

# cfDNA screening for skeletal, cardiac, and neurological disorders

- Noonan syndrome
- Achondroplasia
- Osteogenesis imperfecta
- Rett syndrome
- And 21 other conditions across 30 genes

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# Vistara identifies risk for single-gene disorders that may have otherwise gone undetected prenatally

- Ultrasound findings are not a reliable indicator
- Conditions are not detected with standard microarray analysis
- Family history is typically not a good indicator of risk
- Early identification of these conditions is clinically actionable



Screen non-invasively for Noonan syndrome, osteogenesis imperfecta, Rett syndrome, and other serious genetic conditions caused by single-gene mutations across 30 genes

#### Conditions screened by Vistara have a combined incidence of 1 in 600 – higher than that of Down syndrome

All conditions screened meet at least one of the following criteria:

- Cause cognitive disability
- Require surgical or medical intervention
- Affect quality of life





#### The single-gene disorders screened by Vistara are usually not inherited or related to family history

- Typically caused by new, or "de novo," genetic changes (variants)
- May occur more frequently as the age of the father increases<sup>5</sup>
- Are not related to the age of the mother
- Are autosomal or X-linked dominant if the variant is present, the child is expected to be affected by the condition and experience related symptoms

#### **Consider Vistara for the following indications:**



Advanced paternal age



Women who want to know "everything"



Ultrasound anomalies, such as shortened long bones and increased NT



Adjunct to CVS and amniocentesis

"We have been offering Vistara when the father of the pregnancy is age 40 or over, and also when a couple opts to pursue CVS or amniocentesis. Our thought is that if a couple wants as much information as possible, then Vistara is a reasonable screen to offer."

# Vistara results may help direct prenatal and neonatal care

Vistara results will show whether a pathogenic or likely pathogenic single-gene variant has been identified



Genetic counseling and confirmatory diagnostic testing are recommended.

Diagnostic samples must be sent to a laboratory that provides testing for the genetic variant identified.



No pathogenic or likely-pathogenic variants were identified in the 30 genes screened.

Vistara is not a diagnostic test and does not provide a definitive diagnosis of any conditions screened.

## Demonstrated accuracy in validation studies, with no known false positives in commercial experience

### Analytical validation<sup>6</sup>

Vistara's analytical validation involved the analysis of >8 million DNA base pairs across the 30 genes screened.

## Sensitivity: >99% (554/554)

**Specificity: >99%** (8,038,792/8,038,792)

- Correctly detected 3 affected cases and classified them as pathogenic/likely pathogenic (COL1A1, FGFR3, RIT1)
- Pathogenic *de novo* variants were confirmed by analysis of invasive or postnatal specimens
- No false negatives and no false positives across >8 million base pairs in validation

## Commercial experience in 2017<sup>7</sup>

No known false positives across 23 fetal screen-positive cases

- Four fetal diagnostic confirmations
- Nineteen positives with consistent ultrasound findings or paternal family history

<b>Skeletal disorders</b> COL1A1, COL1A2, FGFR3	13 positives
Noonan syndrome PTPN11, RIT1, KRAS	5 positives
<b>Syndromic disorders</b> JAG1, TSC2, NIPBL	3 positives
<b>Craniosynostosis syndromes</b> FGFR2	2 positives

Prenatal screening with Vistara can lead to improved delivery management and targeted neonatal care

Disorder	Clinical actions	
Osteogenesis imperfecta	<ul> <li>Labor and delivery management to avoid fractures</li> <li>Neonatal care</li> <li>Early recognition and treatment of fractures</li> </ul>	
Achondroplasia	<ul><li>Labor and delivery management</li><li>Monitor for spinal stenosis</li><li>Early sleep studies to reduce risk of SIDS</li></ul>	
Noonan syndrome	<ul> <li>Fetal echocardiogram</li> <li>Labor and delivery management</li> <li>Early assessment for learning differences</li> </ul>	
Craniosynostosis	<ul> <li>Fetal MRI</li> <li>Avoid instrumented delivery</li> <li>Corrective surgery</li> <li>Early medical and behavioral interventions</li> </ul>	



 Proactive billing outreach and price transparency

- Complimentary mobile phlebotomy services and in-office phlebotomist for our testing\*
- Support from board-certified genetic counselors
- Provider portal to help you manage testing



- Patient portal and educational resources
- Convenient mobile phlebotomy services\*
- Complimentary pre- and post-test genetic information sessions
- Flexible payment plans

#### \*Where permitted by state law

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