Supplementary table 1. Details of identified *BORCS5* variants

Family	Chromosome position (GRCh38)	cDNA (ENST00000314565.9; NM_058169)	Amino acid change	GnomAD MAF	Igenomix Database MAF	UCL Queen Square Genomics Database MAF	CADD	Polyphen-2	SIFT	Mutation Taster	SpliceAI
F-IV	12-12435627-G- T	c.203-1G>T	p.?	0	0	0	35	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.00 (Acceptor Loss)
F-I, F- III	12-12435709-G- A	c.284G>A	p.R95Q	0.000003717 (6 het carriers)	0	0	29.5	probably_damaging	deleterious	disease_causing	0
F-II	12-12435721-A- C	c.296A>C	p.H99P	0	0	0	26.4	probably_damaging	deleterious	disease_causing	0
F-I	12-12465564- ACT-A	c.380_381delCT	p.L128Vfs*86	0.00001115 (18 het carriers)	0.00000792921 (1 HET carrier)	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0
F-V, F- VII	12-12435740- GG-G	c.316delG	p.A106Pfs*20	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0
F-VI	12-12465602-C- G	c.417C>G	p.Y139*	0.000004337 (7 het carriers)	0.0000158587 (2 HET carriers)	0	33	N/A	N/A	N/A	0

MAF=minor allele frequency; HET=heterozygous; N/A=not applicable

Supplementary

figures



Supplementary Figure 1. A. MRI Sagittal T2-weighted image of the fetus F-VII:1 showing markedly reduced fetal motion with hyper extended extremities and generalized decreased muscle

bulk consistent with arthrogryposis multiplex congenita (AMC). B. Internal capsule of the fetus F-VII:1 with innumerable axonal swellings staining for beta amyloid precursor protein. C. Negative staining for aggregated phosphorylated alpha synuclein. D. Skeletal muscle of case F-V:2. demonstrating small myofascicles with excess fibromyxoid perimysium and fat (arrow). E-F. Cranial nerve root of case F-V:2 containing many large eosinophilic axonal spheroids (arrow) (E), which stained positive for β -amyloid precursor protein (arrows) (F). G. Brainstem of case F-V:2 showing widespread eosinophilic axonal spheroids (arrows).



Supplementary figure 2. A. Tyrosine hydroxylase (TH) staining dopaminergic neurons at 3 dpf of WT and borcs5-ko larvae. Scale bars: 50 μ m. B. Quantification of tyrosine hydroxylase (TH) positive neurons in diencephalic (paraventricular organ) region for WT, *borcs5* F0 KO (N=2, n=8-11). C. Morphology of zebrafish WT, and borcs5-ko larvae at 5 dpf. Scale bars: 500 μ m. (D-F) Body length, eye size, and head size of WT, borcs5-ko larvae at 5 dpf (N=2, n=10-14). G. Midbrain sections stain with hematoxylin & eosin of larvae of 5 dpf. Scale bar: 100 μ m. The arrow indicates ventriculomegaly in borcs5-ko larvae. H. Brain area comparison of borcs5-ko larvae (N=4) relative to WT (N=5). I. Morphology of zebrafish WT and variants models, BORCS5^{R95Q} and BOCRS5^{H99P} larvae at 3 dpf. Scale bars: 500 μ m. (J-L) Body length, eye size, and head size of WT (N=3, n=40), borcs5-ko (N=3, n=32), BORCS5^{R95Q} (N=2, n=32-35) and BORCS5^{H99P} (N=2, n=34) larvae at 3 dpf. (M) BORCS5^{R95Q} (n=19) and BORCS5^{H99P} (n=19) larvae show motor behavior comparable to borcs5-ko (n=19) and display impaired swim distance and velocity compared to WT (n=19). All data are represented as the mean \pm SEM. Statistical significance was calculated by one-way ANOVA followed by Tukey's multiple comparisons tests, or Student's T-test. *P < 0.05; **P < 0.01; ****P < 0.001.



Supplementary figure 3: A-B. ICC shows endogenous LC3 (white puncta) distribution in untransfected WT and BORCS5 KO HeLa cells as control. BORCS5 KO HeLa cells were transiently co-transfected with the indicated BORCS5 constructs and GFP. ICC shows endogenous LC3 distribution in GFP+ transfected cells (indicated by asterisk). Nuclei were labeled with DAPI (blue), and cell edges were outlined by fluorescent phalloidin (indicated by dashed lines). Scale bars: 20 μ m. C. Quantification shows mean±SEM, N=3 independent experiments. Statistics: One-way ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparisons test (mean of each column compared to the mean of every other column), $F_{LC3 puncta}(7,320)=72.53$, P<0.0001. ****p < 0.0001.



Supplementary figure 4: A. TEM of fibroblasts from the indicated *BORCS5* genotypes. Individual autophagic structures were classified according to previously published criteria.⁵² Outlined insets are presented at higher magnification on the right, indicated by dashed lines.

Abbreviations: N: Nucleus; Avi: Early/initial autophagic vacuole; Avd: Degradative autophagic vacuole/autolysosome; Ly: Lysosome. Graph shows mean±SEM of the number of individual structures identified in individual cells, N=9 to 18 individual cells per fibroblast line. B-D. WB and quantification of relative lysosomal protein amounts in the indicated control and BORCS5 patient fibroblasts. Graphs show mean±SEM over the mean of control lines, N=3-6 independent experiments. Statistics: One way ANOVA, $F_{LAMP2}(5,31) = 2.86$, P=0.031; $F_{LIMP-2}(5,26)=1.354$, P=0.274, P=0.21; $F_{GCase}(5,30)=1.794$, P=0.144. Asterisk indicates non-specific band in the GCase blot. E. Schematic representation of fibroblast EV isolation via ultracentrifugation. F. Graphs of EV protein markers (WB of Fig. 7F) show mean±SEM, N=3-4 independent experiments. Statistics: One way ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparisons test (mean of each column compared to the mean of every other column), $F_{SDCBP}(5,16)=6.691$, P=0.0015. *p=0.011; $F_{ALIX}(5,16)=1.843$, P=0.1611; $F_{FLOT1}(5,12)=1.743$, P=0.1993.