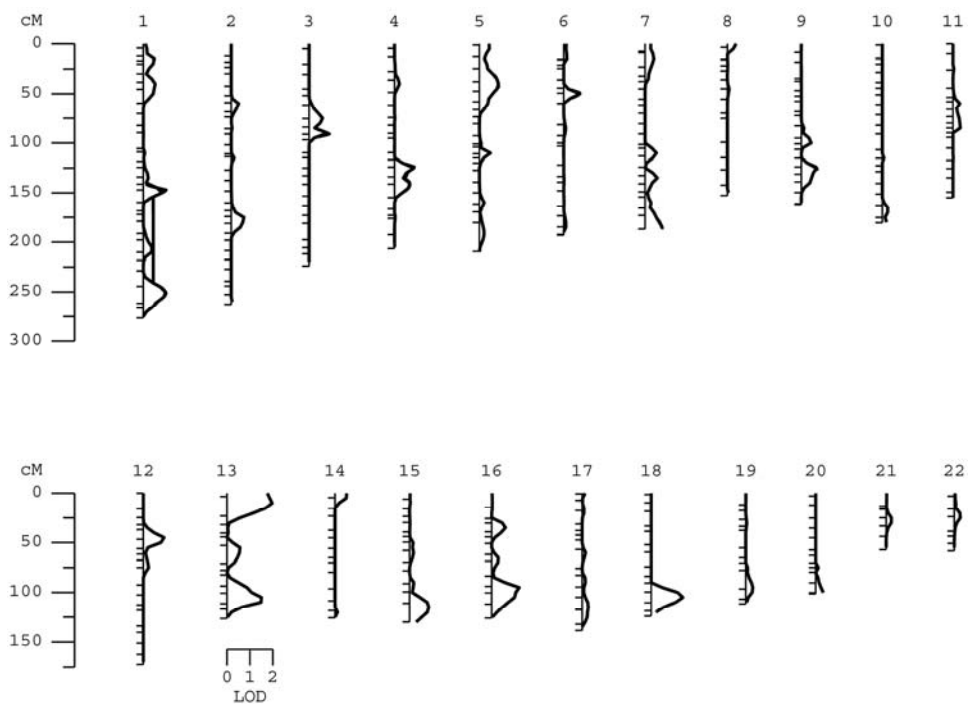
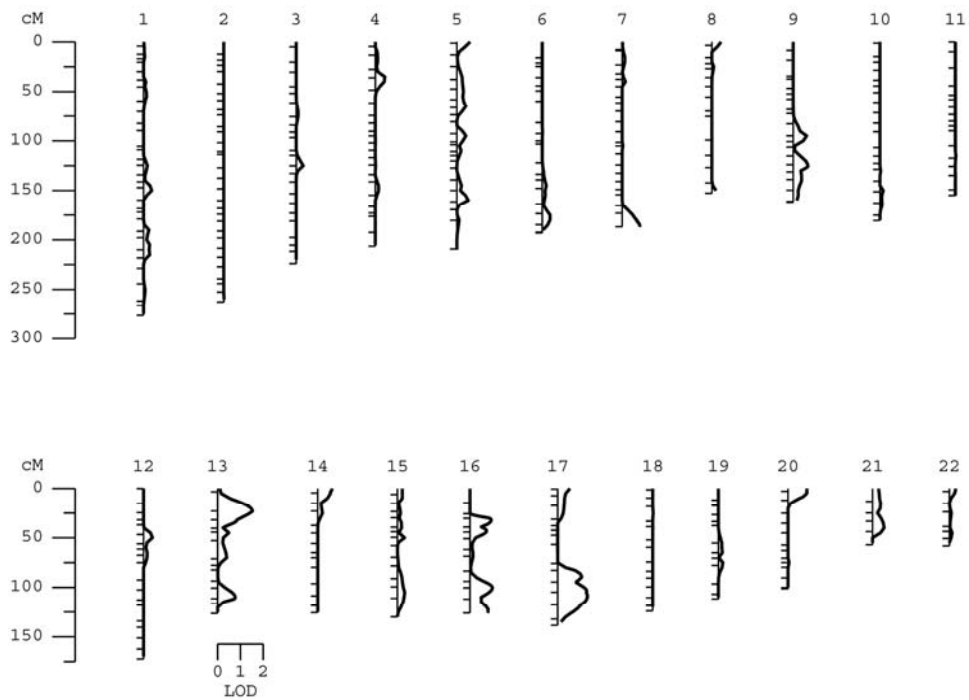


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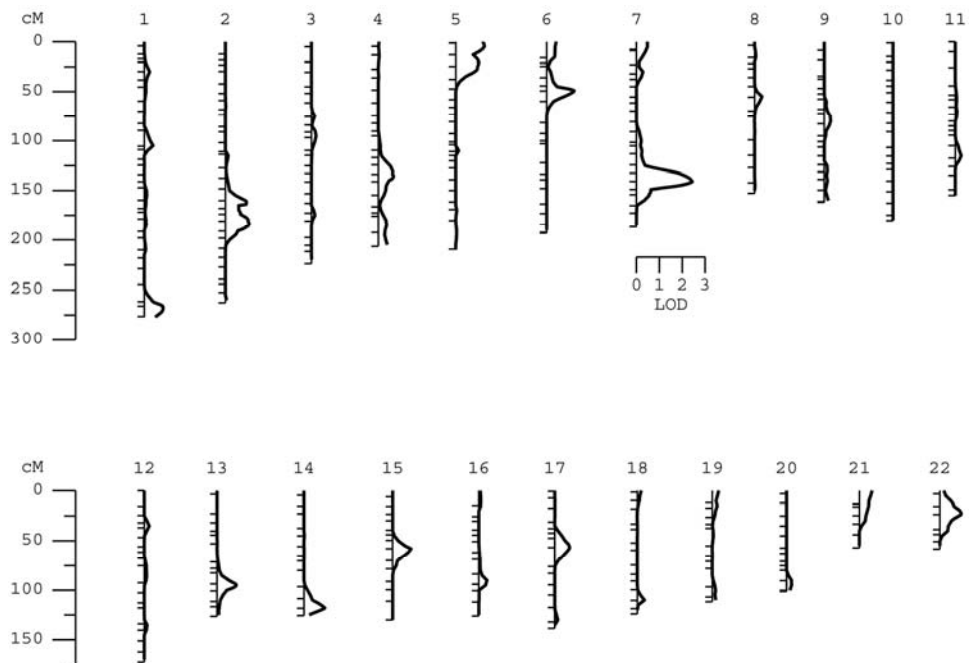
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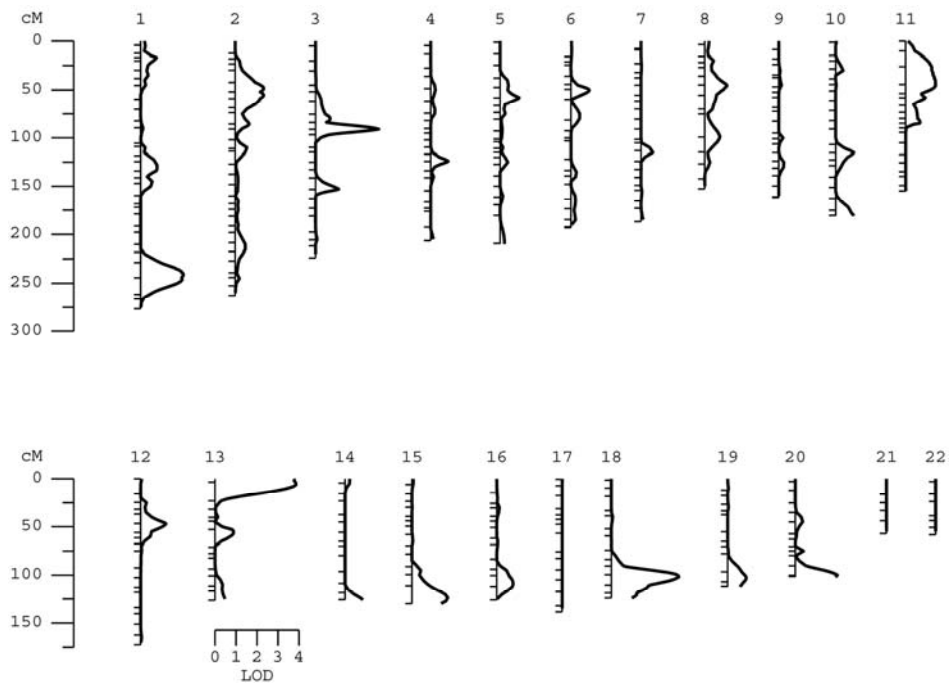
**Supplementary Figure 1.** Genome-wide multi-point linkage results of log-transformed leukocyte telomere length in combined samples from all three centers. Model was adjusted for age at enrollment, sex, BMI, total triglyceride and study center.



**Supplementary Figure 2.** Genome-wide multi-point linkage results of log-transformed leukocyte telomere length in Oklahoma center. Model was adjusted for age at enrollment, sex, BMI and total triglyceride.



**Supplementary Figure 3.** Genome-wide multi-point linkage results of log-transformed leukocyte telomere length in Arizona center. Model was adjusted for age at enrollment, sex, BMI and total triglyceride.



**Supplementary Figure 4.** Genome-wide multi-point linkage results of log-transformed leukocyte telomere length in Dakota center. Model was adjusted for age at enrollment, sex, BMI and total triglyceride.