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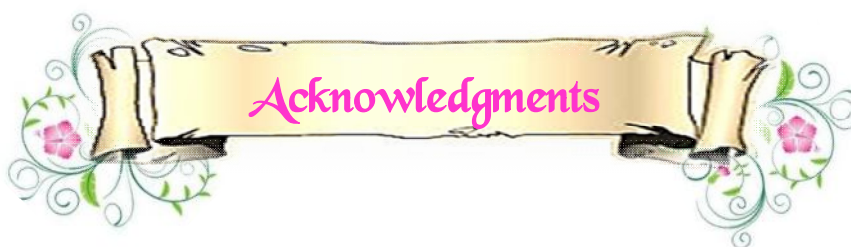
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Abbreviations

48-bpVNTR...	Variable number of tandem repeat polymorphisms
5-HT.....	5-hydroxytryptamine receptors (Serotonin receptors)
5HT1-D.....	Serotonin 1-D receptor
5HT2A	Serotonin 2- A receptor
5HT2B	Serotonin 2-B receptor
5HT2C	Serotonin 2-C receptor
5HTB	Serotonin B receptor
5HTDβ.....	Serotonin D β receptor
5-HTT	Serotonin transporter gene
5-HTTLPR	Serotonin transporter linked polymorphic region
A.....	Adenine
ABI	Application binary interface
ACC	Anterior cingulate cortex
ADHD	Attention deficit hyperactive disorder
AE buffer	Elution buffer
ANOVA	Analysis of variance
AVP	Arginine vasopressin
AW.....	Washing buffer
BDD	Body dysmorphic disorder
BDNF	Brain derived neurotrophic Growth Factor
C.....	Cytosine
C°	Degrees Celsius

C9orf68.....Chromosome 9 open reading frame 68
Cat Catalogue
ChChromosome
CNS.....Central nervous system
COMTCatechol-O-methyltransferase
CYPCytochrome P450
DA.....Dopamine
DATDopamine transporter
DLGAP.....Disks large associated proteins
DM.....Dorsomedial
DNA.....Deoxyribonucleic acid
DRD.....Dopamine receptors
DSM.....Diagnostic and Statistical manual of Mental Disorders
DZ.....Dizygotic
EAACExcitatory amino acid carrier
EAAT.....Excitatory amino acid transporters
ECAEpidemiology catchment Area
EDTA.....Ethylene-diaminetetraacetic acid (edetic acid)
EEGElectroencephalogram
ESR.....Estrogen receptor α gene
FAIM.....Fas Apoptotic Inhibitory Molecule
FAM.....6-carboxyfluorescein.
GABBR.....GABA type B receptor
GAD.....Generalized anxiety disorder

GRIK.....Kainate class glutamate receptors

GRIN2B.....Glutamate Receptor Ionotropic N-Methyl D-Aspartate 2B

GWAS.....Genome wide association study

HIVHuman immunodeficiency virus

HTR1B5-Hydroxytryptamine (Serotonin) Receptor 1B

HTR1B5-Hydroxytryptamine (Serotonin) Receptor 1B

HTR2A5-Hydroxytryptamine (Serotonin) Receptor 2A

HTR2C5-Hydroxytryptamine (Serotonin) Receptor 2C

ICDInternational Classification of Diseases

IDIdentification

IFD.....Idiopathic focal dystonia

IOCDF-GC....International OCD Foundation – Genetics Collaborative

MAO-A.....Monoamine oxidase- A

Met.....Methionine

MGBMinor groove binder

ML.....Milliliter

MOG.....Myelin oligodendrocyte glycoprotein

MZMonozygotic

N.....Number

NAcNucleus accumbens

NFQNon fluorescent quencher

NmNanometer

NMDAN-methyl-D-aspartate

No.....Number