

Supplementary Materials

We carried out additional AlphaFold2 prediction of CXCR4^{QTY} where we replaced all QTY amino acids to alanine, as people have been using the “Alanine Scan” for generating and studying mutations. We name the new variant CXCR4^{Ala}. This CXCR4^{Ala} was subjected to AlphaFold2 prediction and the structure is then superimposed with the CXCR4^{QTY}. Since Alanine often found in alpha-helical structures, it is not surprising the structures have little change. Likewise, we also use AlphaFold2 prediction for **i)** CCR5^{Arg} and **ii)** CCR5^{Gly} and superimposed CCR5^{QTY} with **i)** CCR5^{Arg} and **ii)** CCR5^{Gly}. The superimposed structures and the RMSDs are shown in Figure S1. CXCR4^{QTY} and CXCR4^{Ala}

A) Protein sequence of CXCR4^{QTY}

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B) Protein sequence of CXCR4^{Ala}

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C) Native Protein sequence of CCR5

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D) Protein sequence of CCR5^{QTY}

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E) Protein sequence of CCR5^{Arg}

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F) Protein sequence of CCR5^{Gly}

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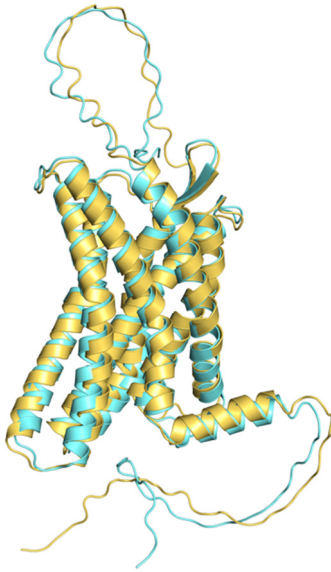
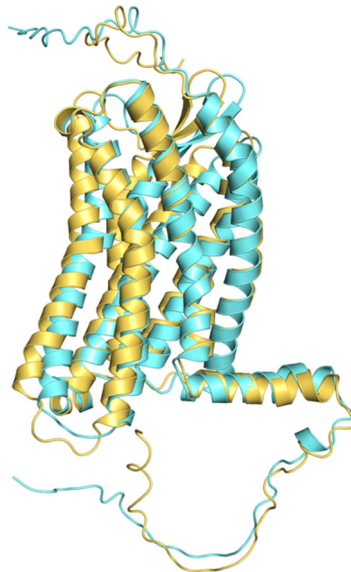
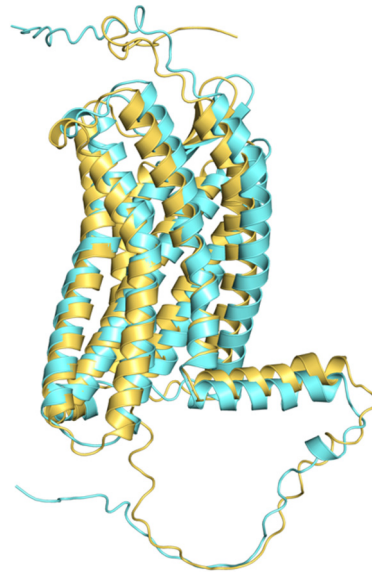
G) CXCR4^{QTY} vs CXCR4^{Ala}H) CCR5^{QTY} vs CCR5^{Arg}I) CCR5^{QTY} vs CCR5^{Gly}

Figure S1. Superimposed AlphaFold2 predicted structures of CXCR4^{QTY}, CXCR4^{Ala} and CCR5^{QTY} with CCR5^{Arg} and CCR5^{Gly}. The protein structures are predicted using AlphaFold2, A) Protein sequence of CXCR4^{QTY}, B) Protein sequence of CXCR4^{Ala}, C) Protein sequence of CCR5^{QTY}. The superimposed structures of CXCR4^{QTY} (cyan color) and CXCR4^{Ala} (yellow color), G) superimposed CXCR4^{QTY} and CXCR4^{Ala}, H) superimposed CCR5^{QTY} and CCR5^{Arg} (RMSD = 5.140), I) superimposed CCR5^{QTY} and CCR5^{Gly} (RMSD = 6.169). The loops, N-and C-termini predictions are less accurate. Since Alanine are often found in alpha-helical structures, it is not surprising the structures have little change. On the other hand, glycine sometime destabilizes alpha-helical structures, the superimposed structures have bigger deviations.

We used the AlphaFold to predict 5 structures. Since the 5 predicted structures are similar, for clarity, we only selected one to superimpose with the crystal structure. The 5 AlphaFold to predicted 5 structures are shown in Figure S2.

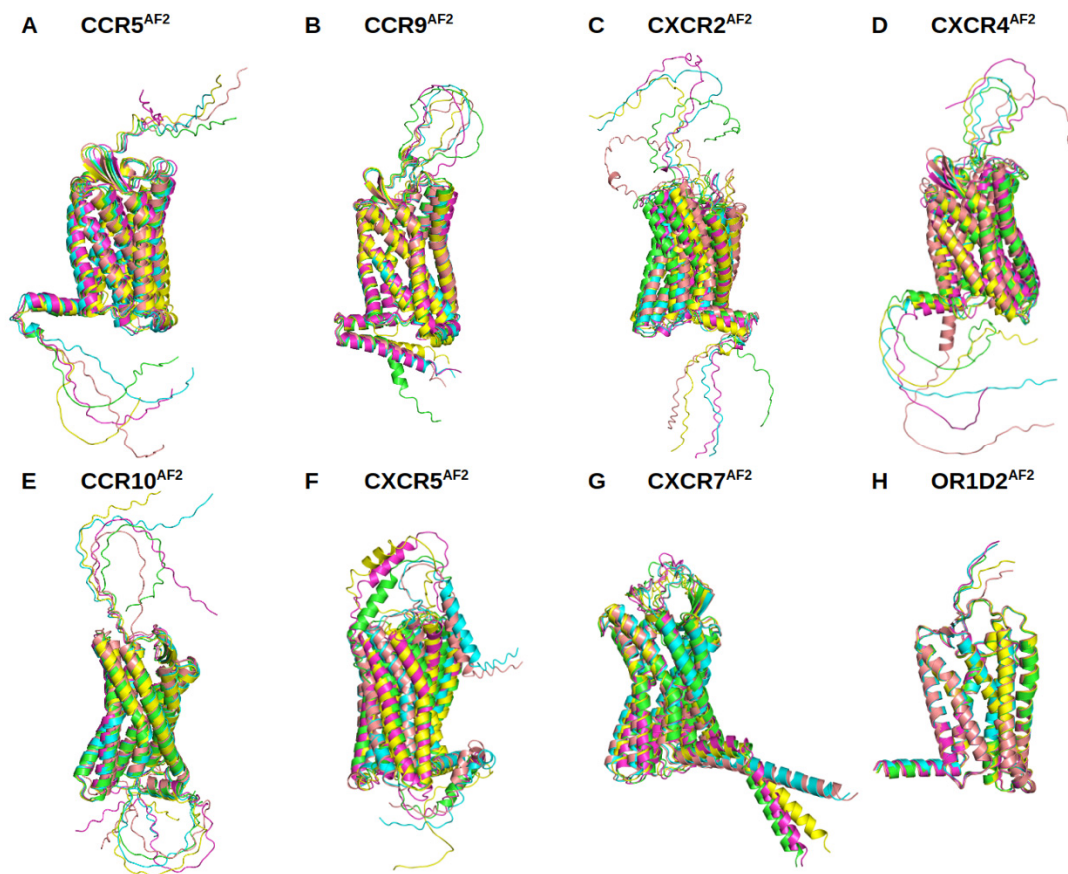


Figure S2. The AlphaFold2 predicted 5 structures of each GPCR. As seen from these superimposed structures, the variations are small especially for the transmembrane domains. The 5 colors represent 5 AlphaFold2 different predictions of the same protein sequence. .

All-atom model RMSD (see explanation below):

CCR5_M = [0.346, 0.281, 0.467, 0.925]

CCR9_M = [2.310, 2.475, 2.450, 2.228]

CCR10_M = [0.997, 0.892, 0.759, 0.937]

CXCR2_M = [0.836, 0.676, 0.773, 0.825]

CXCR4_M = [1.048, 0.966, 1.010, 4.672]

CXCR5_M = [9.067, 4.107, 3.431, 8.740]

CXCR7_M = [4.713, 0.815, 2.069, 4.967]

OR1D2_M = [0.524, 0.872, 0.499, 1.057]

Average RMSD:

CCR5 = 0.5048

CCR9 = 2.3658

CCR10 = 0.8962

CXCR2 = 0.7775

CXCR4 = 1.9240

CXCR5 = 6.3362

CXCR7 = 3.1410

OR1D2 = 0.7380

AF2 parameters:

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Full-atom RMSD (no outlier rejection) and with superposition.

PyMOL command: align QTY and ss H, native and ss H, cycles=0, transform=1.

We superimpose only helices due to loops are not informative concerning the structure prediction, hence this RMSD is only based on helices atoms.

<https://pymolwiki.org/index.php/Align>

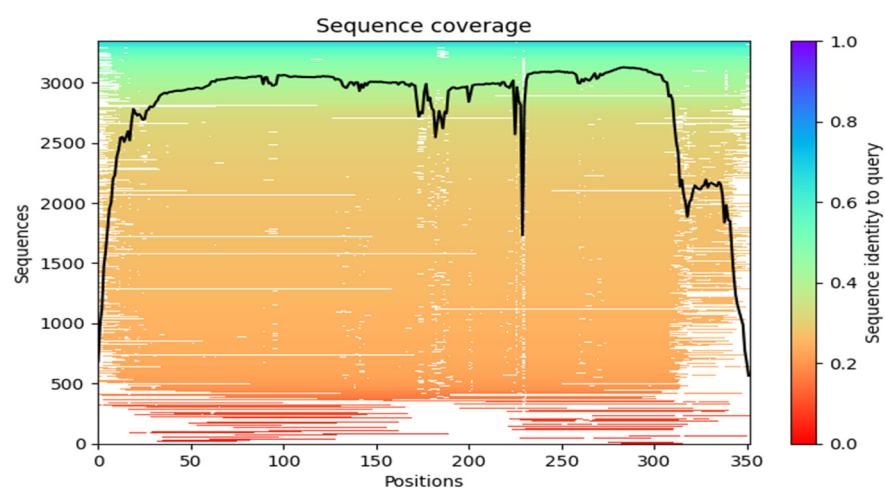
Figure S3. Five AlphaFold2 predicted models of CCR5^{QTY}.

a) Protein sequence of CCR5^{QTY}

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b) Sequence coverage

Total Length: 352



c) model_1_ptm_seed_0 recycles:3 tol:2.20 pLDDT:78.00 pTMscore:0.76

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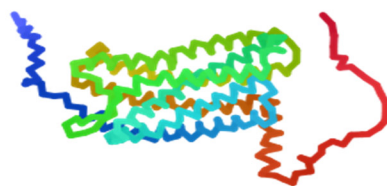
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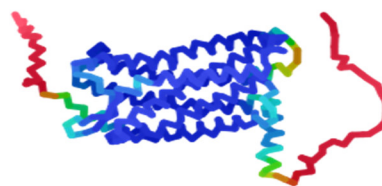


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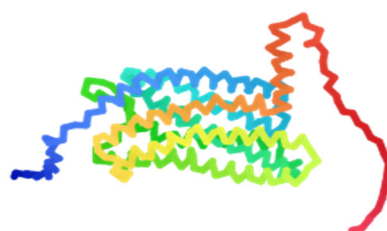


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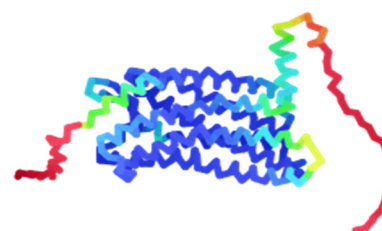


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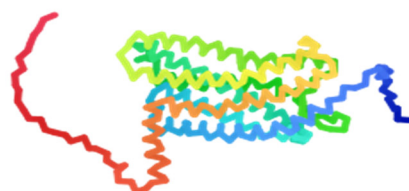


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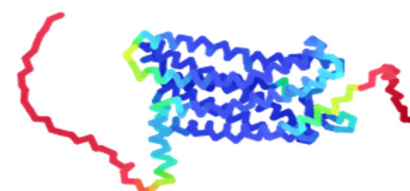


g) model_5_ptm_seed_0 recycles:3 tol:0.93 pLDDT:80.30 pTMscore:0.79

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colored by pLDDT



h) model rank based on pLDDT

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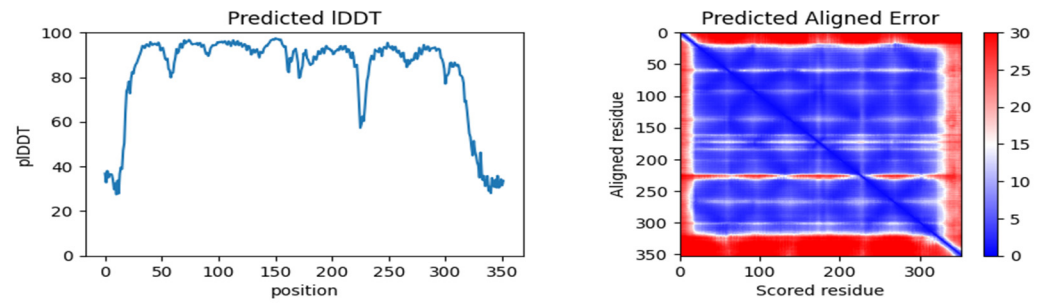
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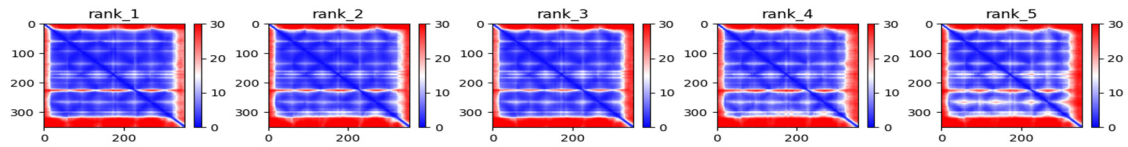
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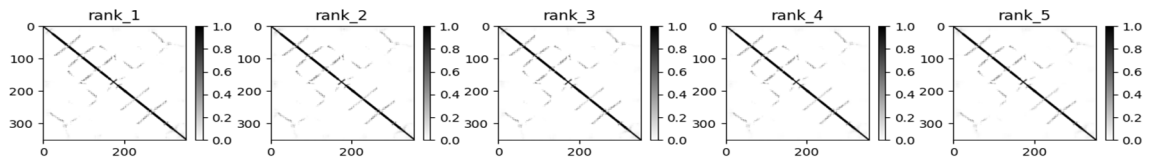
pLDDT: ■ Very low (<50) ■ Low (60) ■ OK (70) ■ Confident (80) ■ Very high (>90)



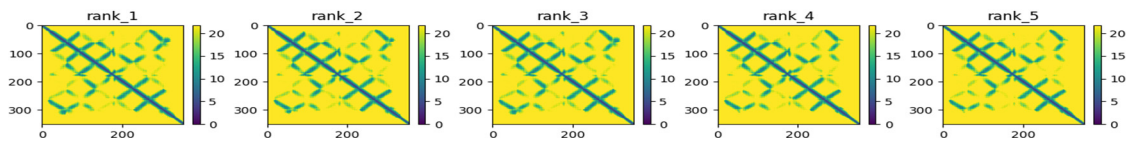
i) predicted alignment error



j) predicted contacts



k) predicted distogram



l) predicted LDDT

