

A Primer for Hereditary Cancers -a focus on Pediatric and AYA cancers

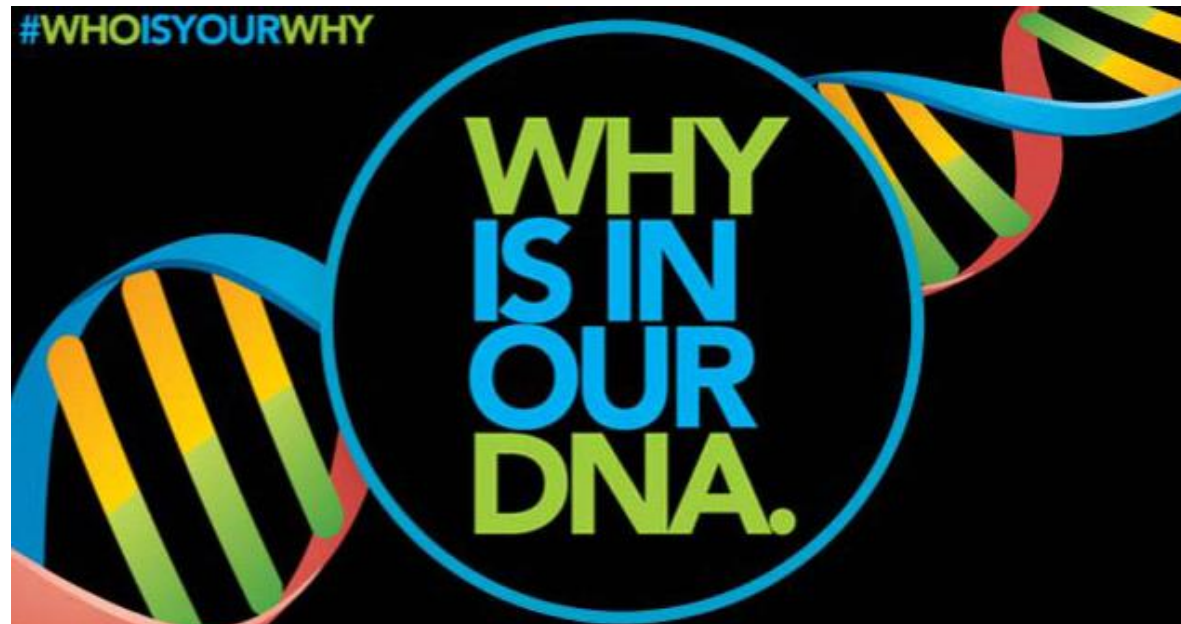
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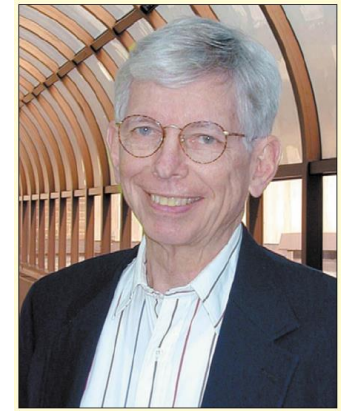
Outline

- Genetic terminology and concepts
- Hereditary cancers
 - When to consider
 - Genetics assessment
- Pathology and genes
- Genetic testing
- Genetic counselling



Cancer is a genetic disease

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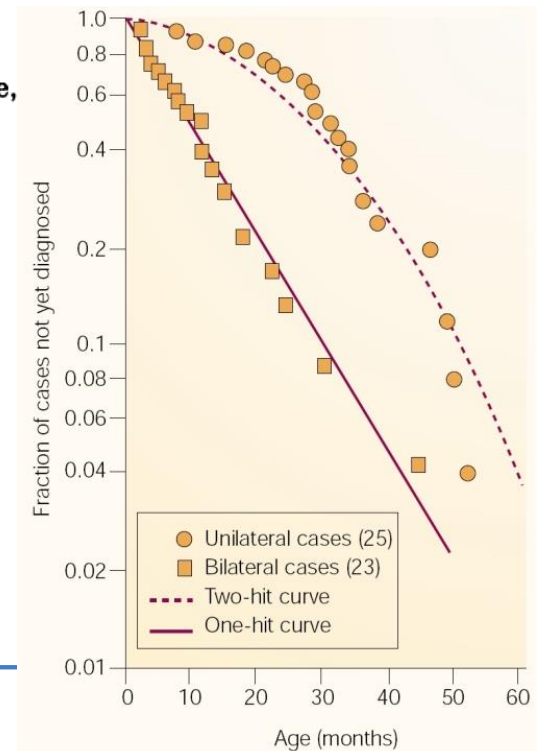
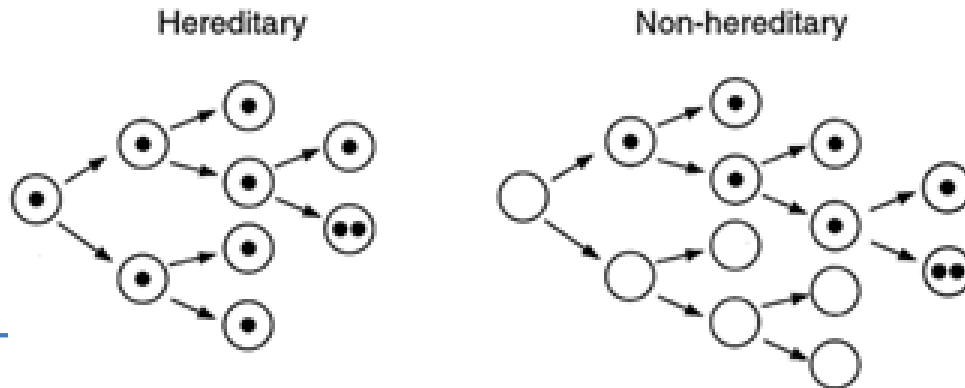
Mutation and Cancer: Statistical Study of Retinoblastoma

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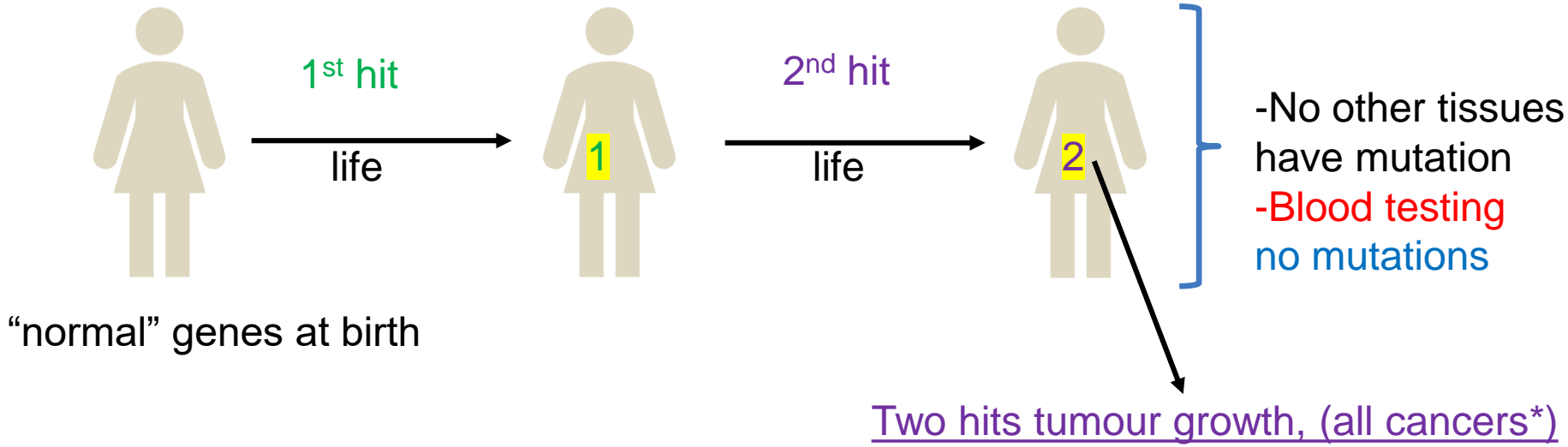
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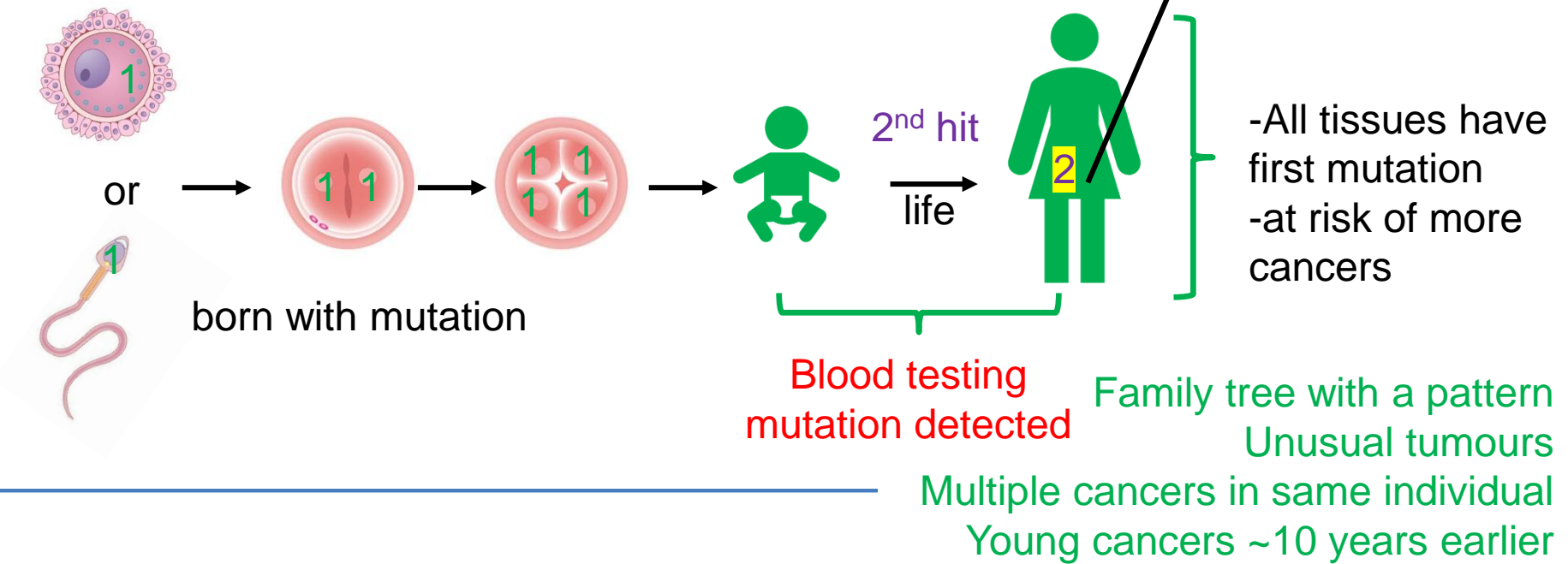
RETINOBLASTOMA TWO MUTATIONS



Sporadic/acquired cancer (90%)

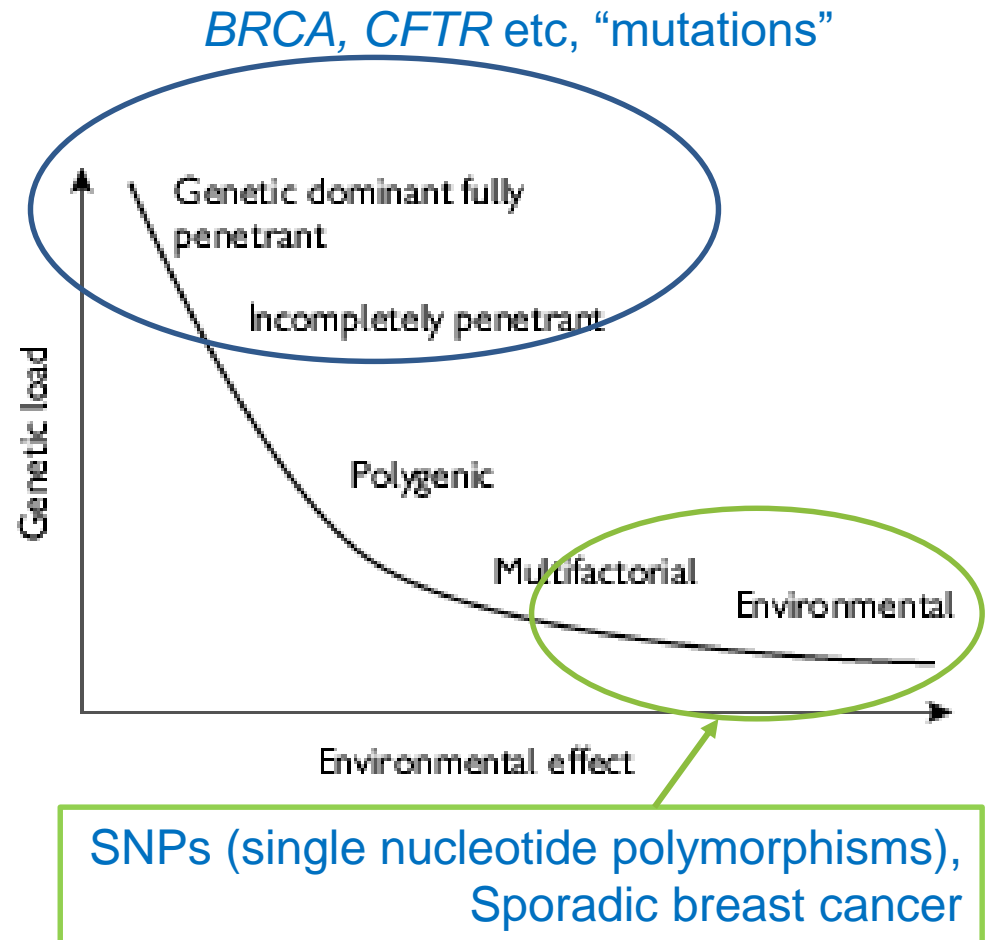


Hereditary cancer (10%)



Who do medical geneticists see?

- All diseases have a genetic component
- Not all diseases require a medical genetics consultation
- Continuum of genetic contribution
 - Many genes interacting with environment (multifactorial)
 - Coronary artery disease
 - Few genes interacting with environment (poly-genic)
 - Diabetes mellitus, IBD
 - **Single gene interacting with environment (incomplete penetrance)**
 - **Hereditary cancer**
 - **Single gene (fully penetrant)**
 - **Huntington disease, Sickle cell anemia**



Hereditary cancer syndromes

- Over 50 syndromes catalogue in 2008
- Over 300 syndromes entered into OMIM (Online Mendelian Inheritance in Man)
- **Under-recognized and under-referred**
- Germline genetic testing results affect
 - Surveillance
 - Surgical management
 - Eligibility for trials
- Distinct from somatic profiling of the tumour for targeted therapy (non-inherited changes in tumours)

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ACMG PRACTICE GUIDELINES

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A practice guideline from the American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics and the National Society of Genetic Counselors: referral indications for cancer predisposition assessment

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Li-Fraumeni syndrome, the exemplar of Pediatric and AYA cancers

- Choroid plexus Carcinoma
- Adrenocortical carcinoma
- Young Breast Cancer
- Medulloblastoma
- Wilm's Tumour
- Brain cancer
- Rhabdomyosarcoma
- Colon cancer

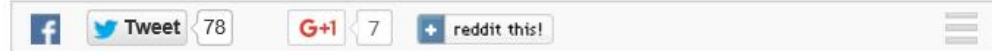


- Germline Mutation in TP53
 - Li-Fraumeni syndrome
 - L breast cancer @24
 - R breast cancer @25
 - R shoulder sarcoma @31
 - R lung cancer @44
 - Papillary thyroid cancer@44
 - c.743G>A; p.Arg248Gln
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- Risk of sarcoma, brain, breast cancer, endocrine (100% penetrance in women)
 - Whole body MRI, breast MRI, brain MRI, colonoscopy
 - Mastectomy, avoid radiation
 - Metformin trials

News / Insight

Five separate cancers. One tenacious Toronto lawyer

Sabrina Fuoco's rare syndrome sparked a pitiless run of cancers. Now she hopes her struggle might help others.



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Sabrina Fuoco, 34, had her first cancer diagnosis at age 3. She has refused to let her recurring bouts of the disease change her positive outlook.

Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer ~1/500

- **BRCA1**
 - 40-70% Breast (vs 12%)
 - 20-40% Ovarian (vs 1.5%)
 - 20-30% Prostate (vs 17%)
- **Surveillance**
 - Breast MRI@25years (OBSP)
 - CA-125 and US not offered
- **Management**
 - Bilateral Mastectomy
 - Prophylactic Bilateral Salpingo-oophorectomy 35-40
 - Chemoprevention denosumab
 - PARP trials
 - Aspirin



“Synthetic lethality”, from flies to personalized medicine

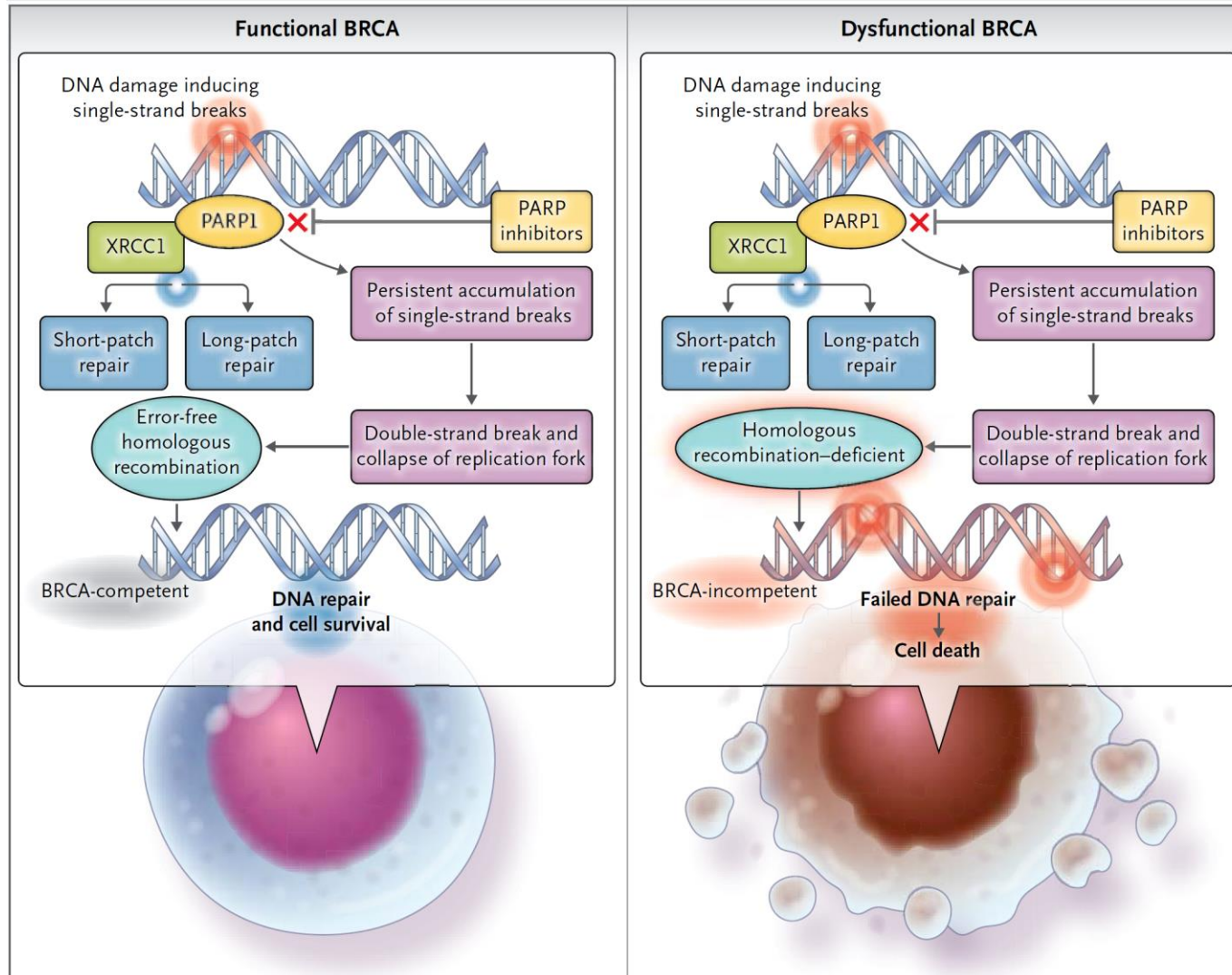
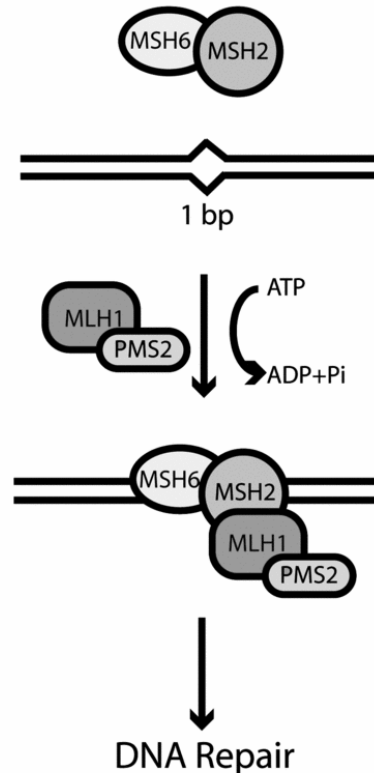


Figure 3. Synthetic Lethality According to BRCA Status and PARP Inhibition.

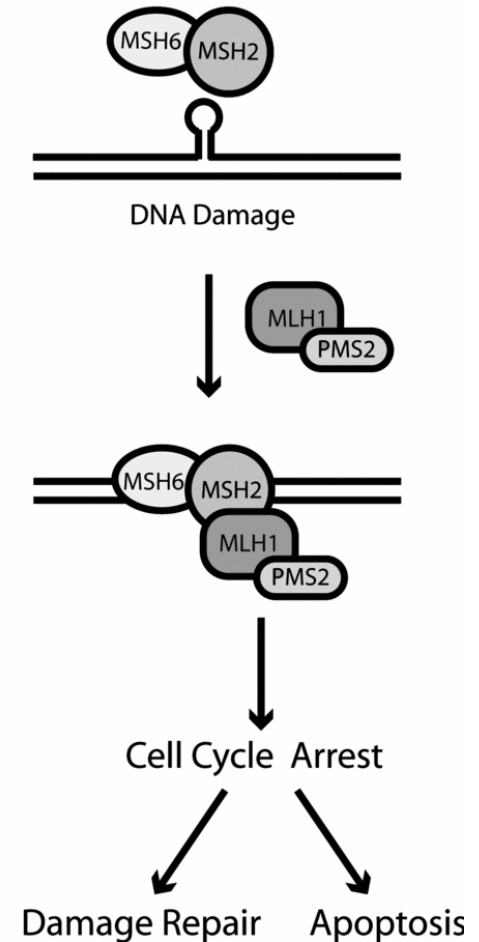
Lynch syndrome

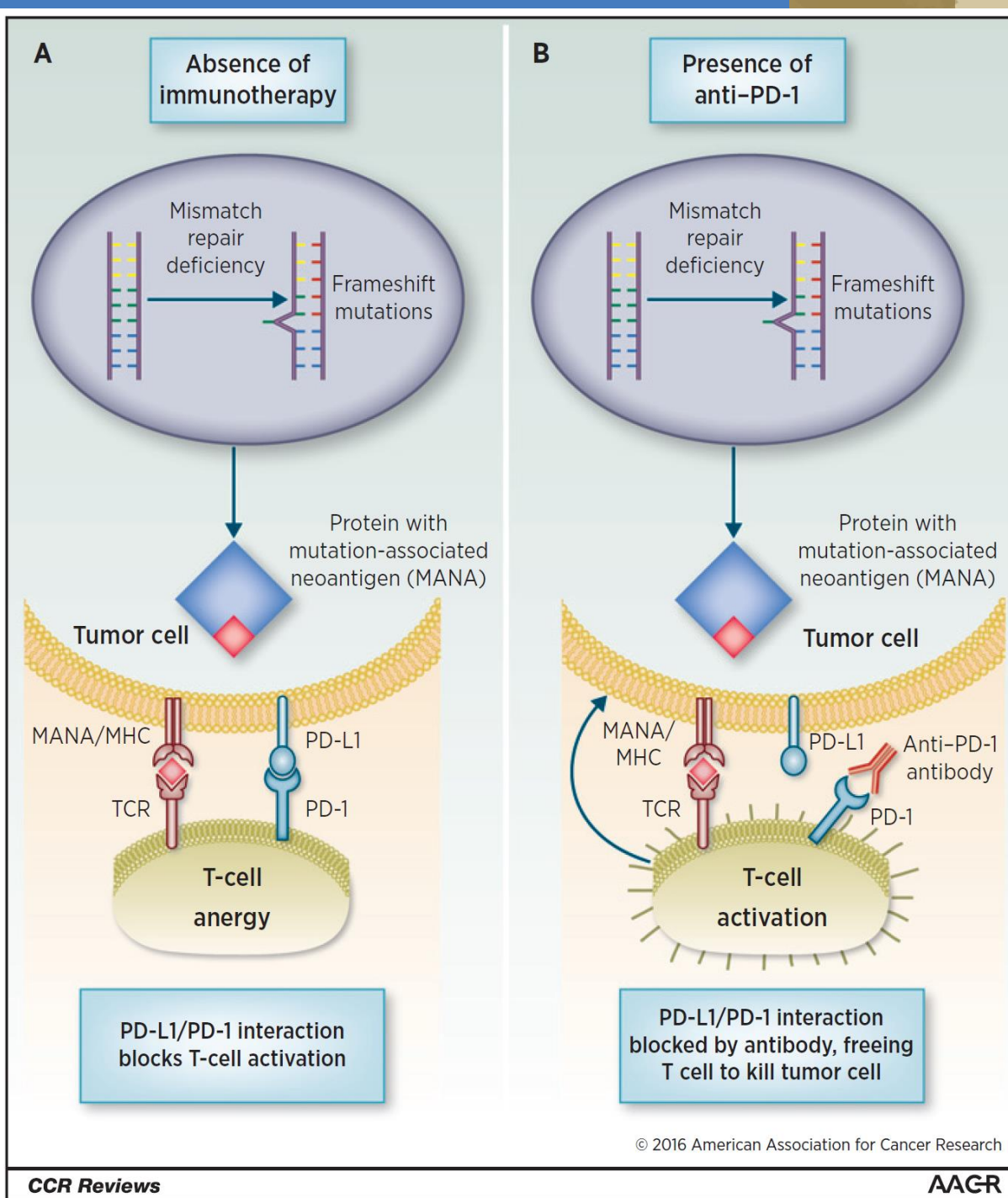
- Mismatch repair pathway deficiency
- Colorectal cancer (50-80%)
- Endometrial (25-60%)
- Ovarian (5-10%)
 - Endometrioid, clear cell
- Hepatobiliary (1-5%)
- Adrenocortical carcinoma (3%)
- *MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, PMS2*
- Consider if:
 - Amsterdam criteria
 - 3 individuals
 - 2 first-degree relatives
 - 1 under 50
 - **CRC < 35 years of age**
 - CRC + another Lynch cancer
 - Other ongoing screening protocols
 - NCCN all CRC < 70, UHN endometrial < 70
 - Annual Colonoscopy ~25y, RRSO, consider endometrial surveillance

a Mismatch Repair



b DNA Damage Signaling

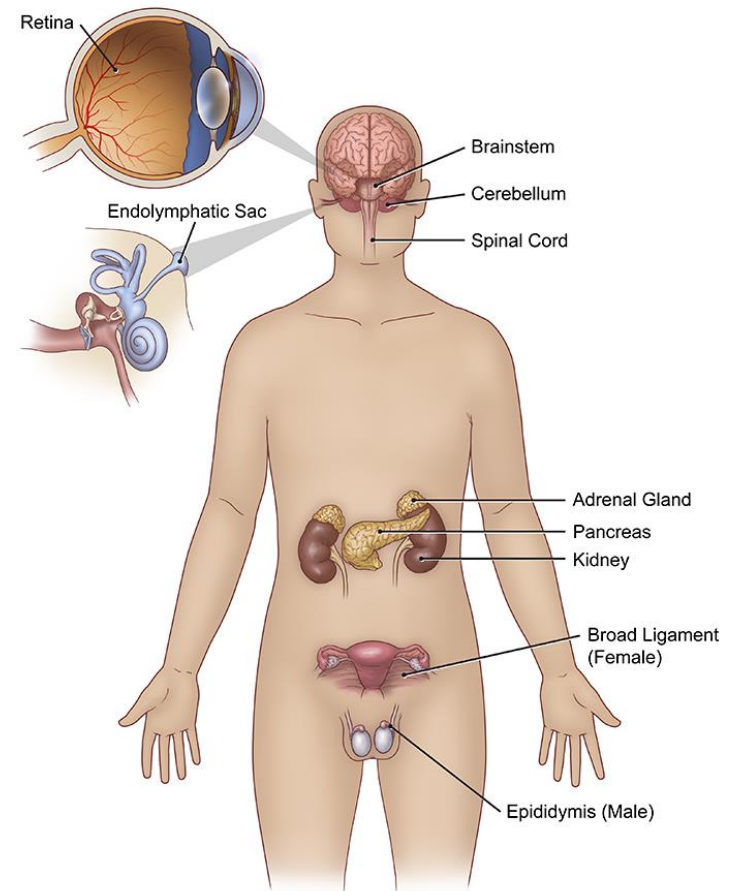




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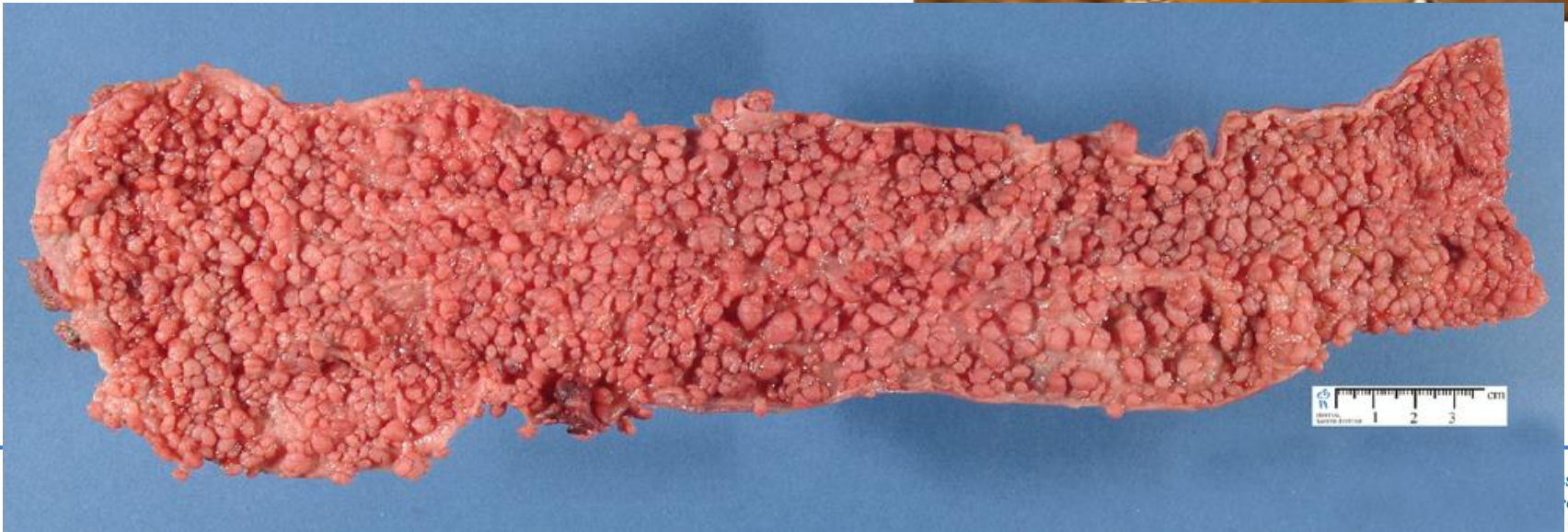
- Multi-system disorder
- Mutations in *VHL* gene responsible for degradation of hypoxia inducible factor 1-alpha (HIF1 α)
- Results in hemangioblastomas
 - Eye
 - Brain
 - Spine
- Deafness (endolymphatic sac tumours)
- Pancreatic cysts
- variable expressivity = not all mutation carriers develop all manifestations
- Frameshift mutations result in risk of renal cell carcinoma “type 1”
- Missense mutation result in pheochromocytoma “type 2”



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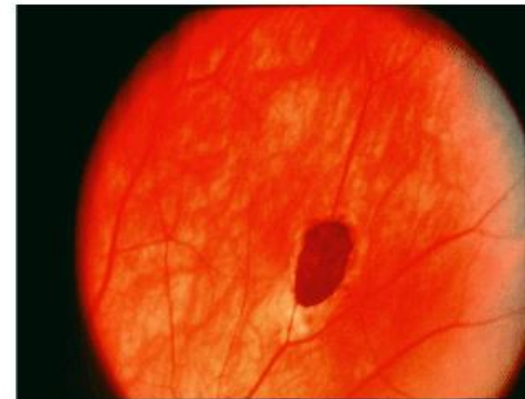
Familial Adenomatous polyposis

- APC
- ~ 50% mutations carriers develop adenomas by 14 yo
- Genetic testing usually recommended at 10-12 yo
- Untreated FAP leads to ~100% risk colorectal cancer
- Annual colonoscopy at 10 years, colectomy in late teens



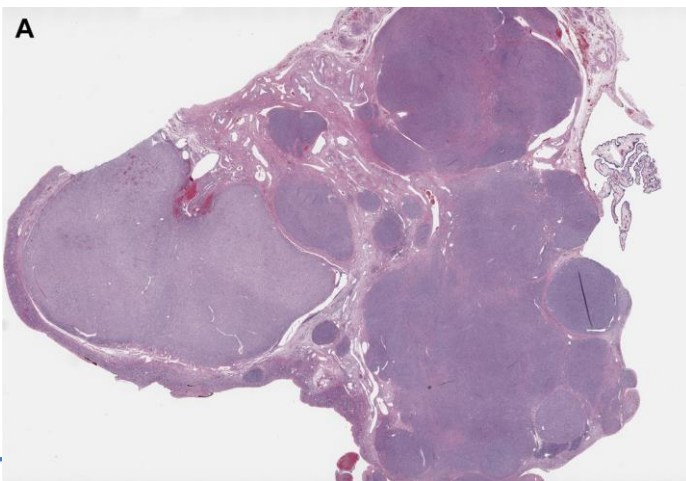
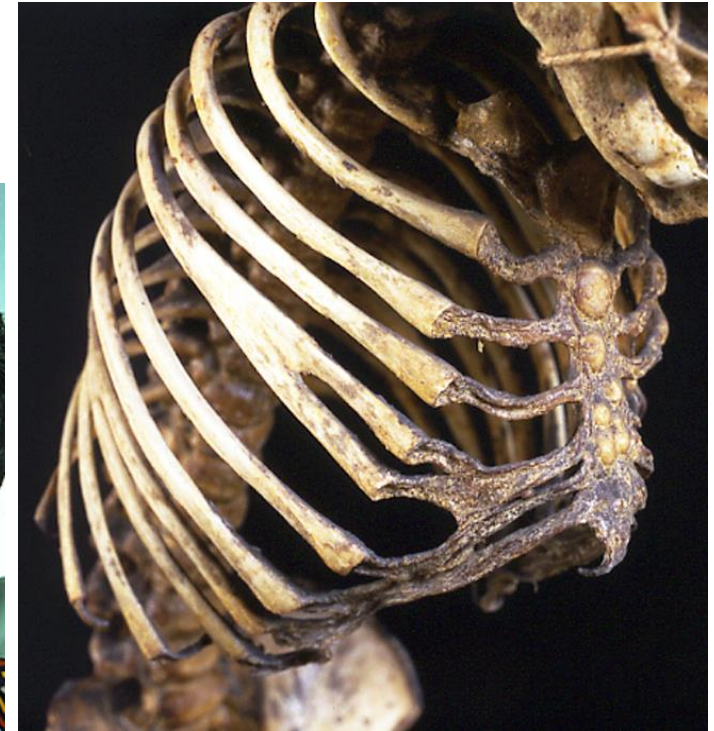
FAP Extracolonic manifestations:

- Congenital hypertrophy of retinal pigment epithelium (CHRPE)
- Epidermoid cysts
- Abnormal dentition
- Desmoid tumors
- Malignant tumors (hepatoblastoma, medulloblastoma, thyroid cancer)
- Osteomas



Ovarian fibromas, Gorlin syndrome

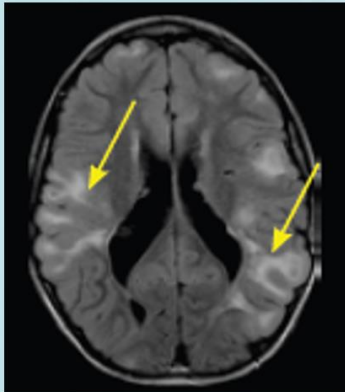
- Nevroid basal cell carcinoma syndrome (PTCH gene)
- Jaw cysts
- Coarse facial features, milia
- Macrocephaly
- Bifid ribs
- Medulloblastomas
- Meningiomas, post XRT
- Palmar pits
- Ovarian fibromas



Tuberous Sclerosis (*TSC1-harmatin/TSC2-tuberin*), multisystem disorder -brain, skin, kidney

Brain tumours

Cortical tubers



- Abnormal neuron growth results in seizures

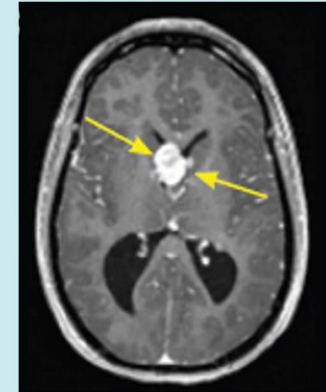
Subependymal Nodules



Numerous
SENs
distributed
on the wall
of the lateral
ventricles

- Benign tumours, asymptomatic

Subependymal giant-cell astrocytoma

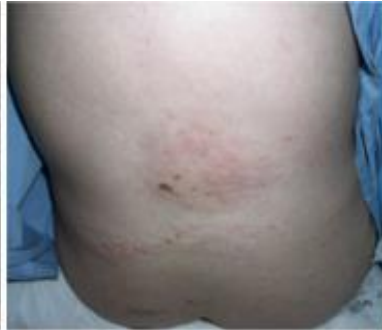


- Well circumscribed, slow-growing, low-grade tumours
- Can obstruct CSF circulation, leading to hydrocephalus

Skin, kidney cysts, lung and uterine LAM



Adenoma sebaceum



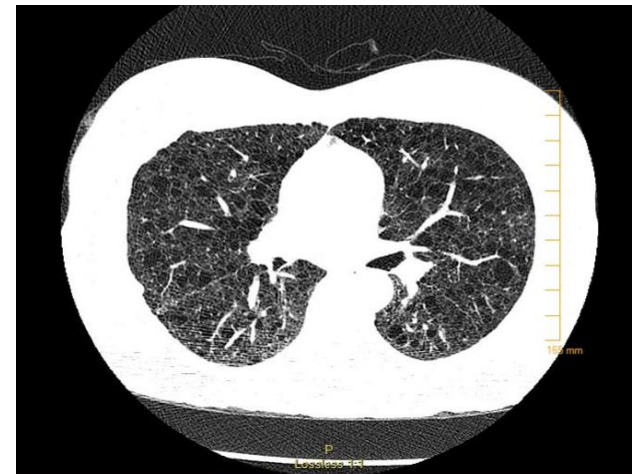
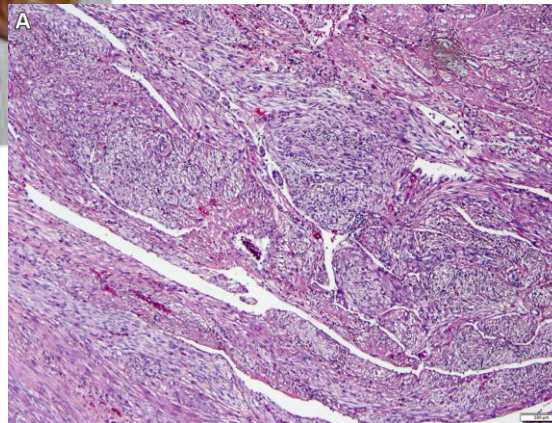
Shagreen patch



angiomyolipomas



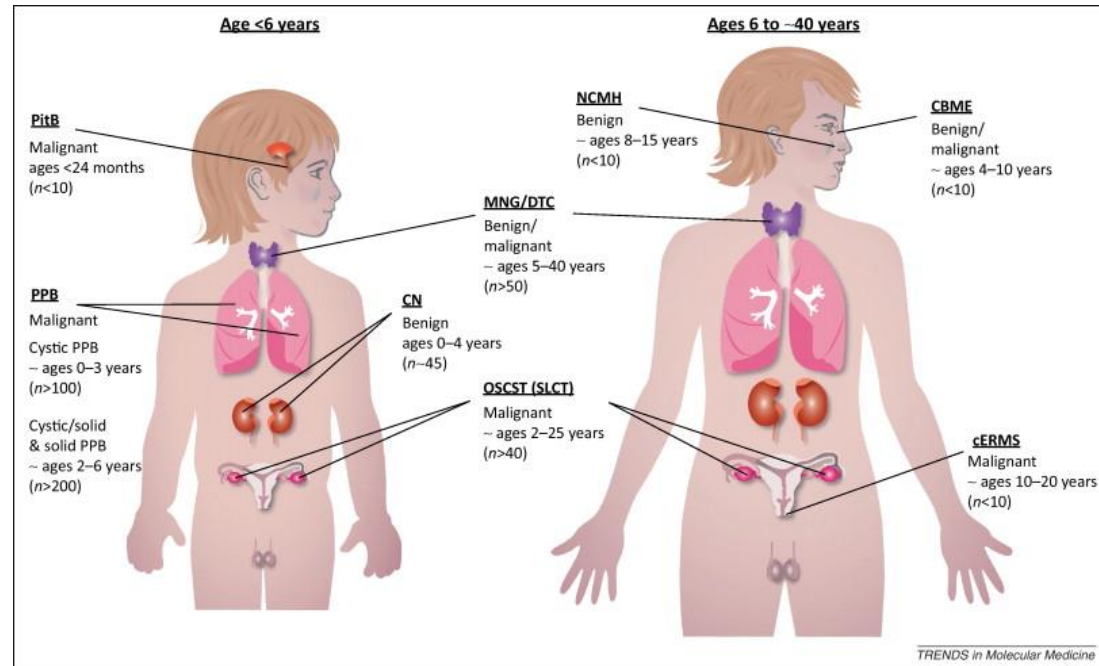
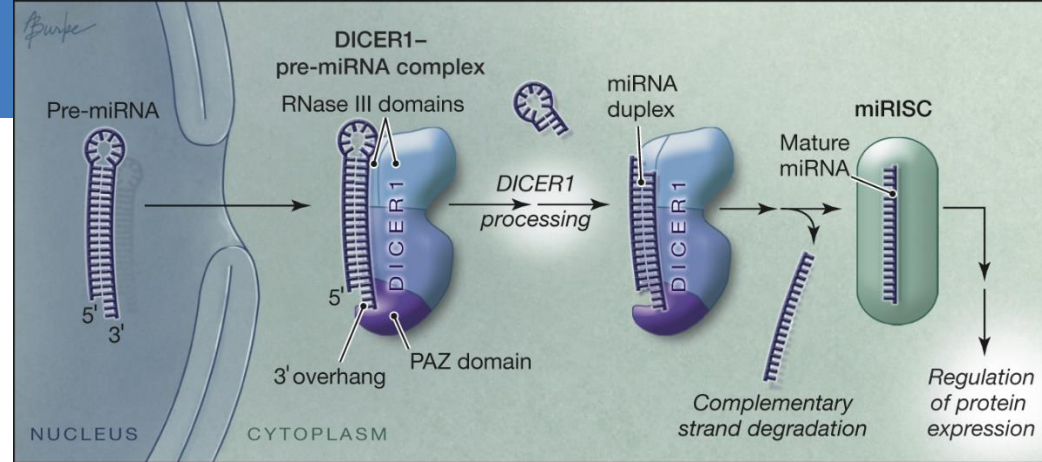
Ungual fibromas

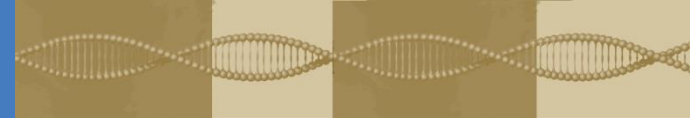


Lymphangiomyomatosis

DICER1

- Pleuropulmonary blastoma
- Cystic nephroma
- Pituitary blastoma
- Nasal chondromesenchymal hamartoma
- Multinodular goitre, differentiated thyroid cancer
- Embryonal rhabdomyosarcoma of the cervix
- Ovarian Sertoli-Leydig tumour
- Not well-defined surveillance





Genetic Testing

Genetic Myths

First Session, Forty-second Parliament,
64-65-66 Elizabeth II, 2015-2016-2017



Myth: Genetic patients will face discrimination

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CHAPTER 3

An Act to prohibit and prevent genetic discrimination

ASSENTED TO

MAY 4, 2017

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Myth: Patients pay for genetic testing: if eligible** (evolving) covered by OHIP
\$1000/gene → \$1/gene

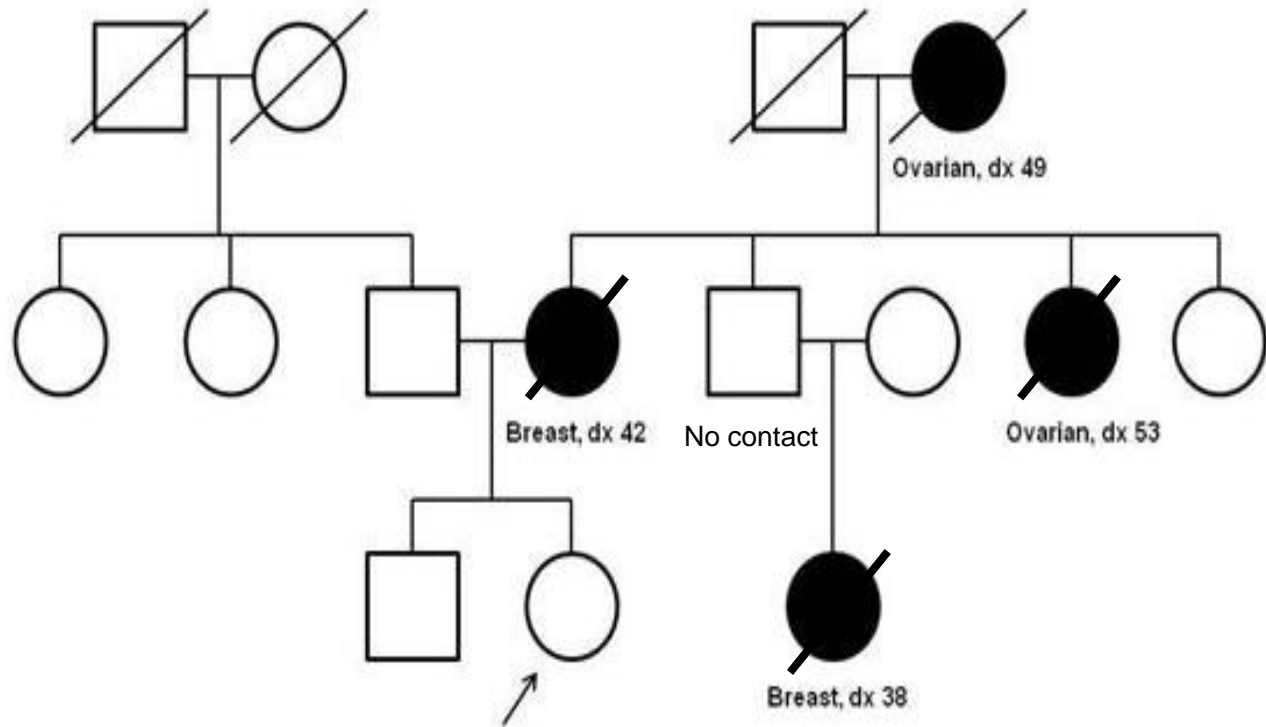
Myth: My children
Will carry my genes



Myth: Genetics is a taboo;
awareness is increasing

Who to test?

- Patients affected with cancer are the most appropriate individuals to test to interpret the genetic results
- If no family members, available, some high risk families can have testing on unaffected individuals if probability of mutation based on computer models >10%, but many limitations of this
- Need to consider DNA banking on all individuals with cancer as new genes are discovered (panel testing)





Genetic testing Results



■ Positive

- Mutation is found
- “have the gene”
- Seen in other individuals with disorder
- Surveillance decisions can be made

■ Maybe

- Genetic change is found
- Not seen in other individuals with disorder
- Significance uncertain
- “Variant of uncertain significance”
- Seen 30% during panel testing
- Management decisions NOT made
- Revisit the clinic

■ Negative

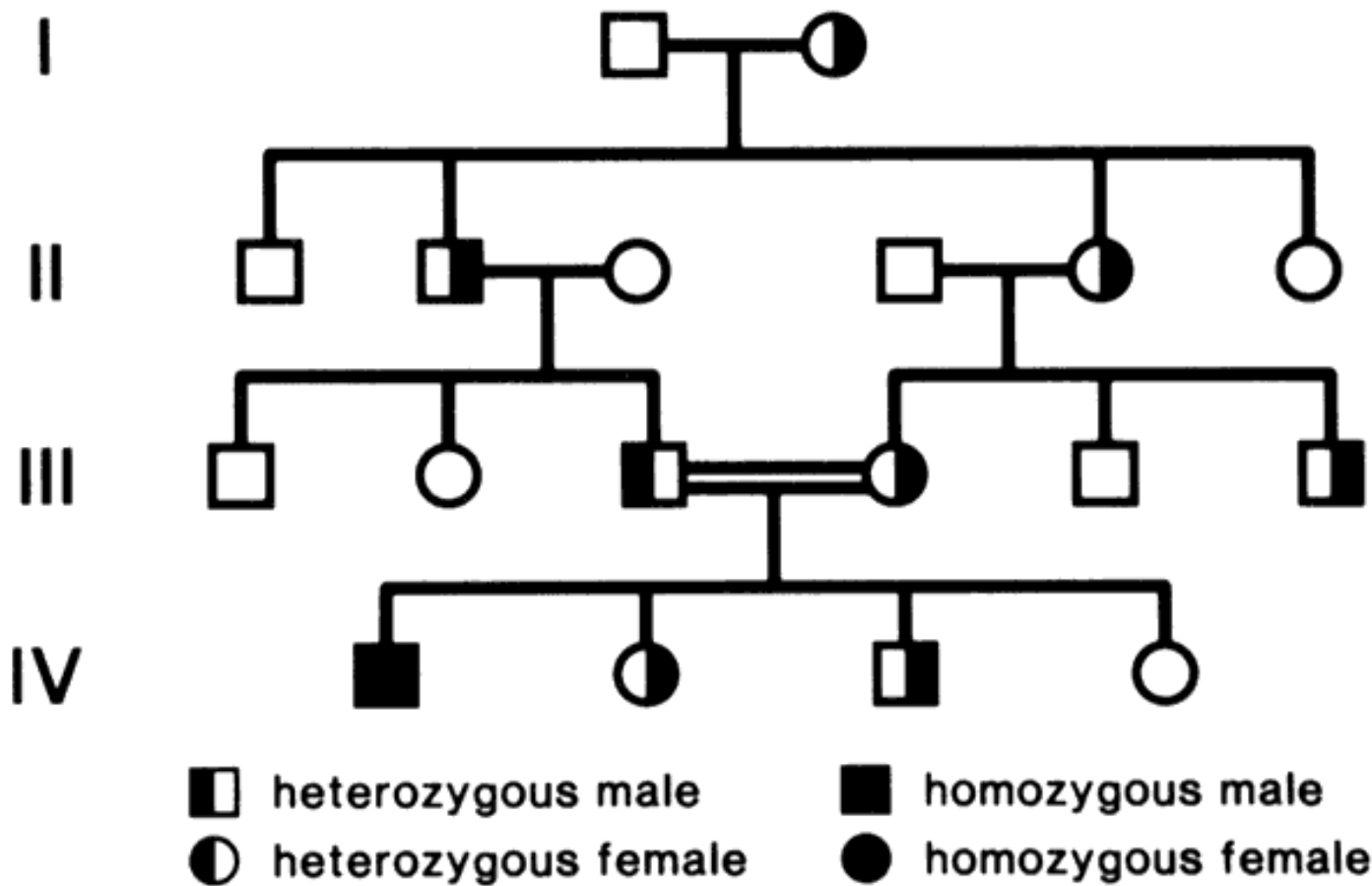
- No genetic change is found
- Limitation of the technology
- May have another gene involved
- Revisit the clinic, other gene testing

Autosomal dominant and autosomal recessive

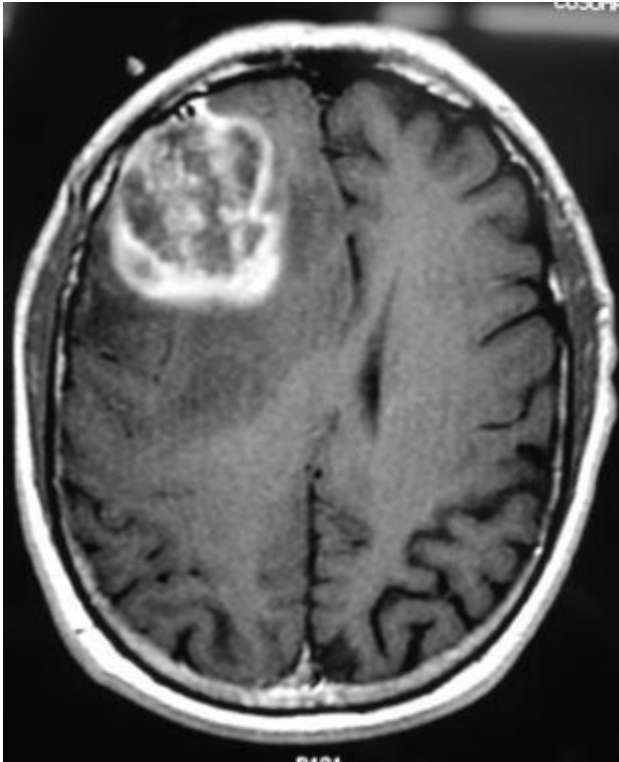
- One mutation results in hereditary breast/ovarian cancer
- Two mutations result in pediatric disorders
- Ataxia telangiectasia (*ATM*)
 - Ataxia, scleral telangiectasia, immunodeficiency
- Fanconi Anemia (*BRCA2*, *PALB2*, *BRIP1*, *RAD51C*)
 - Café au lait macules, radial ray defects, bone marrow failure, congenital anomalies
- Nijmegen Breakage syndrome (*NBN*)
 - Microcephaly, IUGR, developmental delay, immunodeficiency

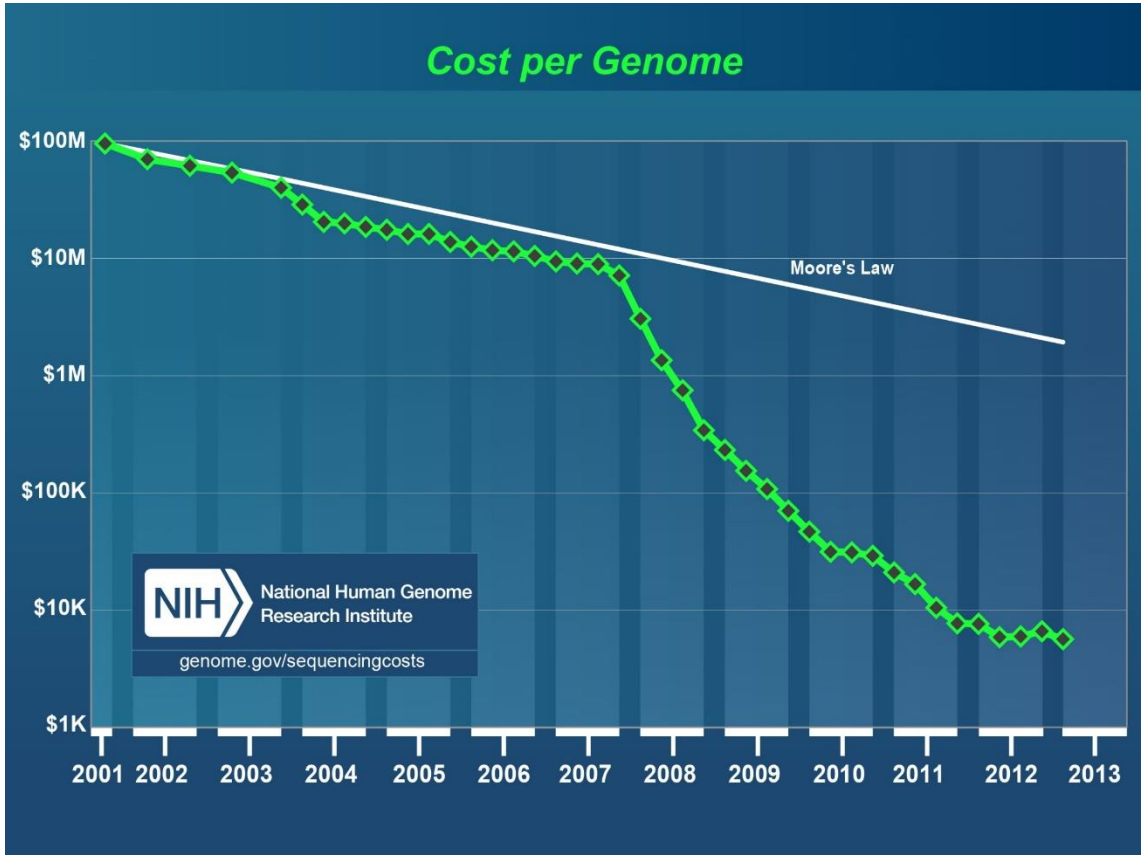


Two Lynch syndrome parents have a child...



At risk of biallelic mismatch repair, severe hereditary cancer disorder
(brain, hematologic malignancy, look like they have neurofibromatosis)





Ethical challenges in sequencing 30, 000 genes vs one gene

Recommendations for reporting of secondary findings in clinical exome and genome sequencing, 2016 update (ACMG SF v2.0): a policy statement of the American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics

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- Medically actionable genetic findings
- Should be returned to patient in a clinical exome
- Cardiac disease (hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, hereditary arrhythmia)
- Metabolic disorders (familial hypercholesterolemia, Wilsons disease)

Circulating DNA from fetuses to tumours

Preliminary Communication

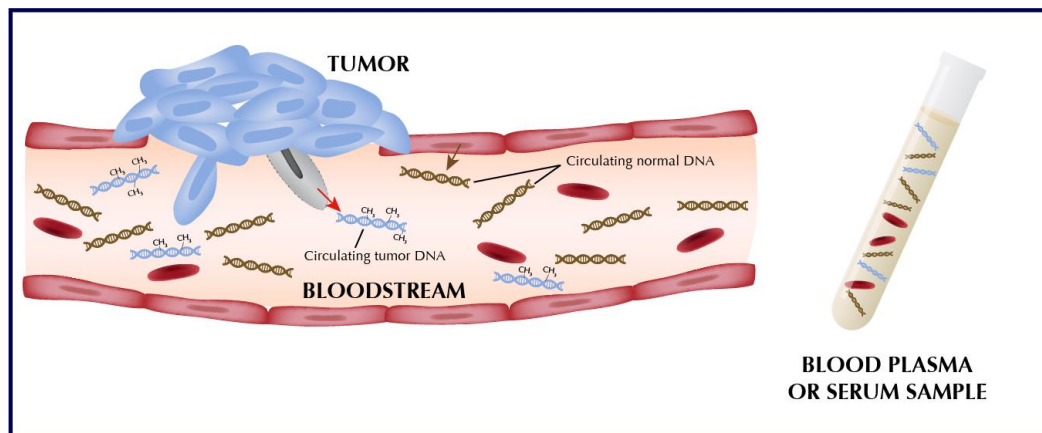
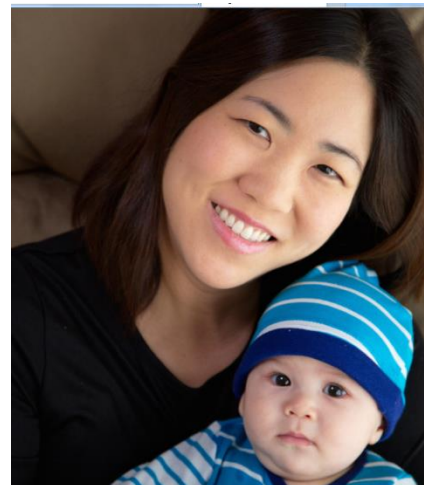
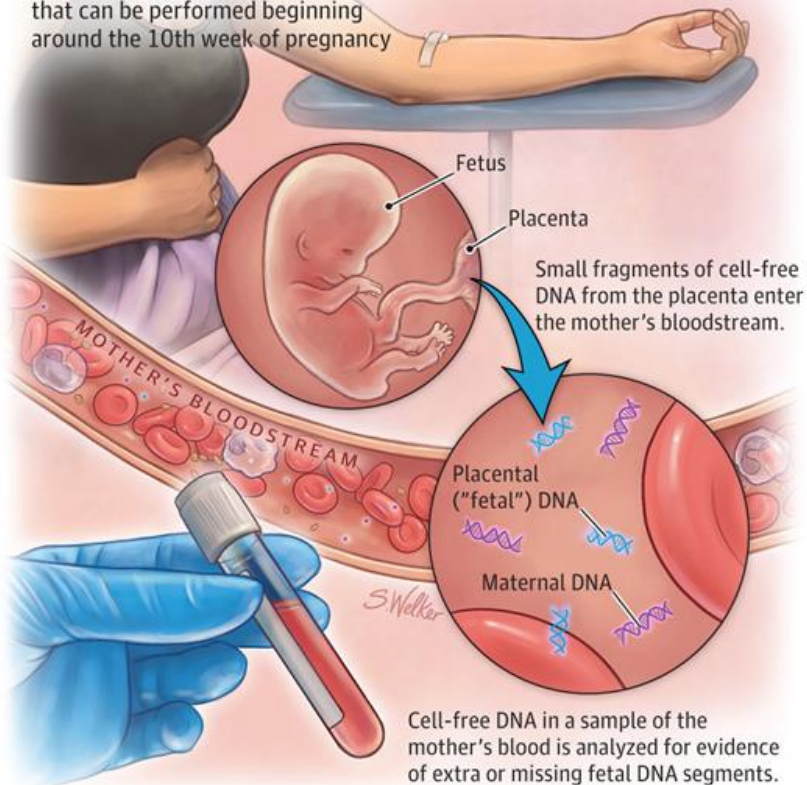
Noninvasive Prenatal Testing and Incidental Detection of Occult Maternal Malignancies

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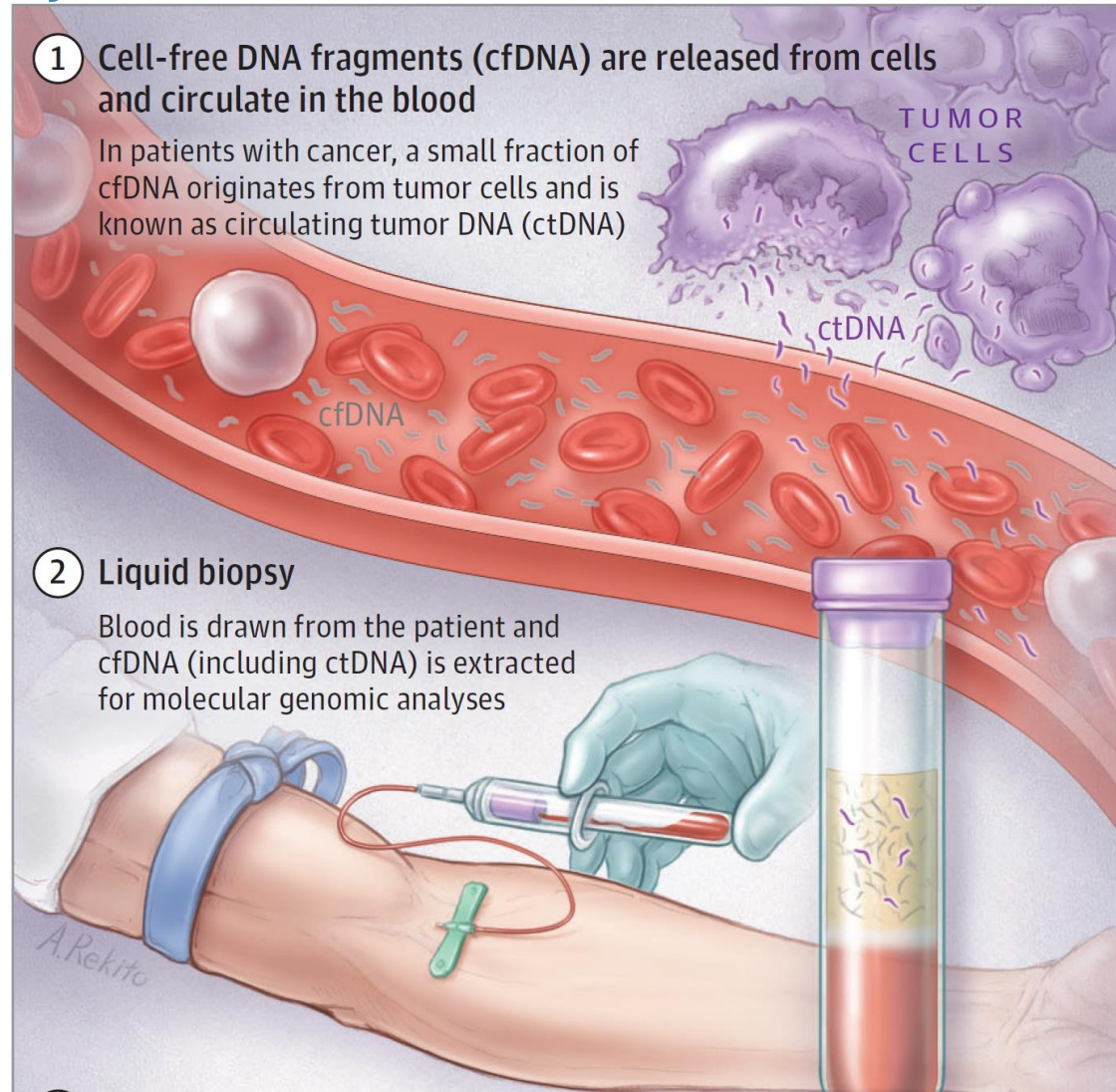
Noninvasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)

NIPT is a prenatal screening test that can be performed beginning around the 10th week of pregnancy



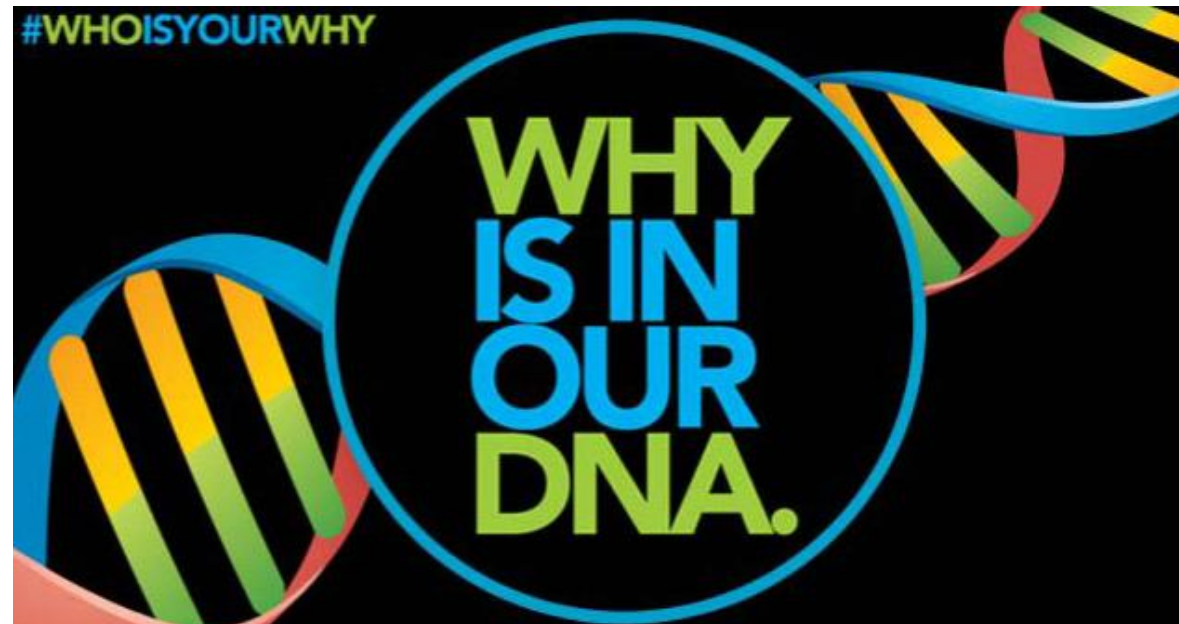
Concepts in tumour DNA analysis

- Cancer is caused by genetic changes in cells
 - Germline: born with first hit
 - Somatic: tumour-specific events
 - Tumour: includes both somatic and germline events
- Germline is analyzed by isolating peripheral blood lymphocytes (buffy coat)
- Somatic/tumour mutations analyzed by tumour (biopsy)
- Tumour cells shed DNA into the plasma



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