

METHOD AND GENE FOR PROVIDING OR ENHANCING NONSPECIFIC
ADHESIVE PROPERTY AND/OR AUTOAGGLUTINATING PROPERTY
FOR MICROORGANISMS

ABSTRACT

This invention provides a means for providing or enhancing nonspecific adhesive property and/or autoagglutinating property for microorganisms with weak or
5 without nonspecific adhesive property or autoagglutinating property. This invention relates to a method for providing or enhancing nonspecific adhesive property and/or autoagglutinating property for a target microorganism, comprising introducing into the target microorganism a DNA encoding autotransporter adhesin from a microorganism having nonspecific adhesive property.

(FIG. 1)