QHerit™
Pan-Ethnic Expanded Carrier Screen

Planning for your family’s future
QHerit Expanded Carrier Screen is the right choice for family planning

QHerit is a panel of tests that looks for certain disorders in your genes. If they’re found, you could be a carrier even if you don’t have any symptoms of the disease. Because carriers can pass on the disorder to their children, it’s important to get tested.

QHerit is the right choice if you or your partner:

- Are pregnant or considering having a baby
- Have a family history of a genetic disease included on the panel (it is important to share this family history with your healthcare provider to help guide testing)
- Have increased risk for specific genetic disorders
- Are of multiple ethnicities or if you are unsure of your ancestry

Your doctor can help you understand if expanded carrier screening makes sense. Genetic counselors can also help you learn more about testing and reporting.

QHerit helps you understand your risk

Using industry-leading technology, QHerit checks for 22 genetic disorders—ones that could play an important role in your baby’s health. The impact of these disorders on your child could include:

- Complex, lifelong care
- An early death
- Medical intervention
If you are considering starting a family or are already pregnant, knowing about your genetic health can help you plan for the future.

Anyone can be a carrier of a genetic disorder. Some genetic disorders greatly impact the quality of life for your baby and your family. By knowing your genetic makeup, you can make informed decisions.

QHerit Expanded Carrier Screen tests for certain genetic disorders. This test looks at your genes, and can tell you which, if any, of these disorders you carry and could pass on to your child.
Screening is available or can be right for everyone regardless of their ethnic background, and takes 4 simple steps:

1. A blood sample can be taken at your doctor’s office or at a local Quest Diagnostics Patient Service Center (PSC)

2. The sample will be sent to a Quest Diagnostics lab for testing

3. Your doctor will give you your results in one to two weeks

4. If your results show that you may carry genes for a particular genetic disorder, your doctor will check to see if your partner is also a carrier

QHerit screening results can help you plan for the future.

Ask your doctor about QHerit
Plan for your future with Quest Diagnostics

We help families plan for the future. We do this by delivering timely, accurate test information. Since the 1970s, we’ve been providing state-of-the-art genetic tests. Doctors and patients look to Quest today for a wide range of testing options, spanning more than 700 genetic tests.

Safe, easy, and widely covered
Quest Diagnostics screening is covered by most major health plans. Contact your health insurance plan to find out about your individual benefits.

Financial assistance may be available
We offer financial assistance options to make sure you have access to the screening you need.

Convenient locations near work or home
You can make an appointment online at any one of our more than 2,200 Patient Service Centers nationwide.

Get your results anywhere, anytime
You can access your results online anytime, anywhere, on any device with MyQuest™.

Rely on our results
Our labs follow the industry’s highest standards, and our collection processes are designed to ensure maximum accuracy.

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Learn more about expanded carrier screening from Quest Diagnostics. Visit QHerit.com/Patient

Quest Diagnostics is there for you throughout your pregnancy

- We offer a wide range of tests your doctor may recommend during your pregnancy
- We are a leader in genetic testing, with more than 700 genetic tests, including QHerit and QNatal® Advanced Noninvasive Prenatal Screening

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