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LOWER GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT DISEASES: CREATING A BIOLOGICAL MODEL OF KLEBSIELLA PNEUMONIAE INFECTION

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Researchers developed and validated six murine models for Klebsiella pneumoniae gastrointestinal infection, demonstrating successful colonization with or without antibiotic pre-treatment to disrupt resident microbiota.

KEY POINTS

- The study tested three different experimental designs using six groups of mice and two K. pneumoniae strains (ATCC12657 and ATCC43816) to establish effective GIT infection models
- Control groups receiving only bacterial inoculation achieved colonization levels of 2.1 x 10^8 to 6.39 x 10^8 CFU/50mg
- Antibiotic pre-treatment groups (using penicillin, streptomycin, and ampicillin) achieved colonization ranging from 6.24 x 10^8 to 9.01 x 10^8 CFU/50mg
- Both real-time PCR for the khe gene and 16S rRNA sequencing confirmed successful K. pneumoniae colonization and microbiota changes across all models
- The authors conclude that any of the six models can be used for testing novel antimicrobial therapies and studying gastrointestinal diseases involving K. pneumoniae

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