST00000683294.1:c.246C>A

ENST00000262018.8:c.246C>A

ENST00000262018.7:c.246C>A

ENST00000344627.10:c.246C>A

ENST00000502555.5:c.157+183C>A

ENST00000511303.5:c.34-277C>A

ENST00000512526.1:c.90C>A

ENST00000513821.5:c.246C>A

ENST00000513942.5:n.104-277C>A

ENST00000514934.1:c.*18+183C>A

NM_000023.2:c.246C>A

NM_001135697.1:c.246C>A

NM_000023.3:c.246C>A

NM_001135697.2:c.246C>A

NR_135553.1:n.302C>A

NM_001135697.3:c.246C>A

NR_135553.2:n.282C>A

Likely Pathogenic

Met criteria codes 4

PP4

PM2_Supporting

PS3_Moderate

PM3

Not Met criteria codes 1

Expert Panel

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Criteria Specification Information

PP3

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Evidence submitted by expert panel

Limb Girdle Muscular Dystrophy VCEP

The NM_000023.4: c.246C>A variant in SGCA is a missense variant predicted to cause substitution of serine by arginine at amino acid 82, p.(Ser82Arg). This variant has been detected in at least four homozygous individuals with limb-girdle muscular dystrophy of Iranian ancestry (1 pt, ClinVar: SCV001164458.1; PMID: 39678382, 38374194, 32528171, 41315541) (PM3). At least one patient with this variant displayed progressive limb girdle muscle weakness (PP4; PMID: 32528171, 41315541). In vitro assay in a heterologous cell system has demonstrated that this variant disrupts membrane localization of the sarcoglycan complex (PS3_Moderate, Washington University internal data). This variant is absent from gnomAD v4.1.1 (PM2_Supporting). The computational predictor REVEL gives a score of 0.504, which is below the threshold of 0.7 (PP3 not met). In summary, this variant meets the criteria to be classified as Likely Pathogenic for autosomal recessive limb girdle muscular dystrophy based on the ACMG/AMP criteria applied, as specified by the ClinGen LGMD VCEP (LGMD VCEP specifications version 2.0.0; 04/29/2026): PM3, PP4, PS3_Moderate, PM2_Supporting.

Met criteria codes

PP4			At least one patient with this variant displayed progressive limb girdle muscle weakness (PP4; PMID: 32528171, 41315541).
PM2_Supporting			This variant is absent from gnomAD v4.1.1 (PM2_Supporting).
PS3_Moderate			In vitro assay in an heterologous cell system has demonstrated that this variant disrupts membrane localization of the sarcoglycan complex (PS3_Moderate, Washington University internal data). Variant was tested by Gabe Haller's team using their previously reported approach for SGCB variants. The assay has been clinically validated with over 11 control variants. The variant presented a score of -1, which is less than the -0.5 threshold for non-functional variants that was used for SGCB. This variant was also classified as non-functional in Monkol's membrane localization assay, which used a slightly different method.
PM3			This variant has been detected in at least four homozygous individuals with limb-girdle muscular dystrophy of Iranian ancestry (1 pt, ClinVar: SCV001164458.1; PMID: 39678382, 38374194, 32528171, 41315541) (PM3). Note: Three reported cases are of Iranian origin

Not Met criteria codes

PP3			The computational predictor REVEL gives a score of 0.504, which is below the threshold of 0.7 (PP3 not met). SpliceAI 0.03
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