

## Microalbuminuria and Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms Linked to Prediabetes

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### Abstract

In the pathogenesis of diabetic micro vascular complications represented by Microalbuminuria, increased glycaemic exposure is crucial even below the diagnostic criteria for diabetes mellitus. In any case, there is restricted proof in regards to which single nucleotide polymorphisms are related with prediabetes and whether hereditary inclination to prediabetes is connected with Microalbuminuria, particularly in everyone. Our goal was to respond to these questions. In the Korean Genome and Epidemiology Study, we separately conducted a genome-wide association study on two population-based cohorts, Ansong and Ansan. After the initial GWAS on the Ansong cohort, a replication study on the Ansan cohort followed. Either the prediabetes group or the control group comprised all native Korean participants who did not have a significant medical condition. Two susceptibility loci for prediabetes were found in the GWAS. In another gene and the GCK gene. Microalbuminuria increased in this genetically determined form of prediabetes when GCK variations were used as a model. Multiple logistic regression analyses revealed that age, gender, smoking history, systolic blood pressure, waist circumference, and serum triglyceride levels had no effect on the association between fasting plasma glucose concentration and micro albuminuria.

### Introduction

Diabetic kidney disease is one of the most well-known microvascular complications of diabetes mellitus. It appears to build the gamble of cardiovascular mortality [1]. Therefore, for improved long-term health and survival, early identification of potential risk factors and a preventative strategy against are essential. A plasma glucose level that is above the normal range but not high enough to meet the diagnostic criteria of prediabetes typically indicates a risk of type 2 diabetes conversion. Even though not all prediabetes patients progress to full-blown diabetes, recent epidemiological studies have shown that prediabetes patients also have a higher risk of kidney disease and cardiovascular morbidity and mortality before being diagnosed with diabetes mellitus [2]. These findings suggest that even prediabetes may be a major cause of commonly attributed complications. Small amounts of albumin that leak into the urine are called micro albuminuria. This is a sign of glomerular filtration barrier dysfunction, which is not only an early sign of a diabetic micro vascular complication but also a separate risk factor for cardiovascular disease in non-diabetic populations. Numerous studies have revealed genetic variations associated with susceptibility to proteinuria in patients with, in addition to reports of a link between prediabetes and micro albuminuria [3]. These findings suggest that hyperglycaemia and its complications may be influenced by a complex interaction of genetic and environmental factors. In any case, there is just restricted proof appearance how hereditary and monogenetic determinants of prediabetes may cooperate with micro albuminuria [4].

### Material and Method

#### The connection between micro albuminuria and prediabetes

On the basis of fasting plasma glucose, 2-hour glucose in the oral glucose tolerance test, and glycated haemoglobin, one out of the study subjects was diagnosed with prediabetes [5]. The anthropometric, clinical, and laboratory information of the study participants, who were divided into two groups based on whether or not they had prediabetes, is presented in. Since all of the biomarkers with the exception of UACR appeared to be normally distributed only the ratio of urinary albumin to creatinine was log-transformed. The prediabetes group had higher mean fasting and postprandial glucose levels than

subjects with normal glucose levels. In correlation with the controls, an increment was conspicuous in subjects with prediabetes. Compared to the control group, prediabetes participants were older, more obese, had higher blood pressure, and had a worse lipid profile [6]. In particular, the prediabetes group had decreased kidney function and a slightly elevated plasma C-reactive protein level.

#### SNPs that are linked to prediabetes and Microalbuminuria

The instrumental variable-estimated size of the effect of prediabetes on log-UACR was highly significant and consistent for all outcomes for fasting plasma glucose and postprandial glucose in Mendelian randomization, which is a type of instrumental variable regression analysis. We used subsequence analysis to look for possible connections between the clinical and laboratory characteristics of each participant and candidate genetic polymorphisms [7]. Fasting glucose levels and SNPs in the GCK and YKT6 genes were found to be associated with Microalbuminuria in multiple logistic regression models after age and gender were taken into account. Additionally, when conventional risk factors like age, gender, smoking history, systolic blood pressure, waist circumference, and serum triglyceride level were taken into account, the genetic polymorphism was found to be significantly associated with Microalbuminuria, particularly in recessive models. Each genotype was evaluated using the analysis of covariance and distinguished using the least significant difference method in order to ascertain how it affected the potential risk factors for micro vascular complications [8]. Microalbuminuria and serum triglyceride levels, in

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addition to laboratory indicators of prediabetes, showed a significant dose-dependent relationship.

## Discussion

One of the major causes of micro- or macroangiopathy in patients with is chronic glycaemic exposure. Endothelial dysfunction and inhibition of vascular protective mechanisms have been linked to an increase in oxidative stress and subsequent activation of various Signaling pathways in a hyperglycaemic environment. Hyperglycaemia-induced micro vascular changes, according to some authors, may be present prior to the onset of diabetes mellitus (DM), may get worse over time, and may eventually be linked to a higher risk of poor renal or cardiovascular outcomes [9]. However, there is insufficient evidence to suggest that prediabetes and albuminuria serve as indicators of diabetic micro vascular complications. In this study, we demonstrated a strong correlation between the general population's plasma glucose level and albumin excretion in the urine. This suggests that even prediabetes may contribute to the development of micro vascular complications. In accordance with studies on Microalbuminuria in the general population, it was also discovered that the prediabetes group was associated with an increased prevalence of Microalbuminuria in young subjects in comparison to the control group. In both groups, the overall tendency was for Microalbuminuria to increase with age. In addition, there were fewer people in the prediabetes group than in the control group who were between the ages of 50 and 59. The study design probably didn't include people with T2D, which probably led to this result. SNPs in the GCK gene were found to be independently associated with prediabetes in the general population during the initial GWAS analysis [10]. The cytoplasmic subtype of hexokinase known as GCK regulates the glucose-induced activation or deactivation of biological processes and is responsible for catalysing the initial step of several glucose metabolic pathways. As a result, glucose homeostasis depends on how its enzymatic activity is controlled. Several genetic studies have demonstrated that mutations in the gene that encodes GCK may be significantly associated with both hyperinsulinemic hypoglycaemia and juvenile maturity-onset diabetes, which is consistent with these findings. In addition, individuals with mutations in the gene that encodes GCK have mild hyperglycaemia from birth onward for the rest of their lives, and this variant is significantly associated with the development of prediabetes or diabetes in individuals with normal glucose tolerance. It has been challenging to draw the conclusion that this genetic variation is directly associated with isolated prediabetes due to the fact that the majority of the existing studies were not limited to subjects who were otherwise in good health. According to our findings, there may be a link between

the onset of abnormal glucose homeostasis in the general population and genetic variation in candidate genes. In subsequent analyses, it was discovered that the polymorphisms in the genetic loci contained were independently associated with an increased risk of Microalbuminuria. Notably, the genotype of the GCK gene appears to have additive genetic effects on log-UACR. Proteinuria develops at a relatively low frequency in a study of 42 families with mature onset diabetes of the young 2 that was carried out in France. Another study found results that were comparable. However, a number of experimental studies indicate that GCK knockout mice develop structural and functional forms of renal damage. GCK regulatory protein polymorphism was found to significantly increase the risk of developing chronic kidney disease in a Japanese population-based study.

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