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Organic anion transporter 1 (OAT1) and organic cation transporter 2 (OCT2) are renal soluble transporters that play key roles in the kidney's clearance of drugs and endogenous compounds. ATCC provides researchers with the ideal *in vitro* models of this critical kidney function by offering RPTEC/TERT1-OAT1 (<u>ATCC<sup>®</sup> CRL-</u>4031-OAT1<sup>™</sup>) and RPTEC/TERT1-OCT2 (ATCC<sup>®</sup> CRL-4031-

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- Consistent and reliable results
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- Chronic obstruct pulmonary disease
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- Fibrosis (TEER)

## ATCC Puzzle

Try this <u>month's</u> <u>crossword puzzle</u>. The solution will appear in

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#### Resources

- Application Note: Establishment and characterization of a kidneydrug interaction model by stably expressing hOAT1 in HEK 293T/17 cells
- Webinar: Genetically Modified Human Renal Proximal Tubule Epithelial Cells - A New Model for Drug Toxicity Studies
- Toxicology Tools



## **Frequently Asked Questions**

# Q: Do the <u>**RPTEC/TERT1-OAT1</u>** and <u>**RPTEC/TERT1-OCT2**</u> cells respond appropriately to OAT1 or OCT2 inhibitors?</u>

**A:** RPTEC/TERT1-OAT1 cells respond to inhibitors of OAT 1 including novobiocin and probenecid, as assayed by 5-CF and 6-CF uptake. RPTEC/TERT1-OCT2 cells respond to inhibitors of OCT2 including quinitin and cimetidine, as assayed by Asp+ and EAM-1 uptake.

#### Have more questions?



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