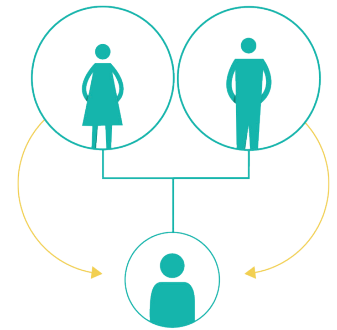


NEW GENETIC TEST: Carrier Screening for Informed Family Planning

LifeLabs Genetics offers the Counsyl Family Prep Screen genetic test to determine carrier status of individuals for 102 genetic conditions. The test is performed on a blood or saliva sample and provides couples with valuable health information when planning a family.

Counsyl Family Prep Screen is:

- Comprehensive – screens for 100+ genetic conditions
- Flexible – can be performed before or during pregnancy
- Informative – includes genetic counselling support
- Quick – results within 2 to 3 weeks



Family Prep Screen Test:

- Full gene sequencing of 102 genes (First member of couple \$995, second member of couple \$795)

Who Should be Tested:

- Couples who are planning a family
 - It's important to know if both parents are carriers of the same condition
 - Partners can be tested individually or at the same time
- Individuals who come from ethnic backgrounds with a higher incidence of specific genetic conditions
 - For example, Tay Sachs disease in the Ashkenazi Jewish population
- Individuals with a known family history of consanguinity

How to Order:

- Physician completes the requisition and patient signs the consent form (available from www.lifelabsgenetics.com)
- Patient has their blood sample collected at a Patient Service Centre or requests a self-collection saliva kit (which includes prepaid return shipping with FedEx)
- Physician receives results by fax and provides a copy to patient
- Patient views educational videos online and registers for genetic counselling (at no added cost)

*it's Good
to Know*

- It is normal to be a carrier – what you really want to know is if both partners are carriers of the same disease
- Most carriers have no family history of the disease within their family

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