# Clinical Trials Data KIT - Document 14

# Comparison the Level of CTGF Protein and Related Cytokine in Pleural Effusion

## Clinical Trial: https://clinicaltrials.gov/study/NCT00313066

"eligibilityCriteria": "Inclusion Criteria:\n\n- patients with pleural effusion\n\nExclusion Criteria:\n\n\* HIV infection",  
 "healthyVolunteers": false,  
 "sex": "ALL",  
 "minimumAge": "18 Years",  
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"ADULT",  
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]

Question:  
Based on the following clinical trial information, would a patient with a KIT gene mutation be eligible for the clinical trial?

Answer:  
This trial information doesn't mention KIT gene mutations as either an inclusion or exclusion criterion. Therefore, having a KIT gene mutation \*doesn't automatically disqualify\* a patient. They would need to meet the other criteria:  
  
\* \*\*Have pleural effusion:\*\* This is the primary inclusion criterion.  
\* \*\*Not have HIV infection:\*\* This is the only listed exclusion criterion.  
\* \*\*Be 18 years or older:\*\* This is the minimum age requirement.  
  
So, a patient with a KIT mutation \*could\* be eligible if they also have pleural effusion and don't have HIV. More information would be needed from the trial investigators to confirm.