

Table S1 Demographic characteristics of neuroblastoma patients and cancer-free controls from Jiangsu Province

Variables	Cases (N=402)	Controls (N=473)	P ^a
Age range, months	0.033-168.00	0.367-168.00	
Mean $\pm$ SD	40.99 $\pm$ 35.49	40.88 $\pm$ 29.76	0.962 ^b
Age			0.100
$\leq$ 18 months	139 (34.58)	139 (29.39)	
>18 months	263 (65.42)	334 (70.61)	
Sex			0.987
Female	191 (47.51)	225 (47.57)	
Male	211 (52.49)	248 (52.43)	
Sites of origin			
Adrenal gland	93 (23.13)	–	
Retroperitoneal region	167 (41.54)	–	
Mediastinum	120 (29.85)	–	
Other region	18 (4.48)	–	
NA	4 (1)	–	
INSS stages			
I	108 (26.87)	–	
II	63 (15.67)	–	
III	59 (14.68)	–	
IV	104 (25.87)	–	
4s	2 (0.5)	–	
NA	66 (16.42)	–	

^a, two-sided χ^2 test between neuroblastoma patients and cancer-free controls; ^b, *t*-test between neuroblastoma patients and cancer-free controls. NA, not available; SD, standard deviation.