Comparison of characteristics of Hemofilia A and B

Hemofilia A

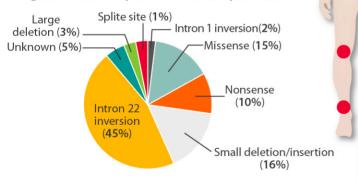
Prevalence 1:5,000 males

Mode of inheritance X-linked recessive

Clinical symptoms Joi

Joint bleeding, muscle hematoma, soft tissue bleeding

F8 gene defects reported in severe patients



Characteristics of missing factors (FVIII)

Function Co-factor

Molecular weight 280 kDa

Normal concentration in plasma 5 μg/mL

Hemofilia B

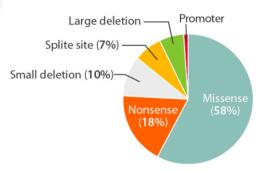
Prevalence 1:30,000 males

Mode of inheritance X-linked recessive

Clinical symptoms

Joint bleeding, muscle hematoma, soft tissue bleeding

F9 gene defects reported in severe patients



Characteristics of missing clotting factor (FIX)

Function Enzyme

Molecular weight 55 kDa

Normal concentration in plasma 0.3- 0.4 μg/mL