



**KK Women's and  
Children's Hospital**  
SingHealth

Patient Type  Gynae  Obst  Neonate  
 Paed Med  Paed Surg  
Ward/Bed: \_\_\_\_\_ Clinic: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

## CLINICAL GENETICS REQUEST (DNA TESTS)

Patient's name label

(For downtime use)

Name:

MRN:

Account number:

Date of birth:

Sex: M / F

<b>Clinical Diagnosis:</b>	Relevant History / Findings / Family history:	Accompanying sample (s):
<p><b>Please call lab for presymptomatic testing.</b></p>		Please specify relationship (spouse / sibling / parent / child etc)

Name & signature of requesting doctor Contact no. (if urgent)	Type of specimen: <input type="checkbox"/> Peripheral blood in EDTA (3ml unless otherwise specified) <input type="checkbox"/> Amniotic fluid (Gestation: _____ Amount: _____ ml) <input type="checkbox"/> Chorionic villi (Gestation: _____ Amount: _____ mg) <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal blood (1ml) <input type="checkbox"/> Others: _____
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Name of consultant i/c	Specimen taken Date: _____ Time: _____
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Date	<b>Prenatal specimen requirement for specific diseases:</b> 10mg CVS / 20ml AF for $\beta$ -thalassaemia 15mg CVS / 30ml AF for $\alpha$ -thalassaemia, DM, FX
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Please tick appropriate boxes below and delete where not applicable.

## CONSENT REQUIRED FOR ALL TESTS (SEE NEXT PAGE)

<p><b>DNA diagnostic tests for thalassaemia</b></p> <p>Hb: _____ MCV: _____ MCH: _____ Hb electrophoresis: HbA2 _____ HbF: _____</p> <p>DNA 108 <input type="checkbox"/> Thalassaemia DNA screen Hb electrophoresis, HbH inclusion bodies &amp; DNA analysis for 5 <math>\alpha</math>-thalassaemia deletional mutations. Fresh EDTA blood (Adult 3mls X 2; Paeds 0.5ml X 2) Send within 4 hrs of collection (Mon - Fri, 8am - 6pm)</p> <p>DNA 101A <input type="checkbox"/> DNA analysis for <math>\alpha</math>-thalassaemia mutations DNA 101B <input type="checkbox"/> DNA analysis for <math>\beta</math>-thalassaemia mutations DNA 113A <input type="checkbox"/> DNA sequencing <math>\alpha</math>-globin genes DNA 102A <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal test for <math>\alpha</math>-thalassaemia** DNA 102B <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal test for <math>\beta</math>-thalassaemia**</p> <p><b>DNA diagnostic tests for following diseases</b></p> <p>DNA 103<sup>†</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Huntington disease (HD) DNA 104 <input type="checkbox"/> Fragile X syndrome (FX) DNA 105<sup>†</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Myotonic dystrophy (DM) DNA 106<sup>†</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Spinocerebellar ataxia (SCA) screen DNA 106A<sup>†</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Spinocerebellar ataxia (SCA) type _____ DNA 107 <input type="checkbox"/> Spinal muscular atrophy (SMA) DNA 114 <input type="checkbox"/> Spinal muscular atrophy (SMA) carrier test DNA 109 <input type="checkbox"/> Y chromosome deletion DNA 110 <input type="checkbox"/> DNA methylation test for (Please circle one) Prader-Willi / Angelman syndrome DNA 111 <input type="checkbox"/> Achondroplasia DNA 112<sup>†</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Kennedy's Disease (KD or SBMA) DNA 115 <input type="checkbox"/> Craniosynostosis (hotspots in FGFR1, 2, 3 &amp; TWIST) DNA 116 <input type="checkbox"/> Specific craniosynostosis syndrome (circle one): Apert / Pfeiffer / Crouzon syndrome (Analyse hotspots in FGFR2) DNA 119 <input type="checkbox"/> Congenital adrenal hyperplasia (21OH deficiency) DNA 122 <input type="checkbox"/> Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD/BMD)</p> <p><b>DNA extraction</b></p> <p>DNA 003 <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5ml blood DNA 004 <input type="checkbox"/> 3-5mls blood / chorionic villus sample (CVS) DNA 005 <input type="checkbox"/> Tissue: specify _____</p>	<p><b>DNA diagnostic test for other diseases</b></p> <p>(Tests in this category are only carried out with prior arrangement)</p> <p>DNA 001 <input type="checkbox"/> Name of disease: _____ DNA 113 <input type="checkbox"/> Targeted sequencing for specific variant (please enclose report) Gene: _____ Variant: _____ Chromosome coordinate (hg19, eg chr1:12345678): _____</p> <p><b>For validation of research findings in the proband only and NOT for detecting familial mutation.</b></p> <p><b>Other prenatal tests**</b></p> <p>(Tests in this category are only carried out with prior arrangement)</p> <p>DNA 002 <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal test for (Please circle one) <input type="radio"/> Fragile X syndrome <input type="radio"/> Spinal muscular atrophy <input type="radio"/> Myotonic dystrophy (Type 1) <input type="radio"/> Others: _____</p> <p>DNA 117 <input type="checkbox"/> QF-PCR (rapid detection of chromosome aneuploidies of chromosomes 13, 18, 21, X &amp; Y)</p> <p><b>HLA Genotyping</b></p> <p>DNA 118 <input type="checkbox"/> HLA-B*1502 DNA 121 <input type="checkbox"/> HLA-B*5801</p> <p>Send specimen to: DNA Diagnostic and Research Lab Basement 1, Children's Tower KK Women's &amp; Children's Hospital Tel: (65) 6394 1395/6 Fax: (65) 6394 1397</p>
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<sup>†</sup> Not for presymptomatic testing unless specially arranged by a clinical geneticist.

\*\* All prenatal requests MUST be pre-arranged. This is to ensure full information and appropriate type and amount of specimen(s) will be available to carry out the test.

All DNA tests are developed "in-house", pending registration with HSA.

For after office hour queries on DNA tests, please contact Dr H Y Law or Dr Y M Tan through operator.



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**DNA Diagnostic & Research Laboratory  
Genetics Service**

### CONSENT FOR DNA TESTS

Name of Disease / Test: \_\_\_\_\_

I give consent for myself / my child to be tested for this condition.

I understand the following:

- 1 A blood/tissue sample will be collected for DNA tests for the above condition.
- 2 The potential benefit of this test is to confirm the diagnosis of the condition and to determine which other family members may be carriers or have increased risk of having the defective gene.
- 3 Erroneous results and incorrect interpretation may occur because of rare variation in the DNA of the individual and rare technical error.
- 4 Accurate interpretation of the DNA test result depends on correct information about the clinical diagnosis and about the biological relationships within the family.
- 5 DNA testing may reveal non-paternity, meaning that the stated father is not the biological father.
- 6 If technology improves and more mutations (gene defects) are detectable in future, I authorise the Laboratory to re-analyse, at the Laboratory's option, any remaining DNA for the same disease. If the sample is insufficient, my doctor may ask me for a fresh sample. There may be additional fees for such tests.
- 7 After DNA testing is completed (please select one option):
  - I consent to a portion of the remaining DNA to be made anonymous and used for quality control, medical education and research. Since the sample has been made anonymous, any results obtained cannot be traced to the original source and no results will be reported.
  - I do not wish any remaining DNA to be used for quality control, medical education and research. My blood sample and DNA will be discarded after the test.
- 8 In order to help me understand the test results, the results will be reported to me only through a doctor or genetic counsellor.
- 9 DNA results are strictly confidential and will not be released to anyone other than my doctors without my consent.
- 10 Some individuals who have chosen to have predictive DNA testing and been found to carry the gene leading to the disease have experienced discrimination (insurance, employment and social).

For prenatal testing, the following also apply:

- 1 This DNA test will determine the status of the fetus for this disease.
- 2 Besides rare DNA variation and the technical error, erroneous results may also arise from maternal contamination of the fetal sample.

#### **For thalassaemia mutation screening (for Singapore citizen and permanent resident only):**

If my / my child's test is positive,

- I agree to be referred to the National Thalassaemia Registry (NTR) for registration.
- I do not agree to be referred to the National Thalassaemia Registry (NTR) for registration.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor / nurse taking consent

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

If person signing consent is the parent/guardian:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Designation \_\_\_\_\_

NRIC No \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to patient \_\_\_\_\_