

Genetics Webquest:

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Use additional paper, if needed.

1. What are the most common symptoms (give a complete description)?

2. What is the cause of this disease or disorder?

3. What is the incidence of this disease?

4. What tests and screenings are available?

5. How is this disease or disorder treated?

6. How is this disease inherited?

7. What are some additional facts or theories?

8. What is the expected quality of life for a patient with this disease?
What is it like for a patient with this disease?

9. What is your diagnosis?

10. What tests or screening would you suggest to confirm your diagnosis?

11. Would you recommend further genetic testing of the parents or siblings?
Why?

12. How would you explain to the family how it is inherited?

13. What treatment would you suggest as the best one?

14. What is the prognosis (outlook) for this patient?

15. Do you know anyone with this inherited disease?

16. Once you have learned what it is like living with this disease, what are your ideas on how to make life easier for this patient? Use additional paper, if needed.

17. What do you think is the best hope for a cure for this disease? Why?

18. What are some of your additional thoughts or questions?

19. Where can you find more information on this disease?

20. What sources did you use? (Books, websites, etc.)

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