

Figure S1: VSP-1 & -2 do not contribute to C6706 resistance to the antimicrobial peptide polymyxin B.

20-hour planktonic antibiotic sensitivity assay performed using a polymyxin B concentration gradient. % Growth reported as (OD_{600} polymyxin B treated / OD_{600} untreated) after 20 hours. Dotted line indicates 0% Growth. N = 3 biological replicates for all data points. Error bars represent standard deviation. IC_{50} for all strains are presented in Supplementary Table 1.

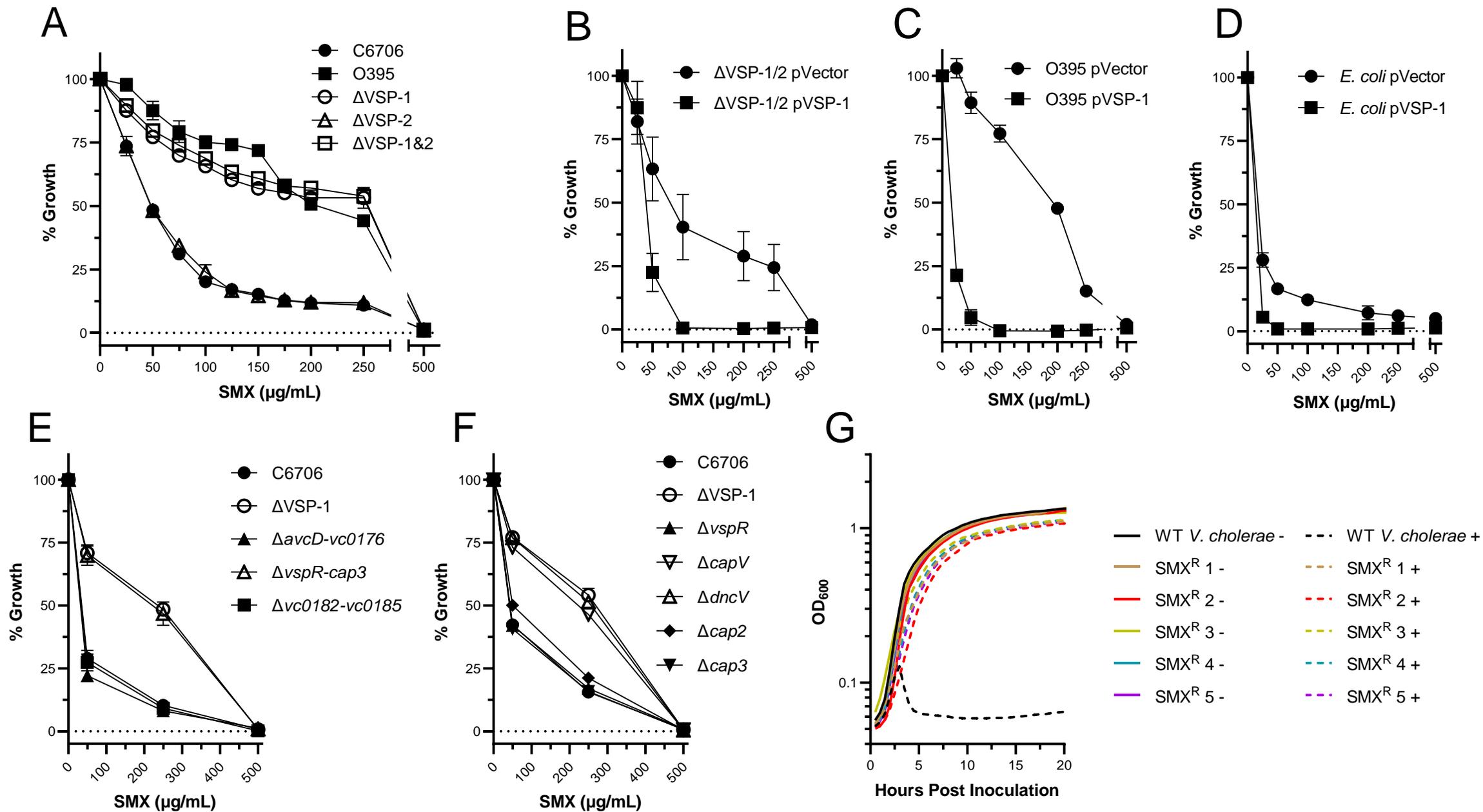


Fig. S2

Figure S2: Scatter plots showing that VSP-1 encoded CBASS is responsible for *V. cholerae* biotype specific SMX sensitivity.

(A-F) 24-hour planktonic antibiotic sensitivity assays performed in a variety of SMX concentration gradients. Scatter plots represent the same data presented in heatmap form in (Figs. 2A, 2B, & 2D). N = 3 biological replicates and error bars represent standard error of the mean. IC₅₀ for all strains in (A) are presented in Supplementary Table 1. (G) Growth curves of spontaneous SMX resistant isolates and the parental *V. cholerae* strain grown in LB with (+) and without (-) 50 µg/mL SMX. Lines depict the mean of triplicate cultures for each medium condition and indicated strain.

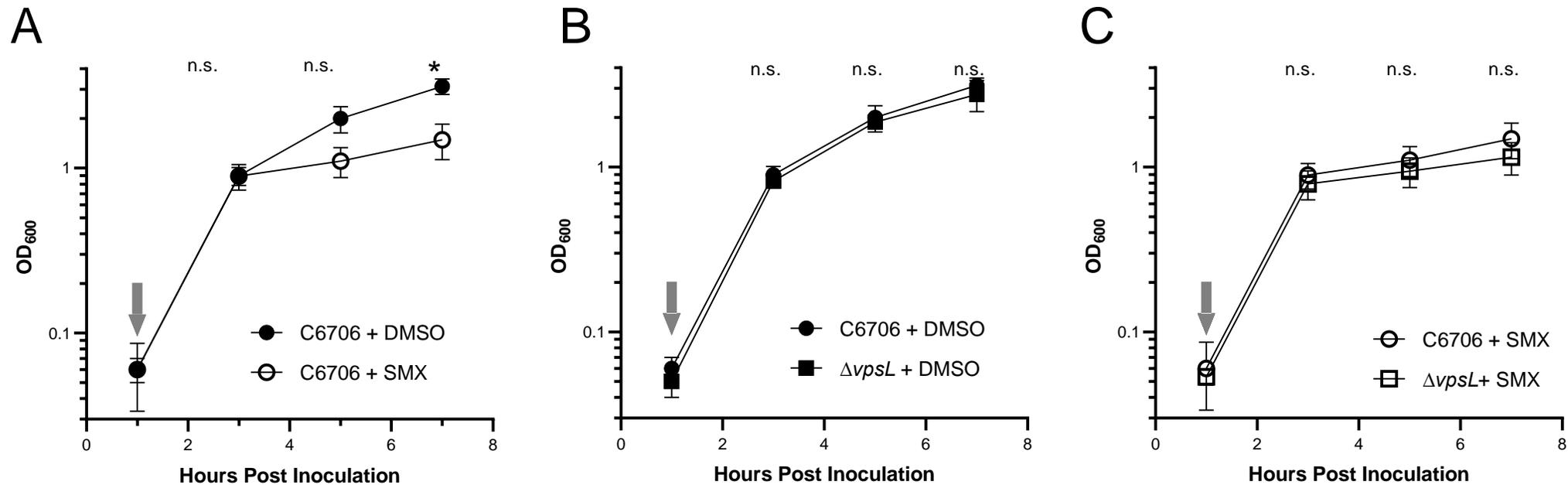


Figure S3: Lack of biofilm formation does not alter *V. cholerae* C6706 sensitivity to SMX.

Growth curves of (A) *V. cholerae* C6706 treated without (+ DMSO) and with 100 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ SMX (+ SMX), and C6706 and $\Delta vpsL$ (B) untreated (+DMSO) and (C) treated (+SMX) with 100 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ SMX. Grey arrows indicate addition of 100 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ SMX or DMSO, approximately 1-hour after cultures were inoculated. N = 3 biological replicates and error bars represent standard deviation. For the purposes of statistical analysis, $\Delta vpsL$ data presented in (B) and (C) are also presented in (Fig. 3B). Statistical significance calculated using an unpaired *t* test with the Holm-Šídák method (**P* < 0.05), n.s. = not significant.

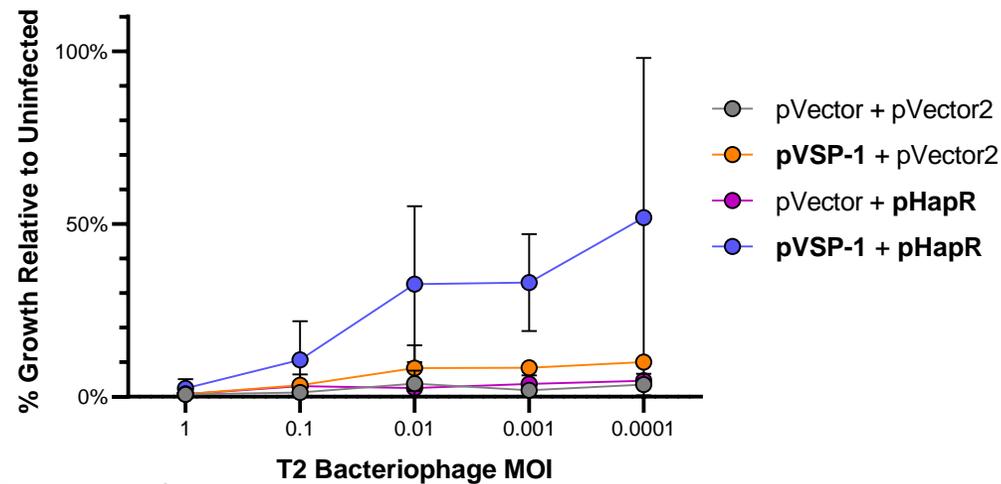


Figure S4: T2 phage infection graphs.

Growth of *E. coli* containing either pHapR induced with 10 μ M IPTG and pVSP-1 with their associated vector controls after overnight growth with T2 phage. Data represent mean percent growth (OD_{600}) at the specified MOI calculated relative to control uninfected cultures. N = 3 biological replicates and error bars represent standard deviation. Data presented in heat map form in (Fig. 5A).