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# GENetikk & PID

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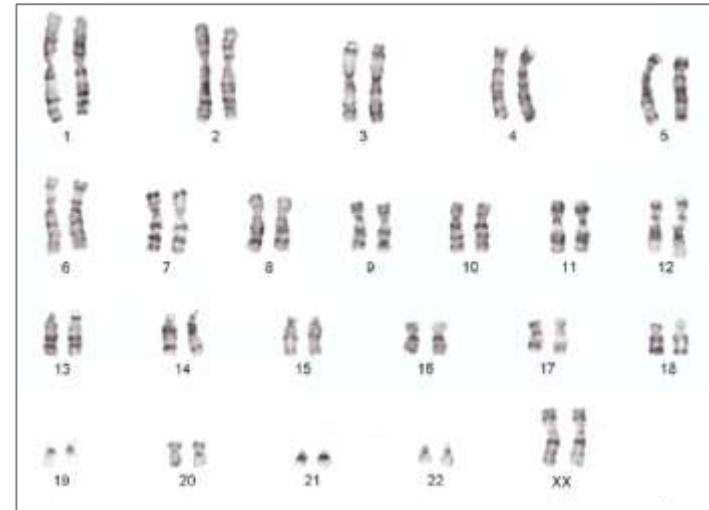
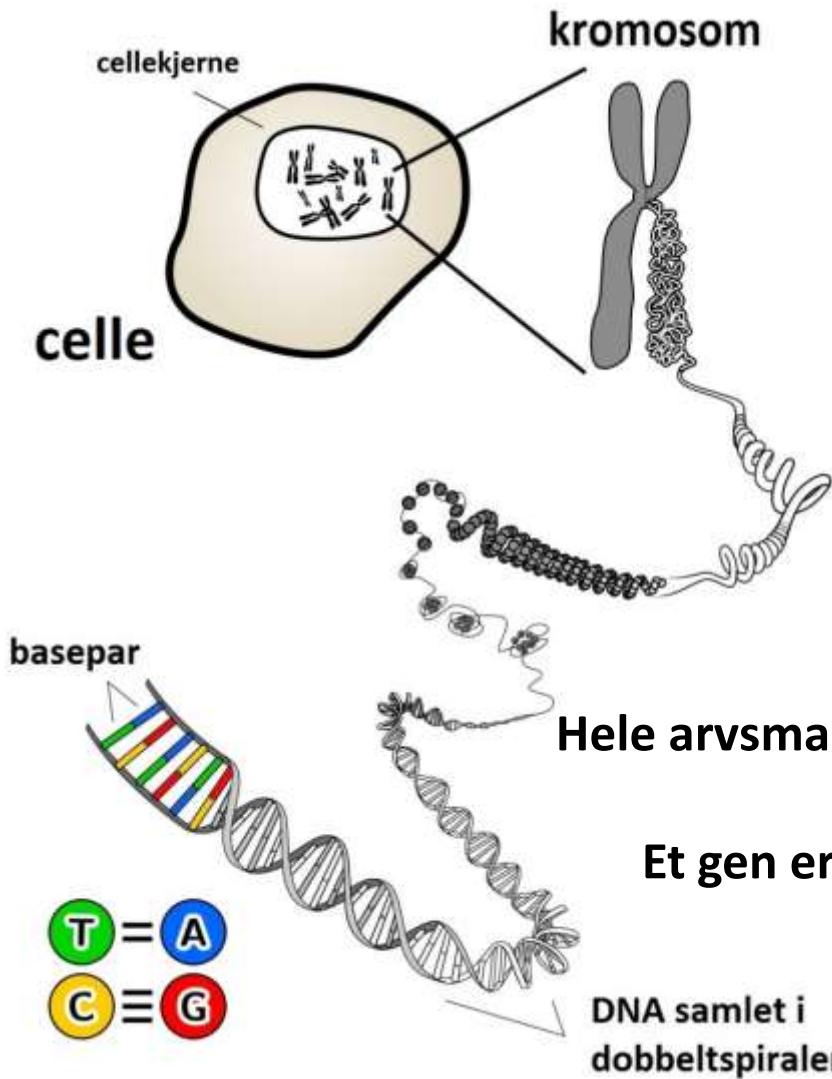
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# Fra kromosomer til genomer

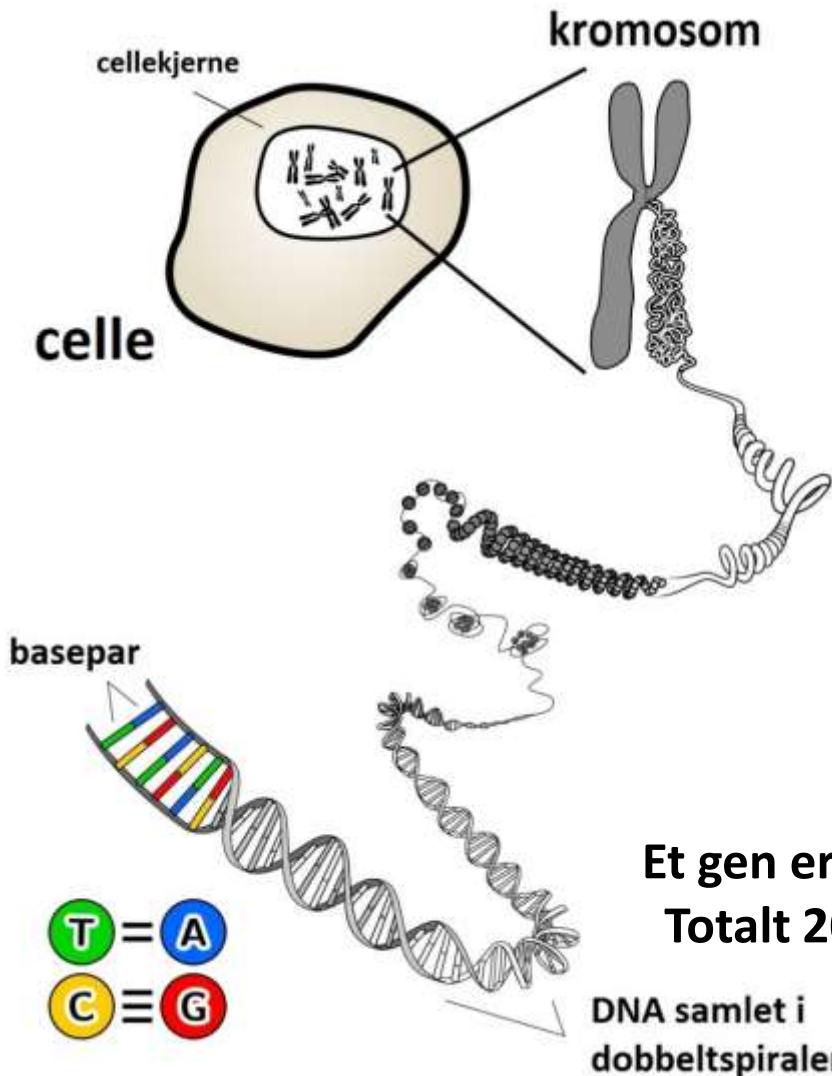


46 kromosomer = 23 par

Hele arvsmassan = genomet = 3 000 000 000 basepar x 2

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Totalt 20 000 gener som utgjør 1% av genomet

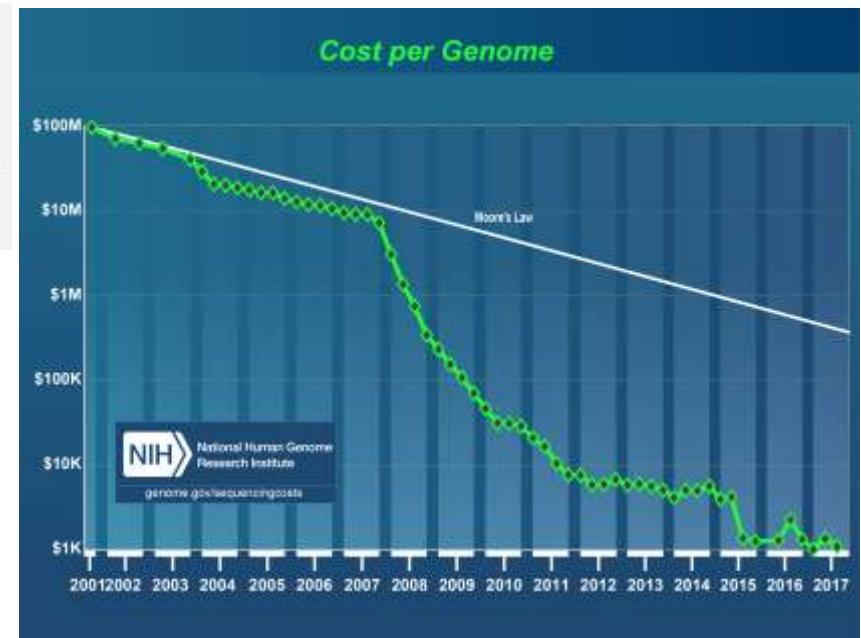
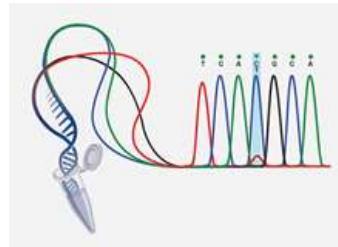
DNA samlet i  
dobeltspiralen

= exomet

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Fra mikroskopi  
& sekvensering ett og ett gen  
til test av mange gener i én analyse



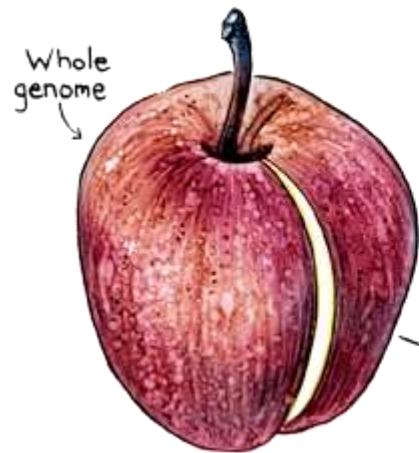
*“Raskere, bredere, billigere”*



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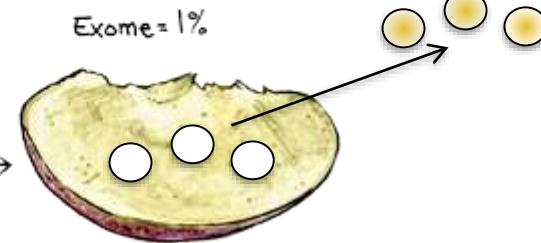
## Genome sequencing, WGS

$3 \times 10^9$  base pairs



## Exome sequencing, WES

180 000 exons  
 $3 \times 10^7$  base pairs



## Sequencing of selected genes

~20 000 genes in total  
ca. 7000 disease genes



> 4 mill variants differs between 2 persons



1 variant can cause disease → How to find the needle in the haystack?

Genomic DNA



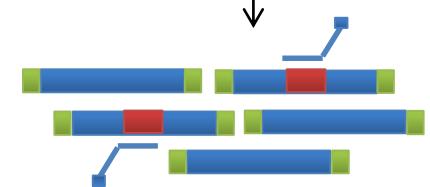
Construct shotgun library



Repair ends; add adaptors



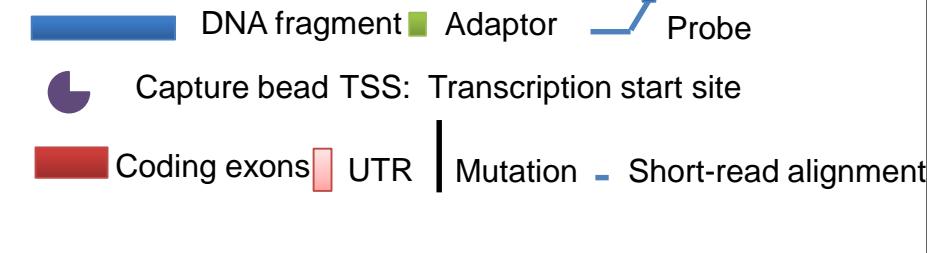
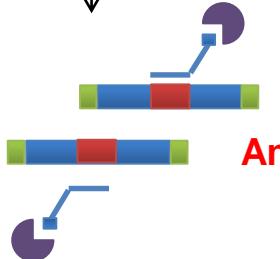
Hybridization



Wash Pulldown

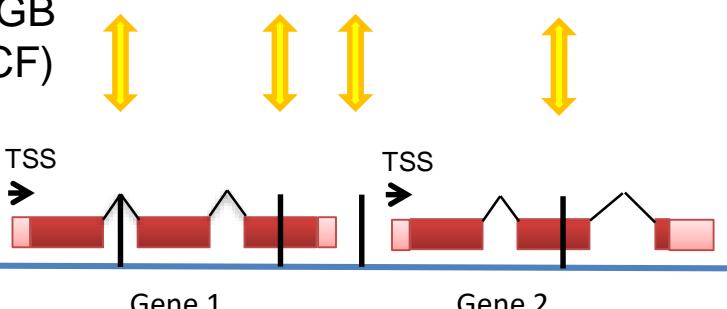
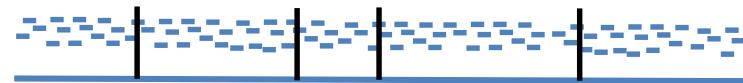


Amplification based:



## WGS

Mapping  
Alignment,  
Variant calling  
Final data +/- 150 GB  
(FASTQ, BAM, VCF)

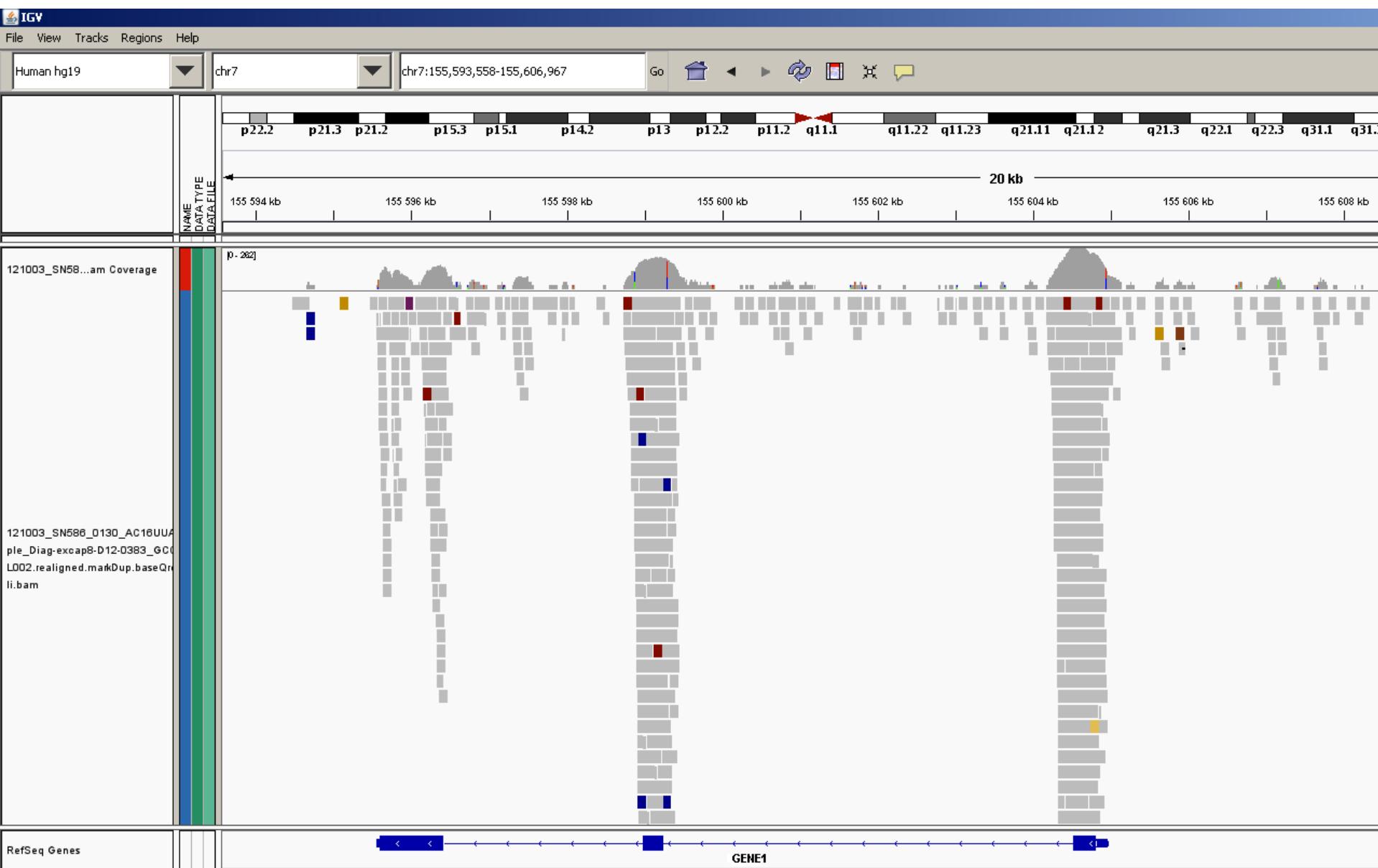


## WES & targeted panel

Mapping  
Alignment,  
Variant calling  
Final data +/- 10 GB

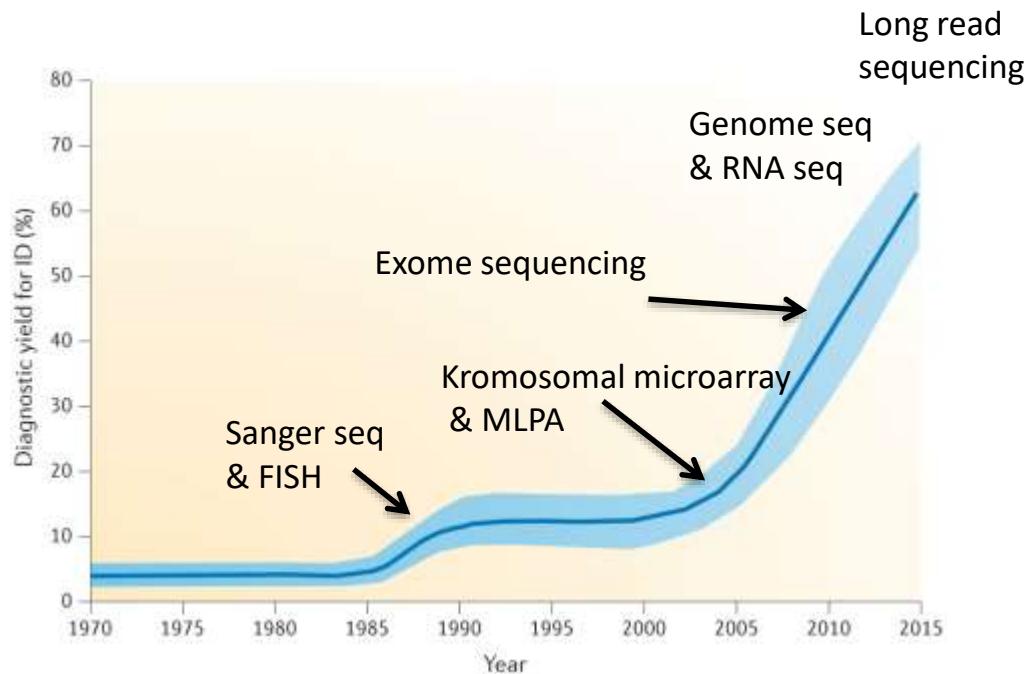


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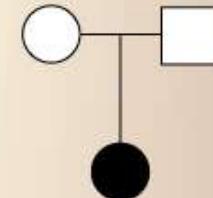




# Diagnostic yield has increased with technology



Trio analysis

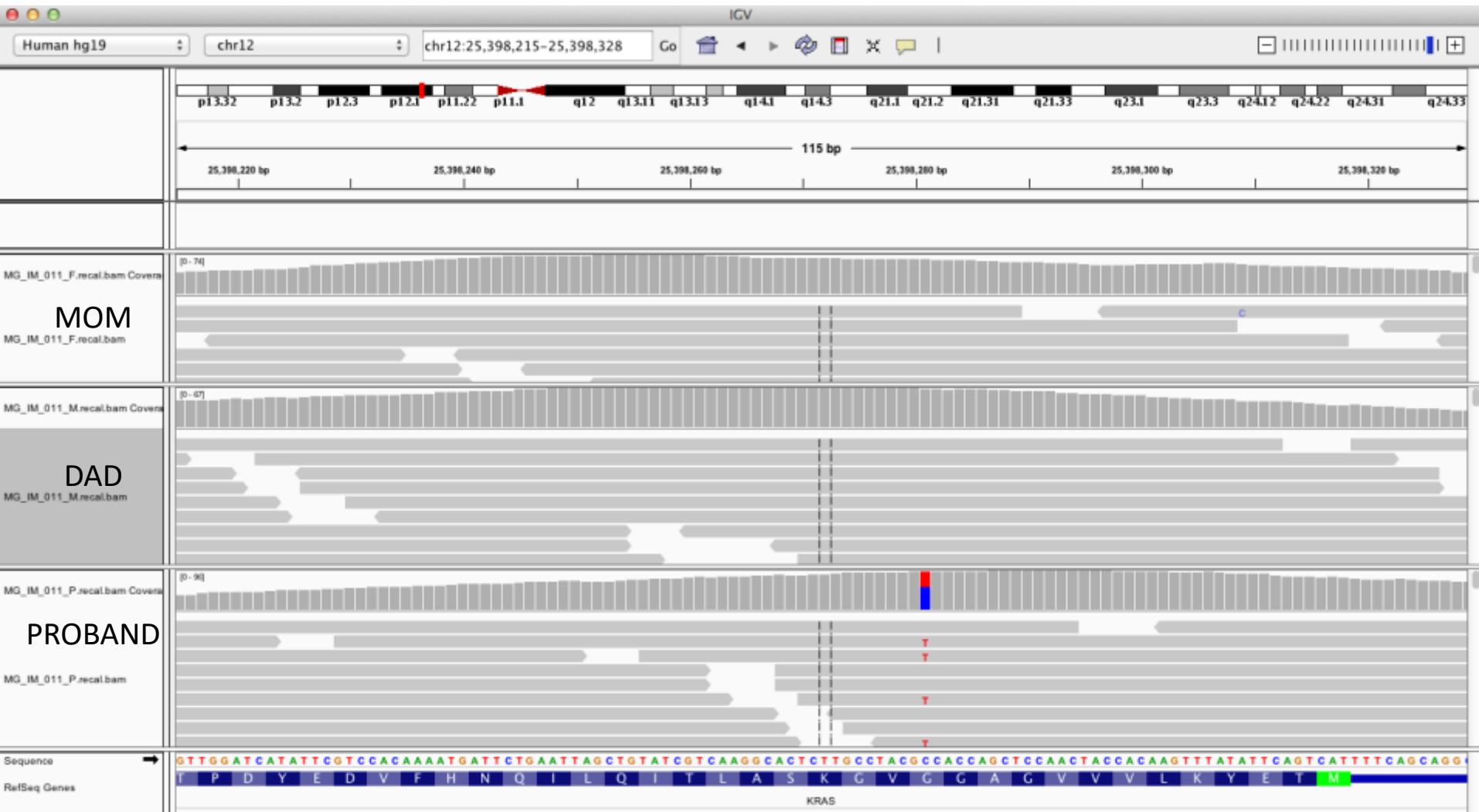


Sequence mother + father  
+ child

Genetic studies in intellectual disability and related disorders

Lisenka E. L. M. Vissers, Christian Gilissen & Joris A. Veltman

Nature Reviews Genetics 17, 9–18 (2016)



**KRAS 47%, c.38G>A, p.Gly13Asp, rs112445441**

**RAS associated lymphoproliferative disease Lanzarotti N et al, Blood 2014**

**A continuum from RALD to JMML Niemela JE et al Blood 2011, Calvo K et al, Blood 2015**

# Pitfalls of phenotype-specific panels

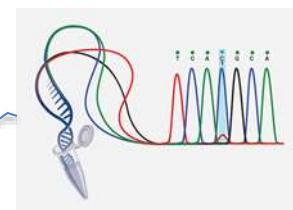
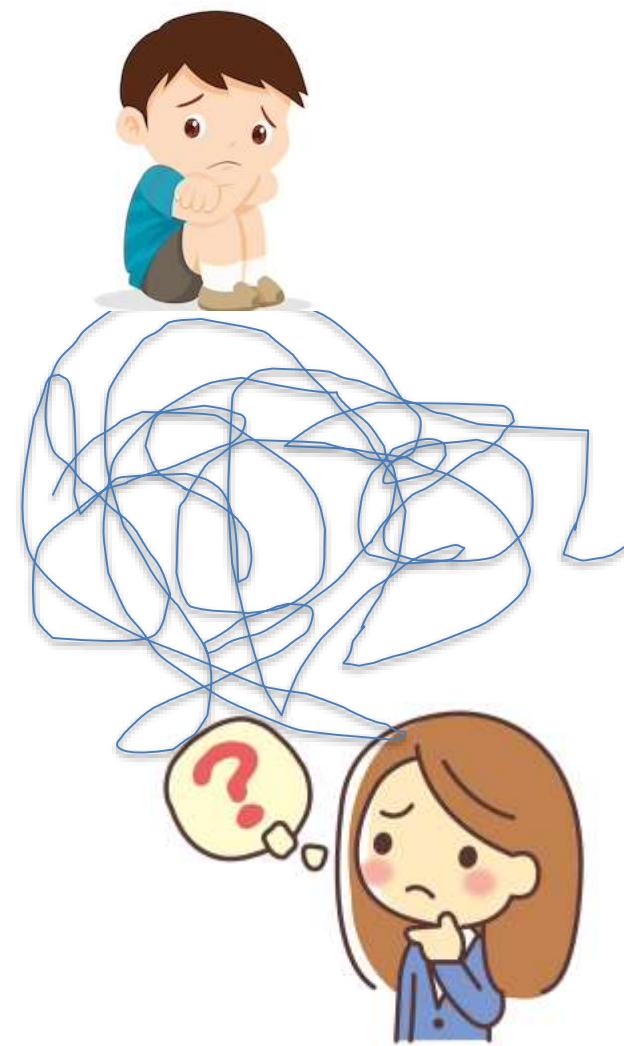
3y old daughter of non-consanguineous parents

- From birth: recurrent otitis, recurrent pneumonia
- 1y: steroid-dependent ITP
- Recurrent cellulitis
- Persistent hepatosplenomegaly and lymphadenopathy
- Persistent thrombocytopenia (30,000 cells/uL)
- Recurrent pericarditis and pleuritis with pancytopenia

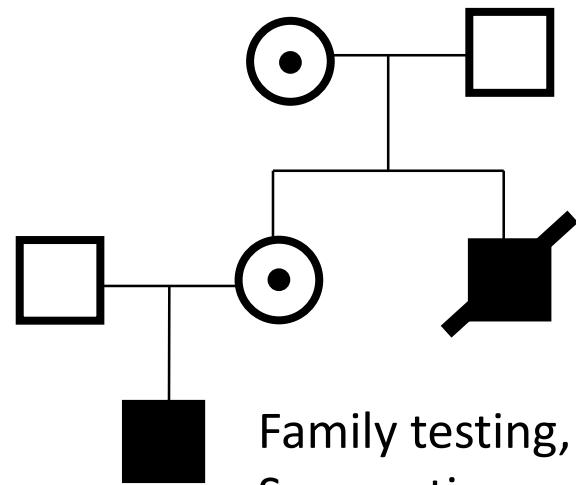
Laboratory evaluation:

- IgG 17 g/L, IgA 1 g/L, IgM 1,7 g/L
- DNT 4%
- Monocytosis 600 – 2,000/uL
- Vit B12 > 2000 pg/ml
- **ALPS panel: no mutations detected , WES: KRAS het c.38G>A, p.Gly13Asp**

# Before

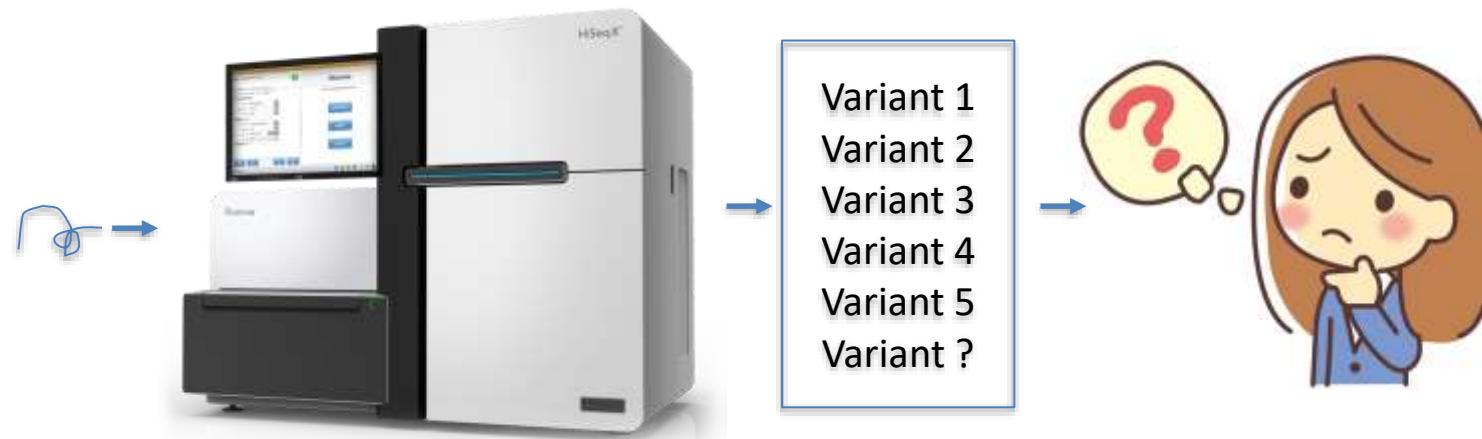


1 variant





# Now

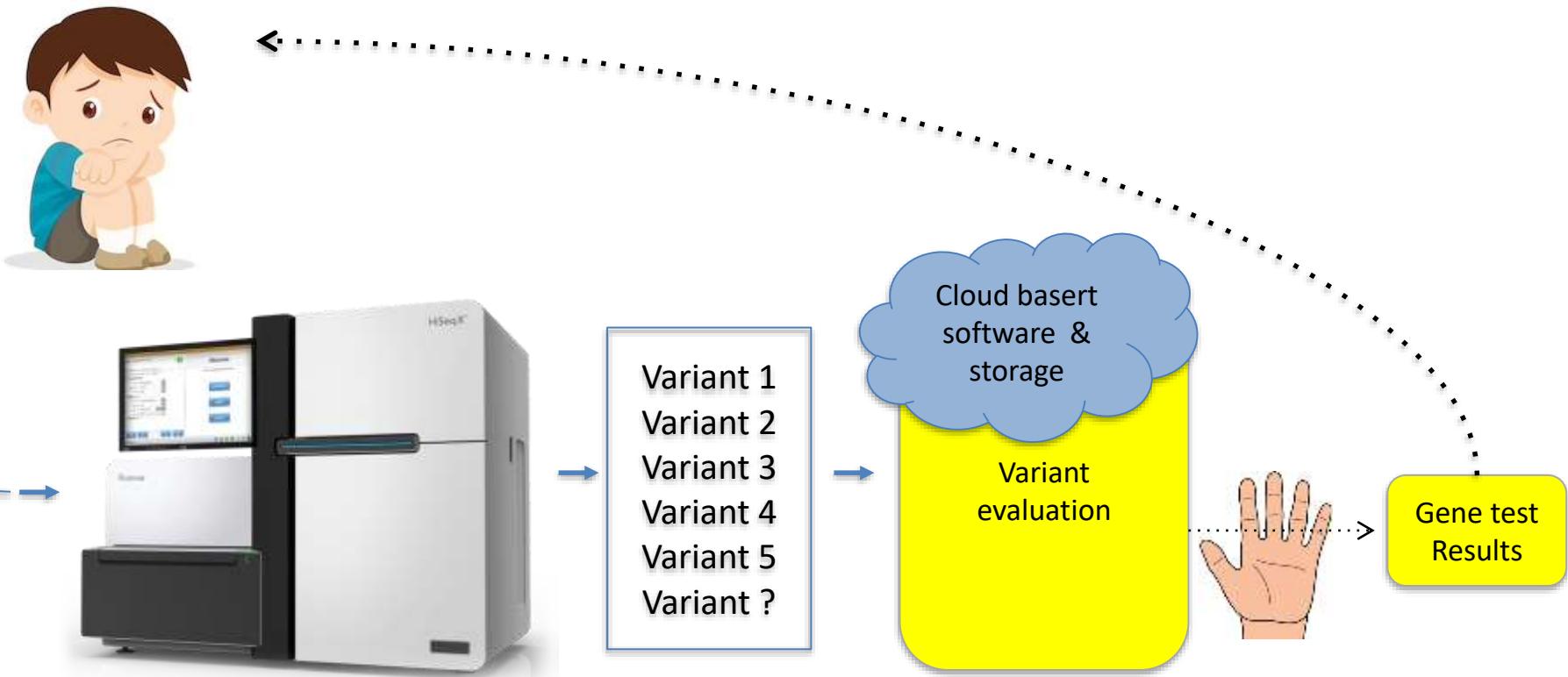


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**Custom-designed or Various approved software available (Cartagenia)**

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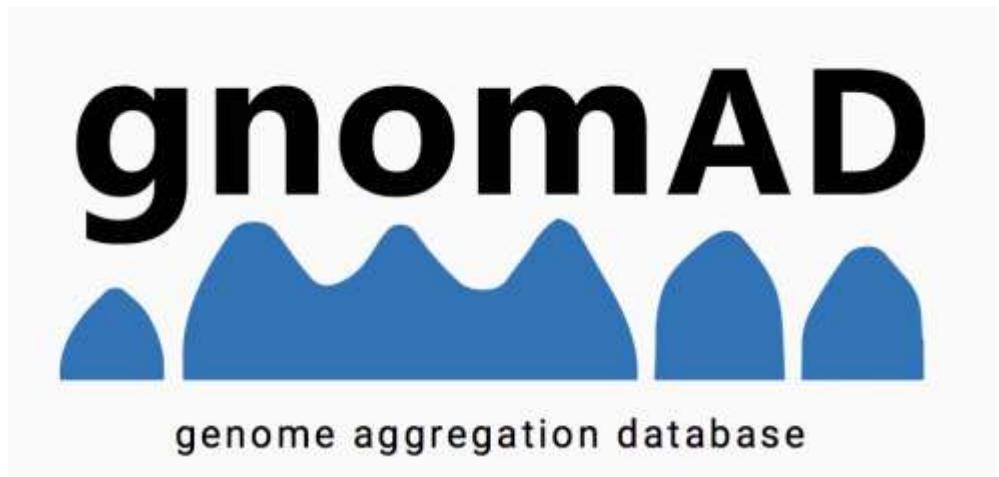
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# Evaluation of gene variants

- Raw data (Fastq ) **need safe storage**
- Aligned files (BAM) visualisation in IGV and Alamut **need flexible storage**
- Annotated files (csv) **need software (cloud based vs. local server)**
- Confirmation of the variant with Sanger seq or other method
- Familial segregation testing
- **Variant interpretation:**
  - Curated databases: HGMD, ClinVar
  - Frequency databases: GnomAD
  - Publications: pubmed, google
- Variant classification using the ACMG criteria
- Functional testing





<http://gnomad.broadinstitute.org>

# KRAS c.38G>A, p.Gly13Asp



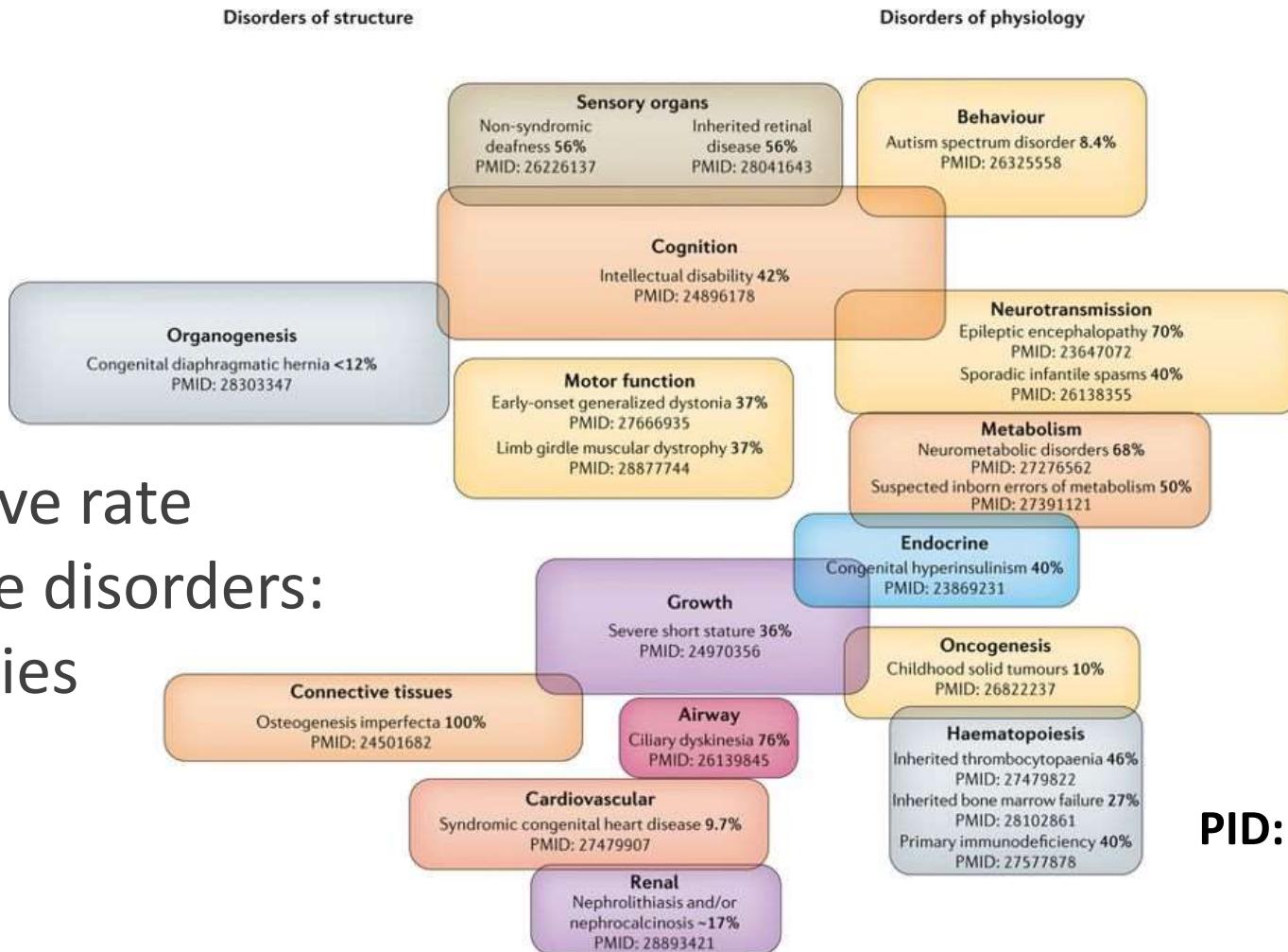
## Population Frequencies ⓘ

genome aggregation database

Population	Allele Count	Allele Number	Number of Homozygotes	Allele Frequency
African	0	16070	0	0.000
Latino	0	34438	0	0.000
Ashkenazi Jewish	0	9966	0	0.000
East Asian	0	18348	0	0.000
European (Finnish)	0	21602	0	0.000
European (non-Finnish)	0	112628	0	0.000
Other	0	6106	0	0.000
South Asian	0	30248	0	0.000
Female	0	114648	0	0.000
Male	0	134758	0	0.000
Total	0	249406	0	0.000

# Diagnostic yield has increased with technology

Solve rate  
rare disorders:  
varies



Nature Reviews | Genetics



# Primary Immunodeficiency Disorders (PIDs)

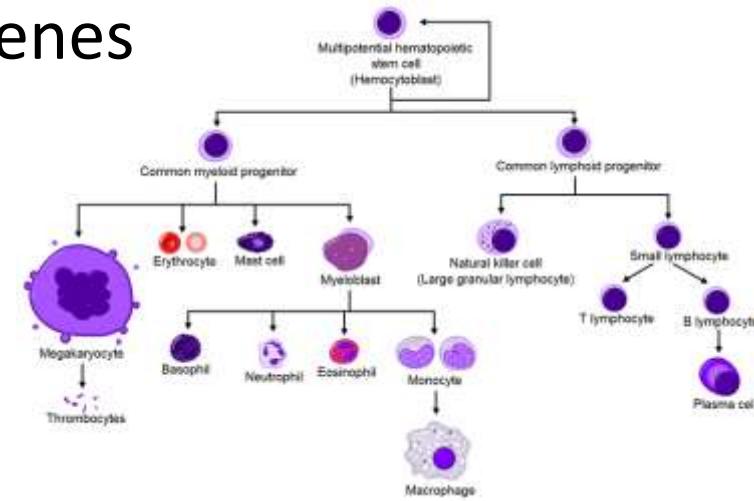
= Heterogeneous group:

- 300 different disease genes known
- Variable severity, different inheritance pattern
- Specific diagnosis may direct treatment
- ~50% patients without genetic diagnosis
- Many undiscovered disease genes

**Primary  
Immune  
Deficiency  
Disorders**

Congenital defects  
in the immune system  
and other bone marrow defects

“Experiments of nature”



# Strategy for our genetic analysis

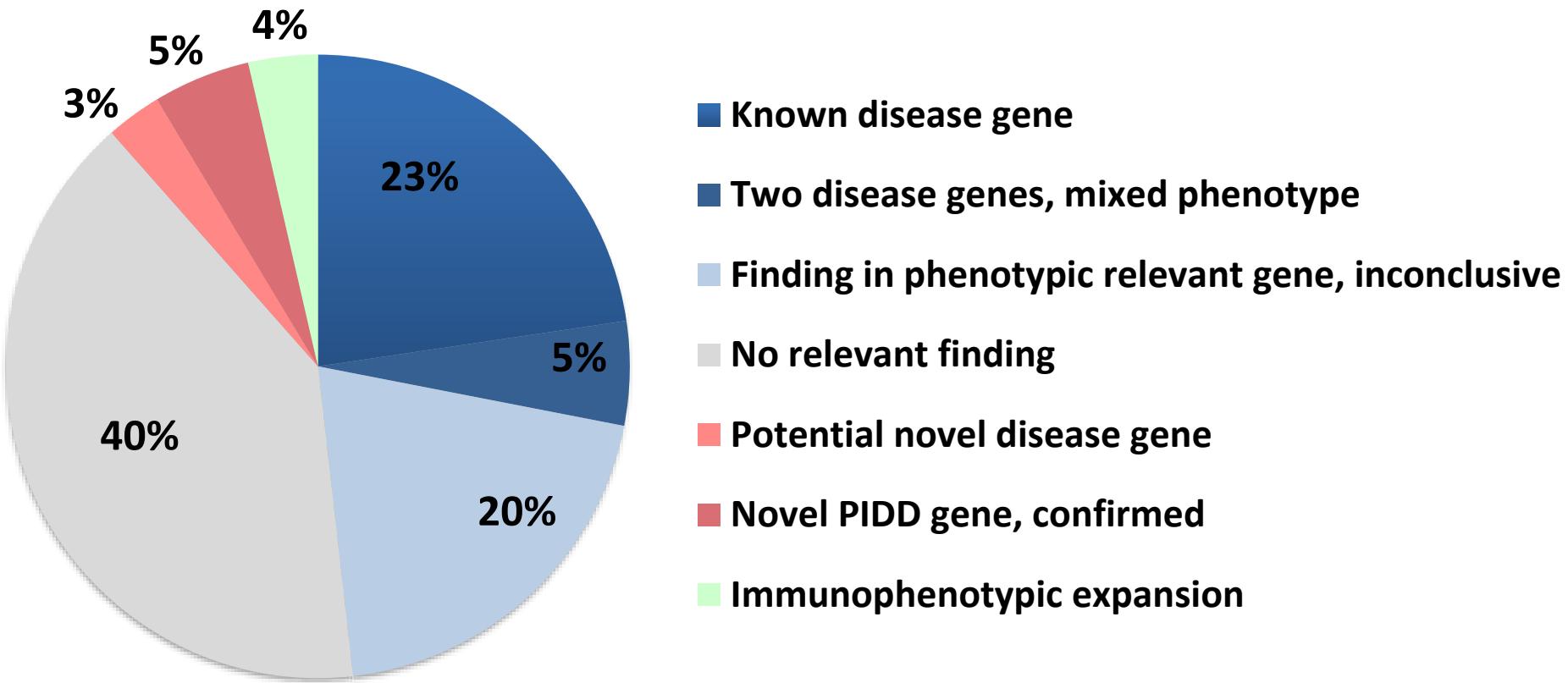
- approaching **all** PID phenotypes,  
immunodysregulation, autoinflammatory diseases  
as well as **inherited bone marrow failure syndromes**
- WES will yield unbiased and novel insights
- Proband sample
- +/- affected & unaffected family members
- PID gene list (330 genes, expanded to >440)
- All known disease causing genes
- **All** genes
- Copy number analyses in tandem with WES
  - Traditional diagnostic arrays
  - Customized exon tiling array
  - Bioinformatic prediction of CNV from WES data



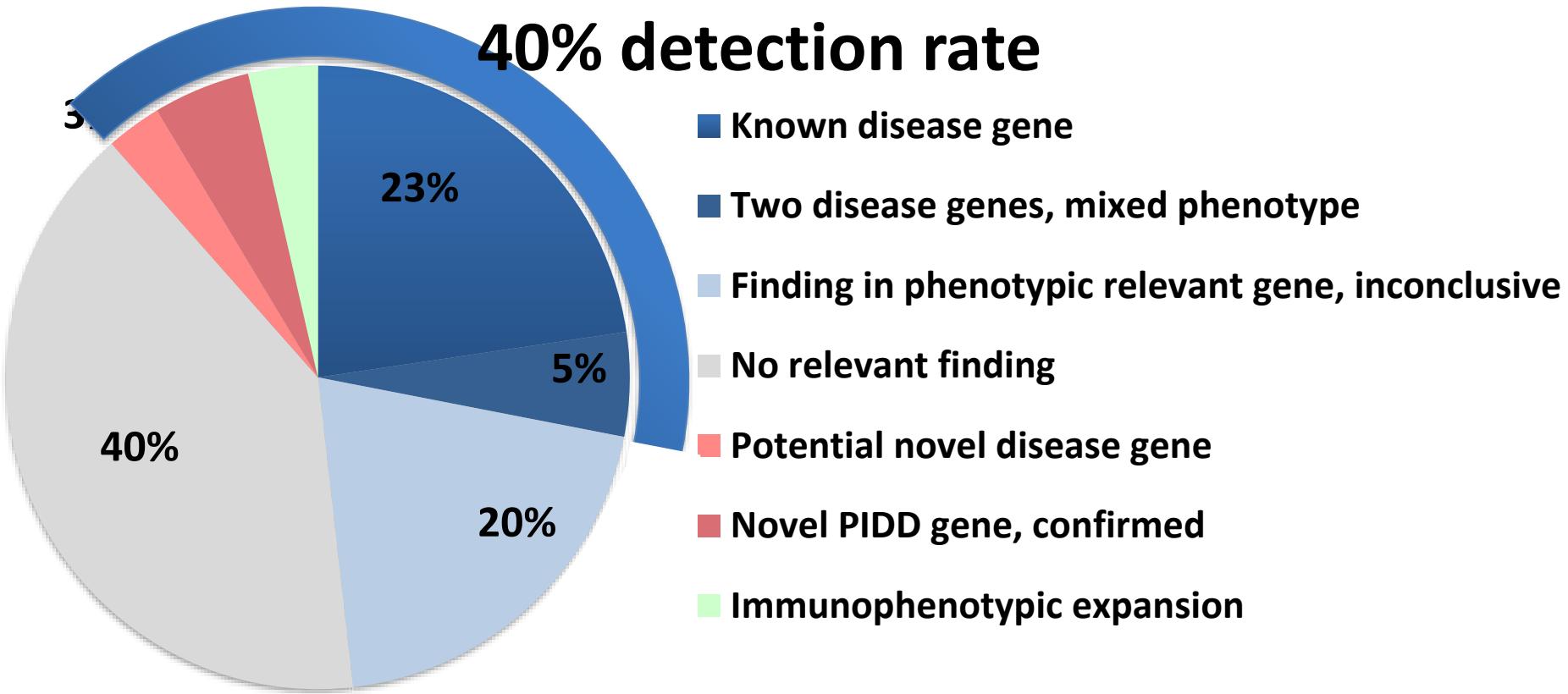
# Included PID families WES tested Oslo and Houston:

Clinical phenotypes <sup>a</sup> per family	CMG-BCM <sup>b</sup> Houston, USA	Oslo, Norway	Total
Antibody deficiency	14	2	16
Autoimmune disease	27	5	33
Autoinflammatory disorders	7	8	15
SCID	6	4	10
Combined of selective T cell defects	40	16	56
Common variable immunodeficiency (CVID)	13	7	20
Defects in Innate immunity	14	7	21
Lymphoproliferative or NK cell defects	53	9	62
Bone marrow failure or neutrophil defects	12	17	29
Syndromal PIDDs	14	3	17
Sum ready WES analyzed families	200	78	278
Total number of individuals WES analyzed	400	83	483

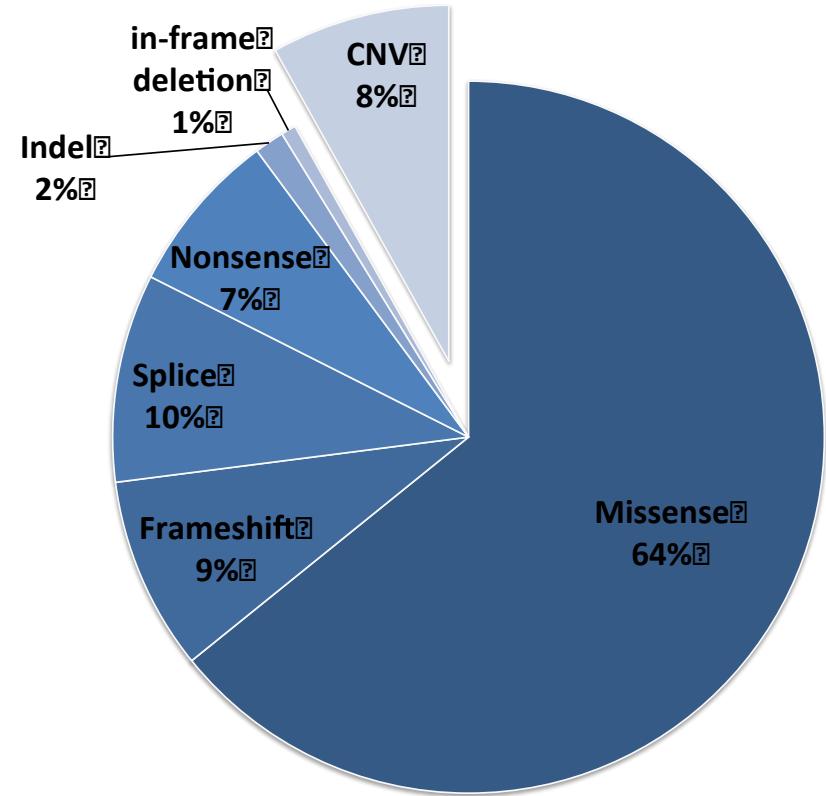
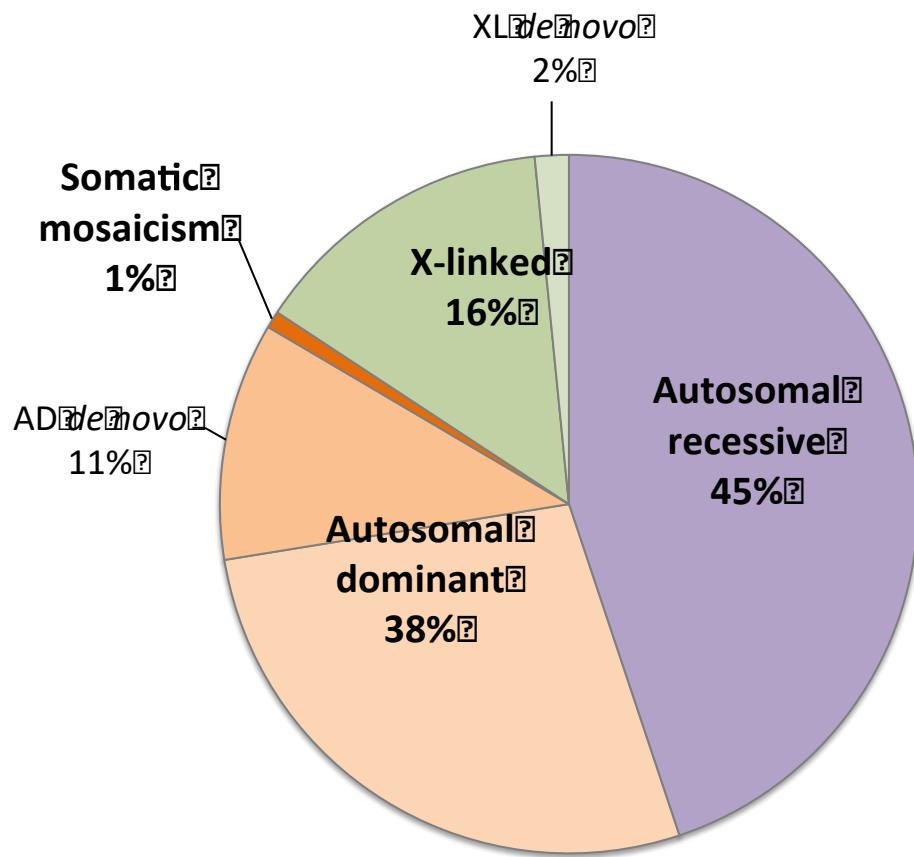
# WES results for 278 families with PID Analyzed at CMG BCM Houston & OUS Oslo:

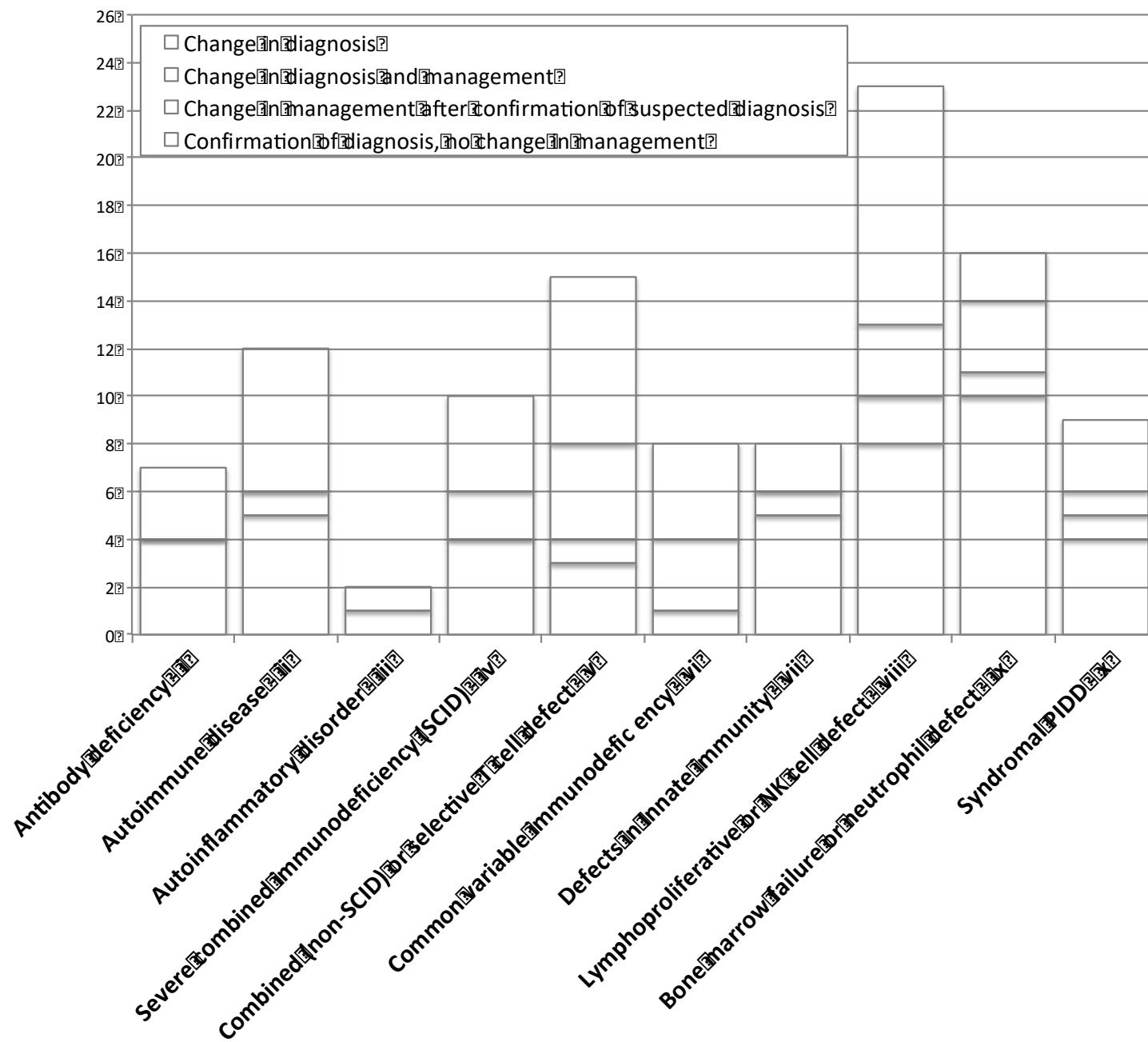


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# Inheritance patterns and variants detected

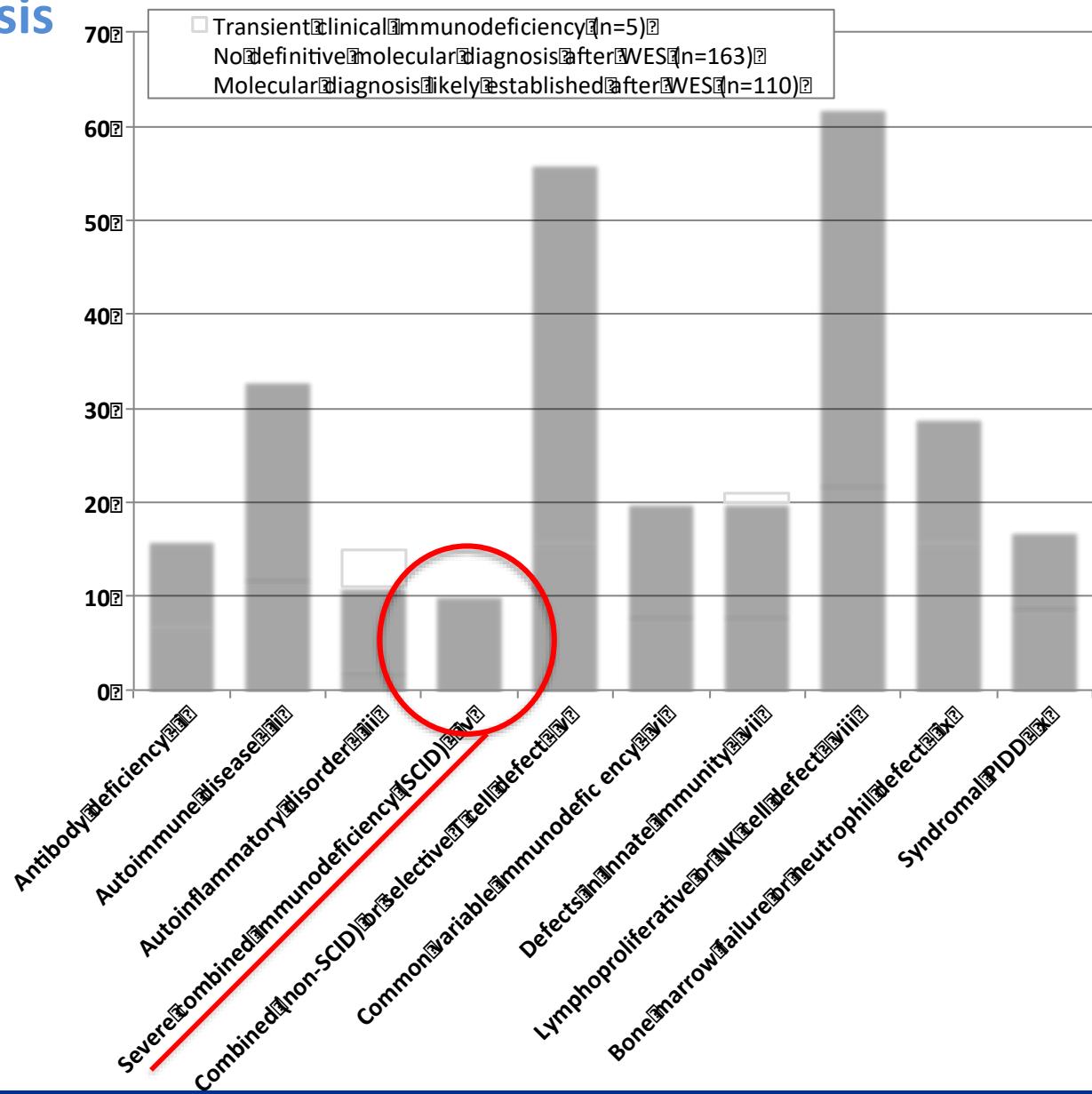




# Molecular diagnosis established:

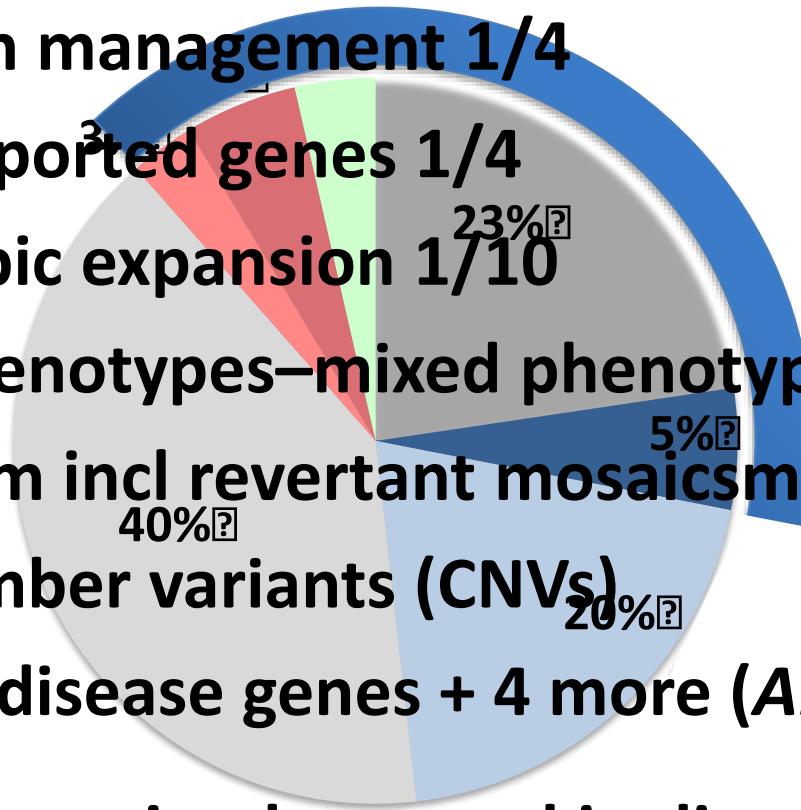
Overall: 40%

SCID: 100%



# Out of the 110 ‘solved’ by WES:

- Change in diagnosis: 1/2
- Change in management 1/4
- Newly reported genes 1/4
- Phenotypic expansion 1/10
- Double genotypes—mixed phenotypes
- Mosaicism incl revertant mosaicism
- Copy number variants (CNVs)
- 16 novel disease genes + 4 more (*ARPC1B, CDC42*)



→ NGS now implemented in diagnostics for PID

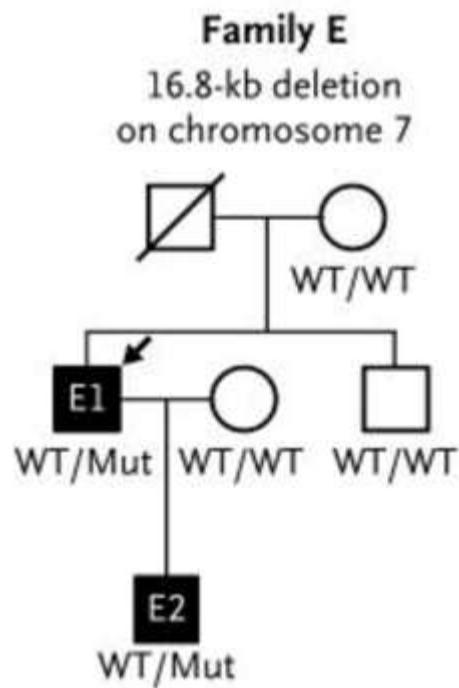
# Copy number variants in WES tested PID patients

Gender	Age	Diagnosis pre-WES (PIDD subgroup)	PIDD gene involved	Inheritance pattern for disease	Mutation type	Size of CNV	State	Affected family members
Male	13y	Hoyeraaal Hreidarssons syndrome, X linked (ix)	<b>DCK1</b>	XL	Duplication	14 kb	Hemi	3
Male	NA	Combined immunodeficiency (v)	<b>DOCK8</b>	AR	Deletion	355 kb	Hom	2
Female	5y	HLH and NK cell defect (viii)	<b>DOCK8</b>	AR	Deletion	84 kb	Hom	1
Female	34y	Fanconi anemia, mild (ix)	<b>FANCA</b>	AR	Deletion	22-24.6 kb	Het	2
Male	30y	Agammaglobulinemia (i)	<b>IKZF1</b>	AD	Deletion	16.8 kb (exons 4-5)	Het	1
Female	2y	SCID, later debut (iv)	<b>IL7R</b>	AR	Deletion	224 kb (exon 3)	Het	1
Male	16y	Immunodeficiency, X linked, extensive warts (v)	<b>MAGT1</b>	XL	Deletion	16 kb	Het	2
Female	8y	Immunodeficiency, progressive bone marrow failure. Short stature, dysmorphic facial features. (x)	<b>MYB</b>	AD	Deletion	3.4 Mb	Het	1
Female	71y	Chronic Granulomatous Disease (ix)	<b>NCF1</b>	AR	Deletion	15 kb	Hom	1
Male	6y	T and B cell deficiency and neutropenia (iv)	<b>PGM3</b>	AR	Deletion	1.24 Mb	Het	3
Female	4y	Immunosseous dysplasia (x)	<b>SMARCAL1</b>	AR	Deletion	1.6 kb	Hom	1
Male	49y	Dyskeratosis Congenita, progressive bone marrow failure, Short telomere lengths (ix)	<b>TERC</b>	AD	Deletion	3 kb	Het	1

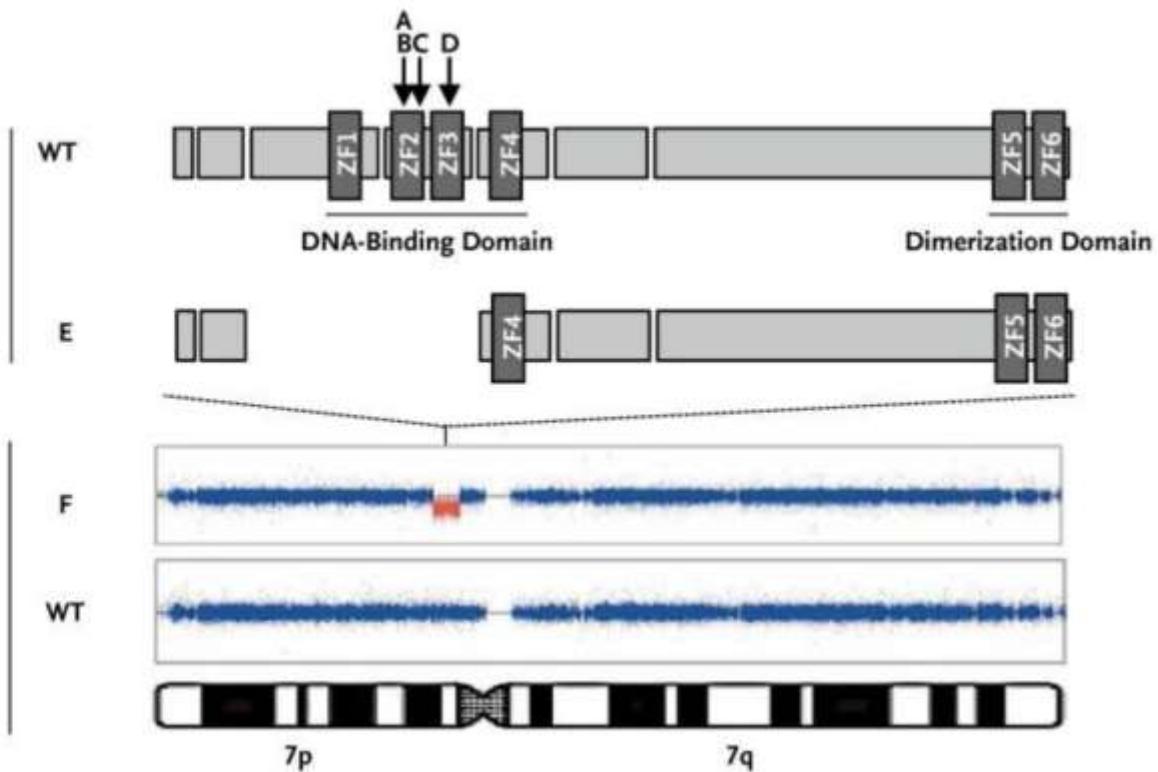


# *IKZF1 deletion*

**16.8 kb in-frame deletion exons 4 and 5,  
loss of zinc fingers 1, 2, and 3  
in the DNA binding domain**



Chromosome 7

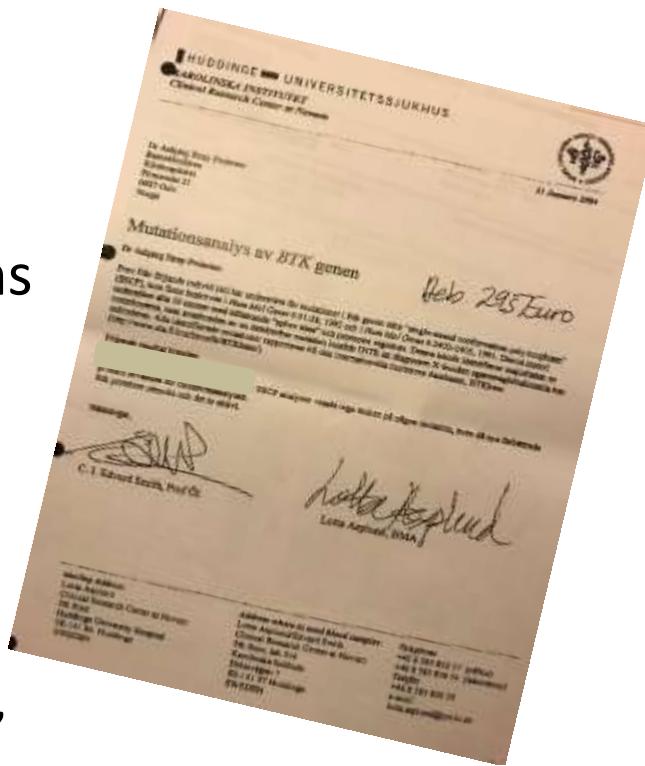


Loss of B Cells in Patients with Heterozygous Mutations in IKAROS  
Keuhn et al *N Engl J Med.* 2016 Mar 17; 374(11): 1032–1043

# *IKZF1* deletion

## Father

- Recurrent infections from 1<sup>st</sup> month of life
- Pneumococcal infections
- Low IgG at 4 years old
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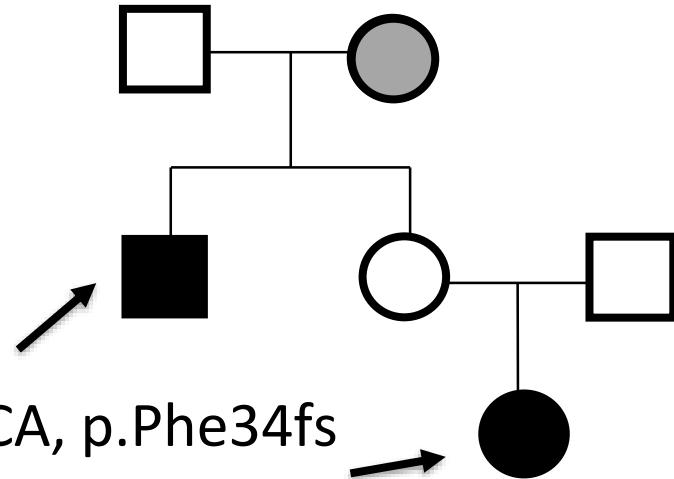
## Son

- **No symptoms at 7 years old** when he received the molecular diagnosis
- IgG 4.2 g/L
- B cells low
- No vaccination response
- Started Sclg Hizentra
- **Presymptomatic testing in the child was allowed since it had consequences for treatment**

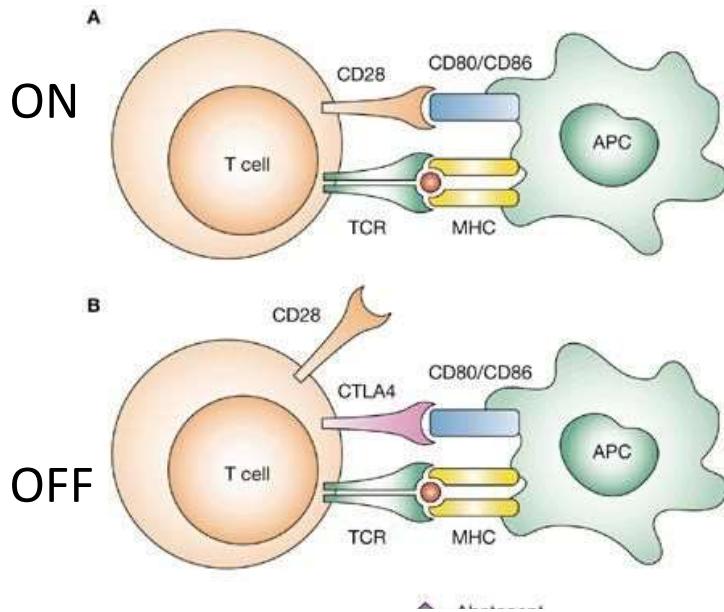
# Molecular finding directing treatment

Two affected, uncle and niece with

- pure cell anemia, thrombocytopenia,
  - atypical infections
  - and enteritis/colitis in the family
  - Whole exome sequencing:
  - *CTLA4* (NM\_005214) c.101\_102insCATCA, p.Phe34fs
  - = CTLA4 deficiency
  - autoimmune cytopenia and immunodeficiency fits
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- Directive for treatment Abatacept : CTLA4-Ig
  - Hb 5 -> Hb14, and improved health condition

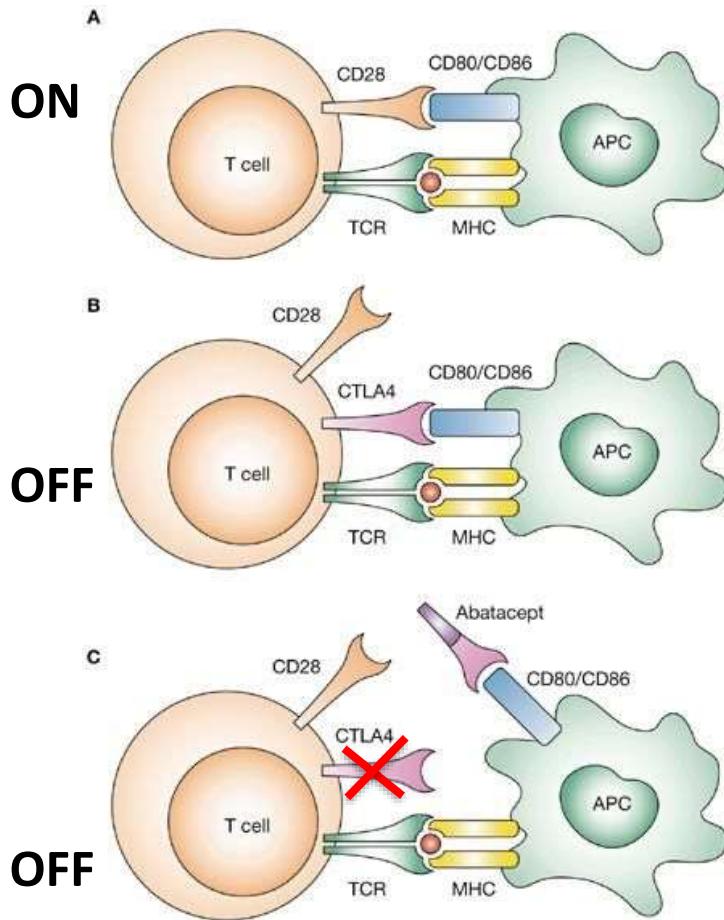


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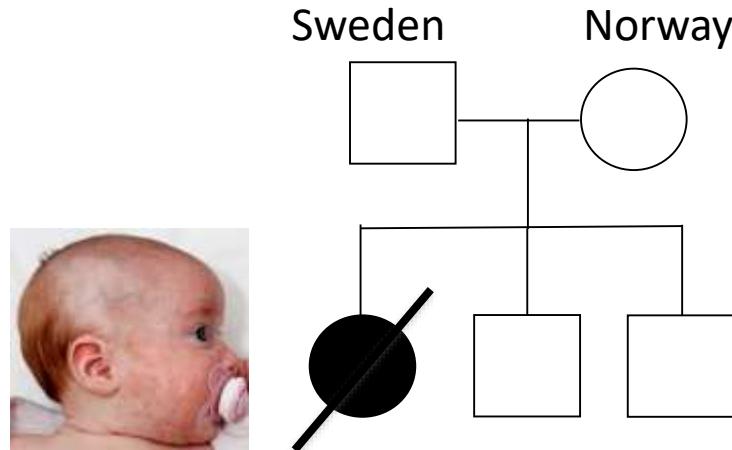
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- **Abatacept** CTLA4-Ig is a fusion protein composed of the Fc region of the immunoglobulin IgG1 fused to the extracellular domain of CTLA4
- Turns the autoimmunity off

CTLA4 deficiency with Abatacept treatment

# Severe autoinflammatory disorder?

- Extramedullary hematopoiesis from birth with
- ‘blueberry muffin’ lesions
- Rash changed to maculo/papulous exanthema, migrating
- Anemia, low platelets – transfusion dependent
- Developed hepatosplenomegaly during first weeks of life
- Fever and infections
- NOMID suspected, received Anakinra, non-responsive
- CRP, SR and Ferritin elevated
- Developed HLH. Treated with HLH-2004 protocol: steroids, etopocid, sandimmune/cyclosporine
- Yenane&Henter: no HLH gene mutations
- Newcastle – no causative molecular diagnosis, likely sec HLH.
- Maternal Haplo graft, died 1 week after HSCT

# Severe autoinflammatory disorder?



*Sanger seq with normal results prior to WES:*

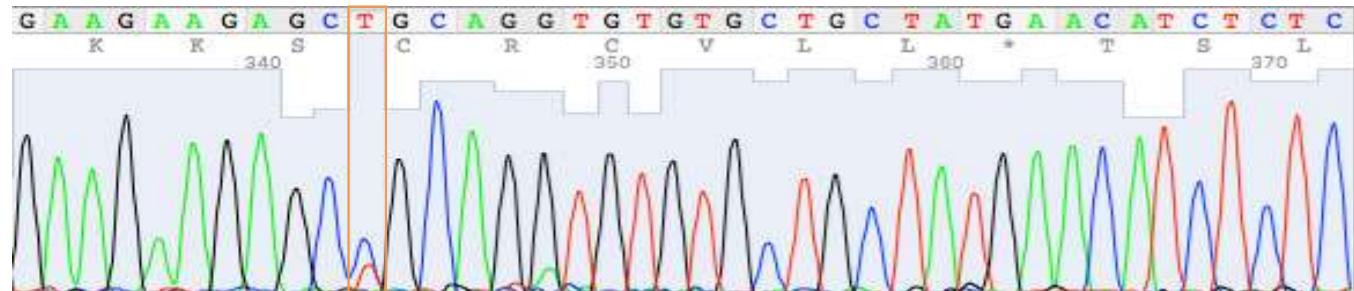
*NLRP3, IL1RN, LPIN2, NOD2, MEFV, TNFRSF1A, PSTPIP1, MVK, PSMB8*

aCGH normal

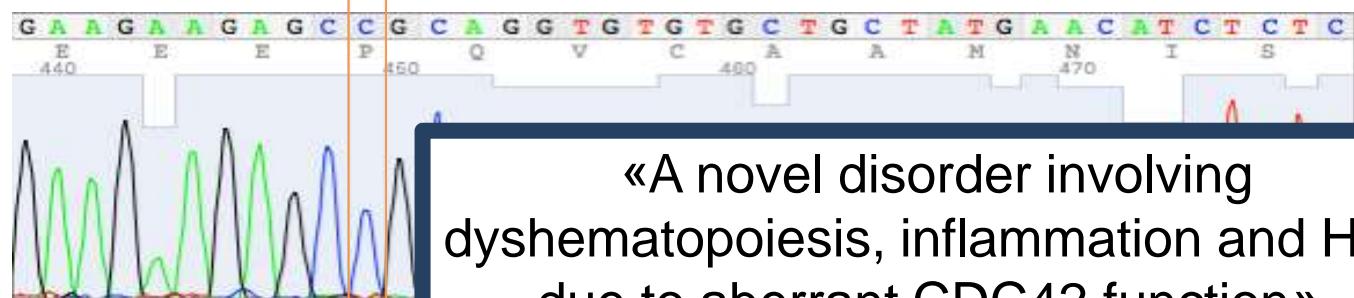
Heterozygous *de novo* (not inherited) variant  
*CDC42* (NM\_001791) c.556C>T, p.Arg186Cys

# CDC42

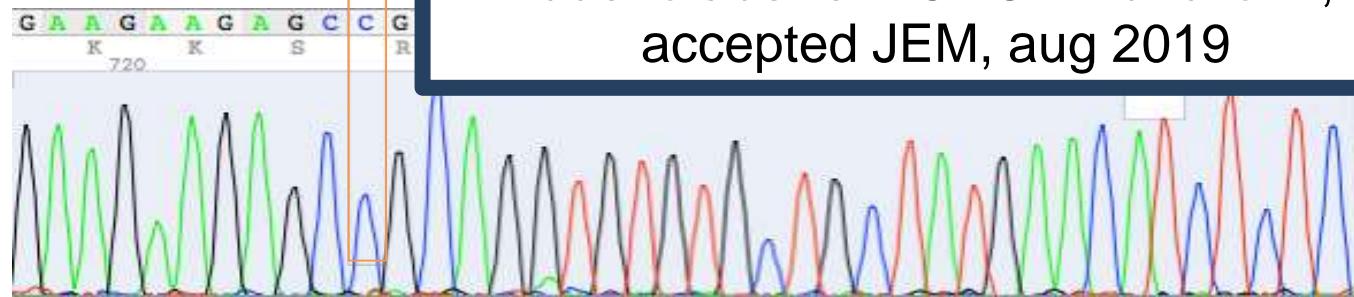
(Proband): C>T  
[C/T]



(Mother): C  
[C/C]



(Father): C  
[C/C]



«A novel disorder involving dyshematopoiesis, inflammation and HLH due to aberrant CDC42 function», accepted JEM, aug 2019

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# «Tinder» for geneticists

- Decipher  **DECIPHER**  
GRCh37
- Gene Matcher  **GENE**  
**MATCHER**
- Matchmaker Exchange



**Global Alliance**  
for Genomics & Health  
Collaborate. Innovate. Accelerate.

# What have we learned

- WES and WGS are efficient methods to establish a genetic diagnosis.
- Genomic approach -> Unexpected findings
- **Discover novel genes**, novel disease mechanisms
- One obstacle: **Turn-around-time**
- **Success factor #1: Dynamic team lab/clinician.**
- **Structural abnormalities** may be detected on WGS,
- **Copy number variants** may be detected on WES, also smaller CNVs, given a bioinformatic pipeline
- **New recommendations for molecular diagnostics....**



# Diagnostics PIDD – Recommendations:

1

## Rapid molecular testing w/limited capture kit

targeting for

- a. Common disease causing genes
- b. Actionable gene variant
- c. genes causing severe phenotypes requiring a rapid molecular diagnosis
  - WIRECs on Newborn Screening for SCID
    - Lymphoproliferative disorders. Bone marrow failure syndromes

*lighter, quicker, cheaper*



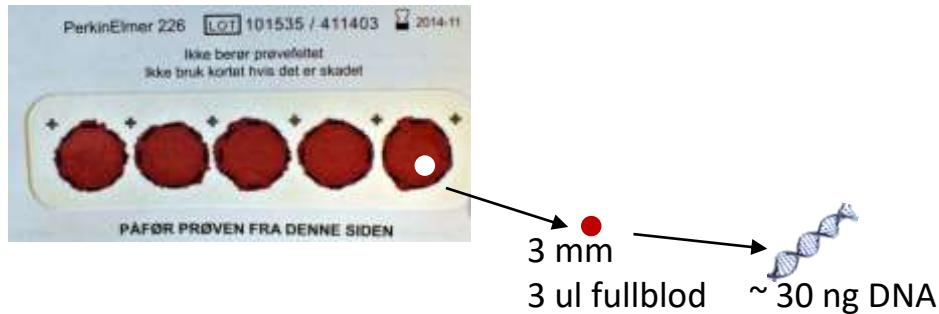
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## WES or WGS diagnostics

- a. Gene candidate list, large & frequently updated list
- b. Diagnostics: Variants in other disease causing OMIM genes
- c. Research: Variants in other genes

*Novel genes, unexpected findings*

**Rask identifisering  
av alvorlig medfødte  
behandlbare tilstander hos barn  
ved bruk av ny teknologi  
i nyfødtcreening**



# Variant of uncertain significance (VUS)



Pathogenic	5
Likely pathogenic	4
<b>Variant of uncertain significance</b>	<b>3</b>
Likely benign	2
Benign	1

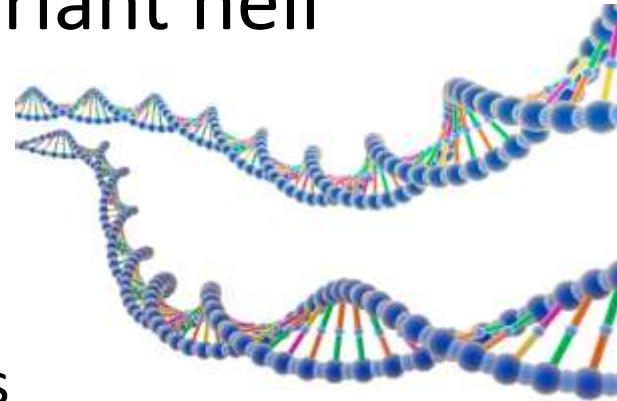
VUS is NOT a yellow light!  
Most likely a benign, rare variant  
Functional validation is essential

ACMG criteria: Genet Med. 2015 May; 17(5): 405–424.

The American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics (ACMG)

# How to avoid variant hell

- In the lab,
- Clinical genetics,
- Genetic counselor,
- Other physicians/pediatricians,
- For patient/families

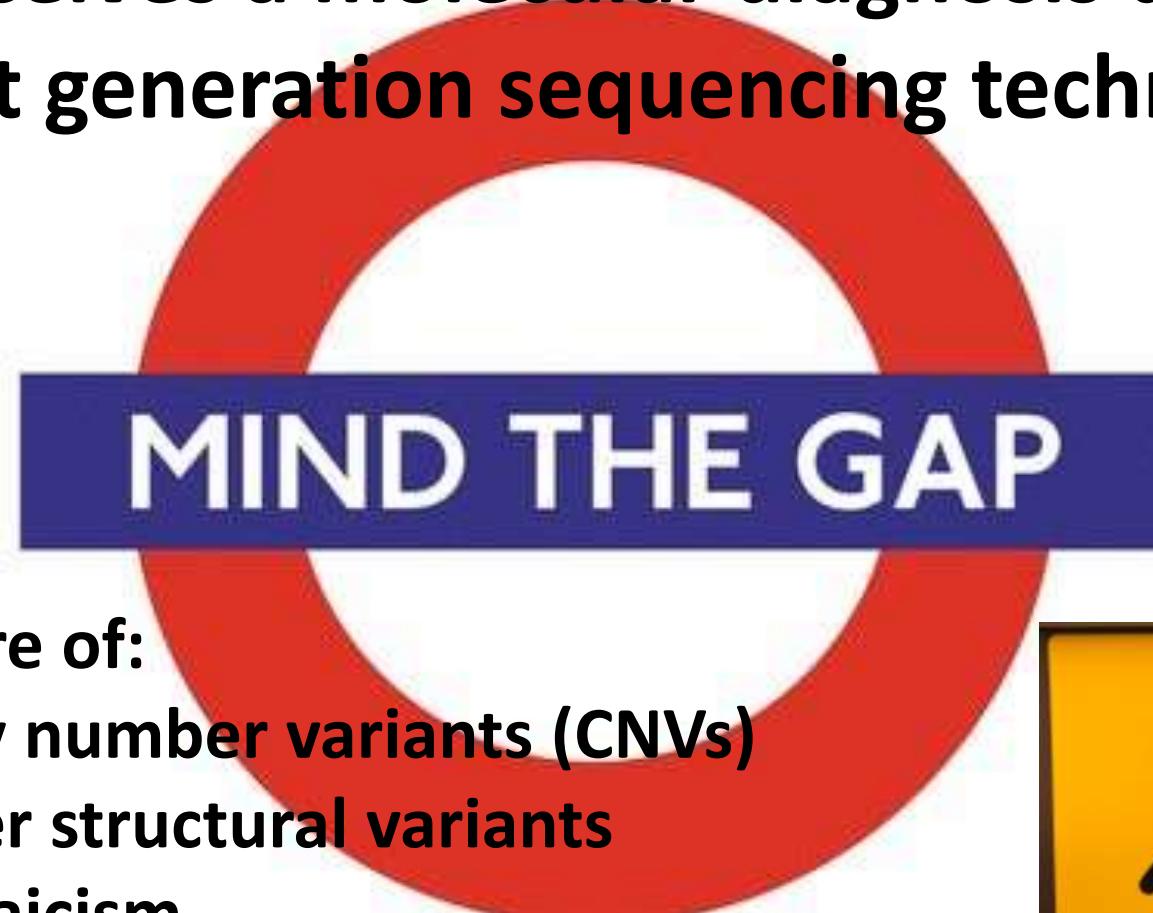


Sharing of data incl Scandinavian variants,  
Uniform/harmonized format/software for  
sharing of variant data with classification



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As of 2019 < 50% with PIDD receives a molecular diagnosis using next generation sequencing techniques



Be aware of:

- Copy number variants (CNVs)
- Other structural variants
- Mosaicism
- 'Silent' mutations

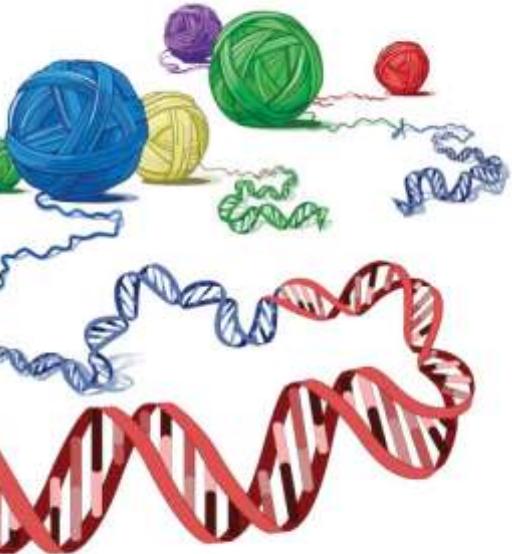


# Why extended genetic testing?

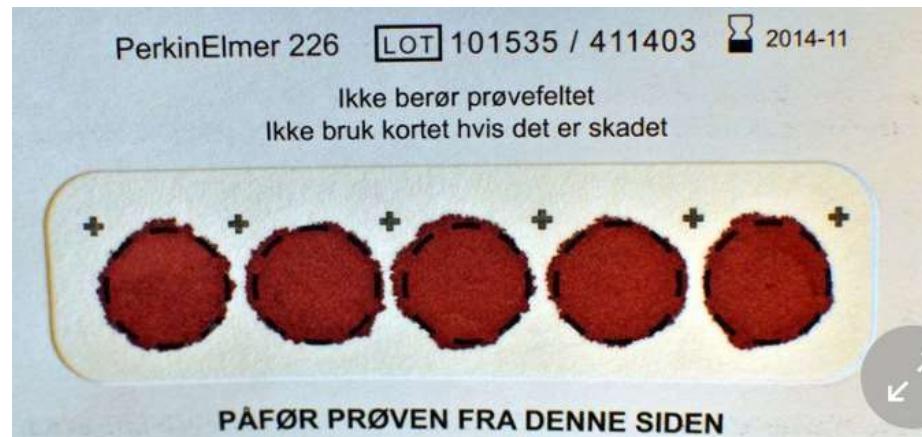
Answers and actions:

- Specific molecular diagnosis
- Improved follow-up
- Targeted treatment
- Personalized medicine
- Prenatal diagnostics





# GENetikk & SCID





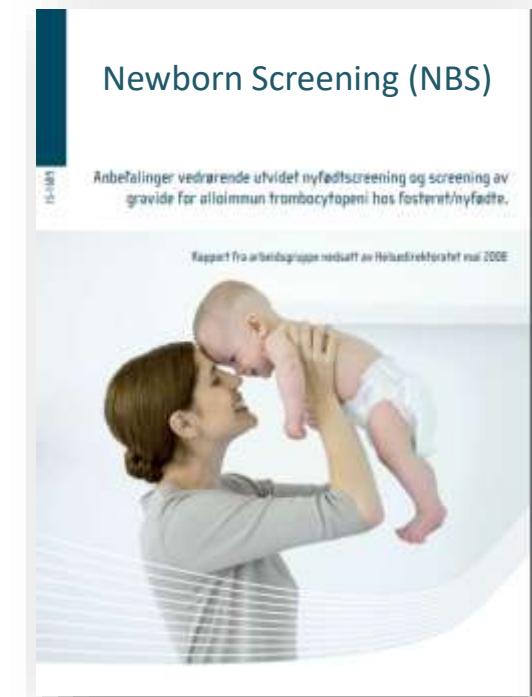
# Norwegian National Unit for Newborn Screening



- Nationwide service
- 60.000 newborns/year

Located at Oslo University Hospital

- Mandate to screen for severe and treatable congenital disorders



# Norwegian National Unit for Newborn Screening testing 25 diseases as of 2019:

- Aminoacidopathies
  - PKU, MSUD, TYR I, HCY
- Organic acidurias
  - PROP, MMA, IVA, HCS/MCD,
  - βKT, GA1, BIOT, HMG
- Beta-oxidation & carnitine cycle defects
  - MCAD, LCHAD, VLCAD, TFP,
  - CUD, CPTI, CPTII, CACT, GA2
- Endocrinopathies
  - CH, CAH
- Cystic fibrosis
- SCID pilot sept 2015, nationwide jan 2018

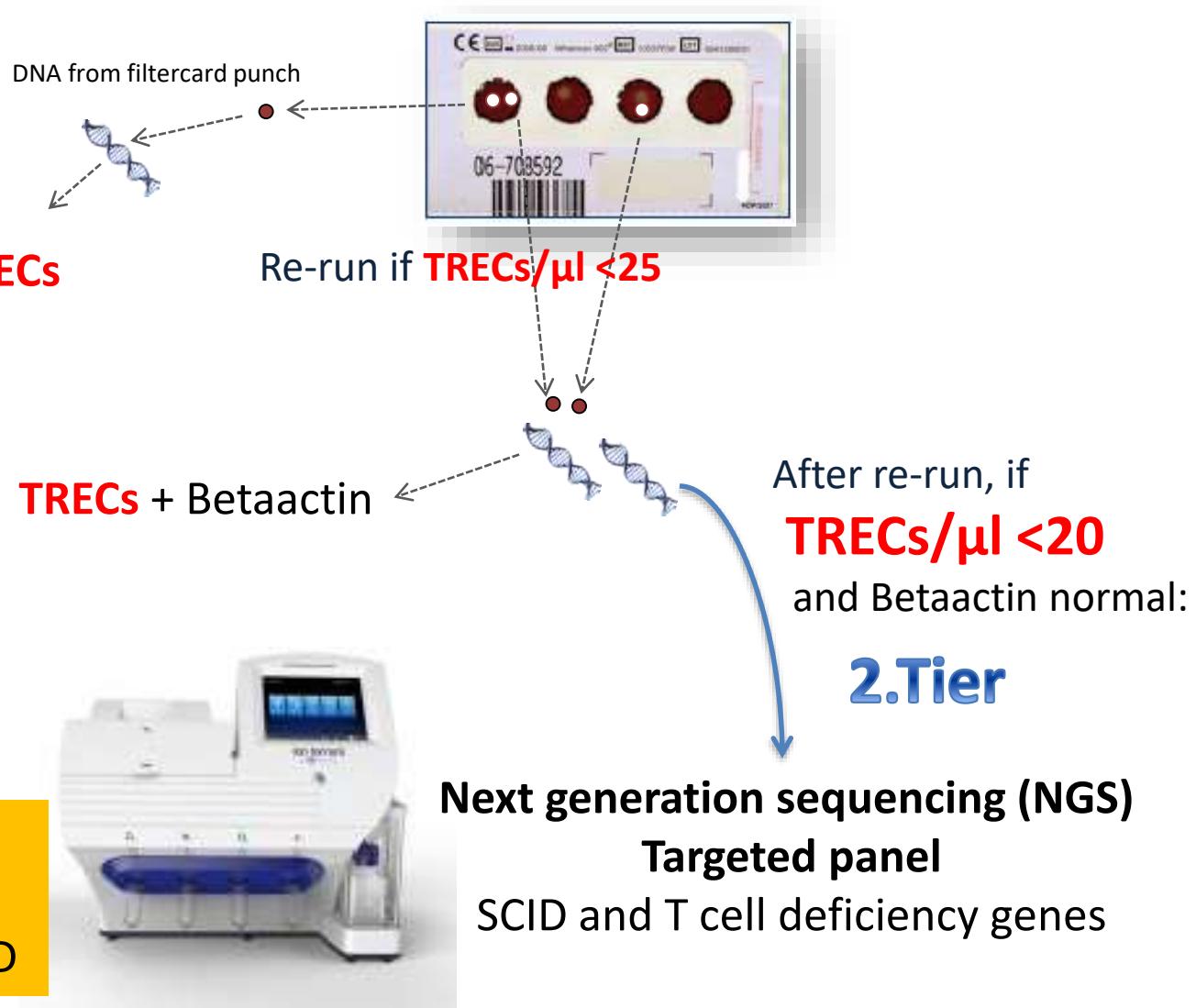


# Newborn SCID screening algorithm

## 1.Tier test



RT-PCR\*



# We were lucky



**"Tobias is now healthy thanks to a heel stick"**

**Tobias was saved from Severe Combined Immunodeficiency  
since he participated in a Newborn Screening pilot project.**

*Norwegian Newspaper A-magasinet 1.june 2017*

# Newborn **SCID** screening Norway

## Pilot project - prospective :

- Written consent
- Sept 2015 – Dec 2017
- 21 000 TREC tested
- 10 cards gene panel tested
- 3 newborns with SCID
  - **IL2RG** defect -> transplanted
  - **RAG2 leaky** -> transplanted
  - **RMRP**-cartilage hair hypoplasia and total Hirschprung

## Nationwide screening:

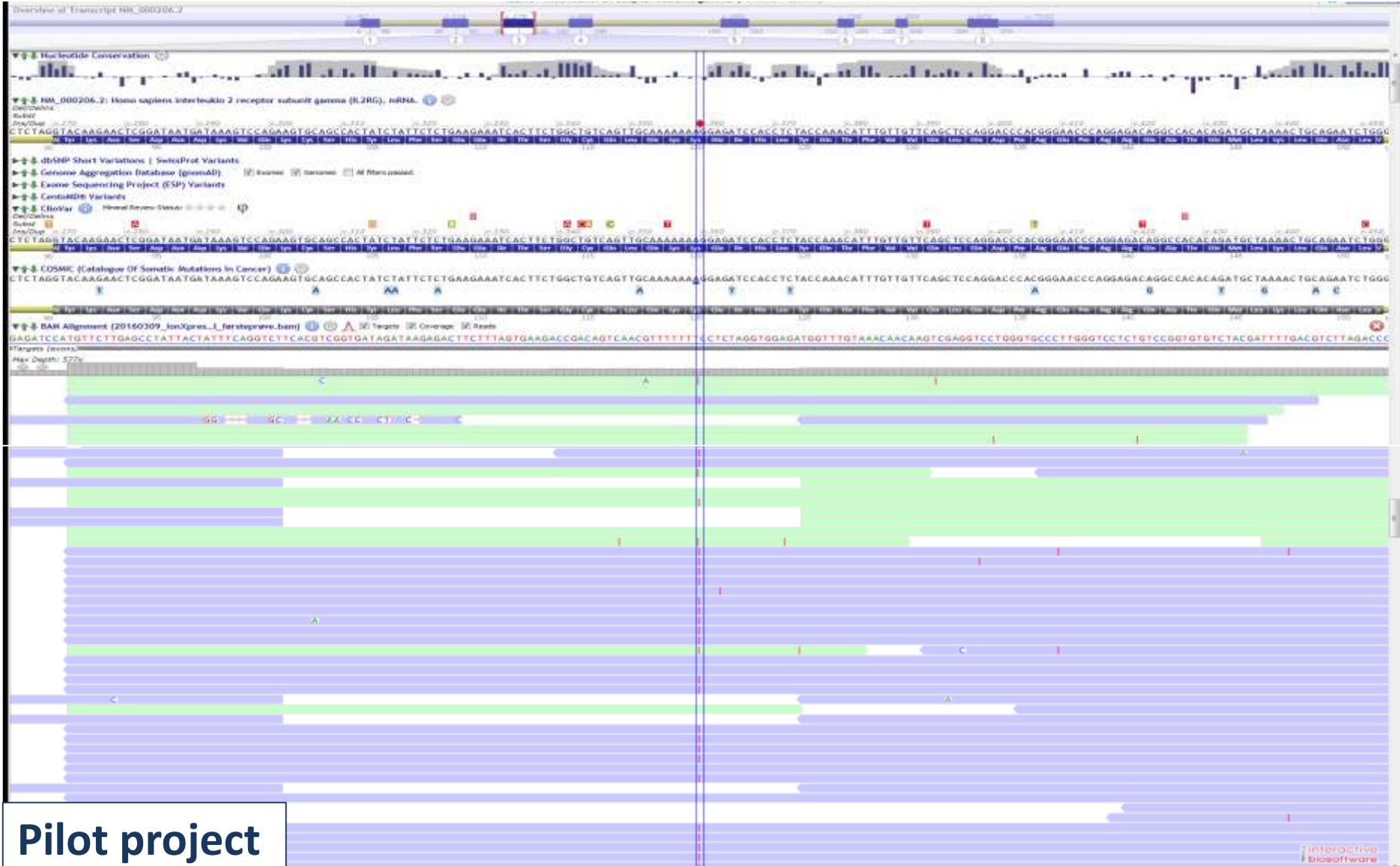
- Informed consent
- Started 1.Jan 2018
- >88 000 as of 5.Sept 2019
- 29 cards gene panel tested
- 4 with SCID:
  - **Artemis, radiosensitive type**  
**T-B-NK+ SCID** -> transplanted
  - **JAK3 defect** -> transplanted
  - **NBN T-B-NK+ SCID**
  - **IL2RG defect**

**New patients** referred from hospitals outside pilot region

**Retrospective** study of patients with known immunodeficiency

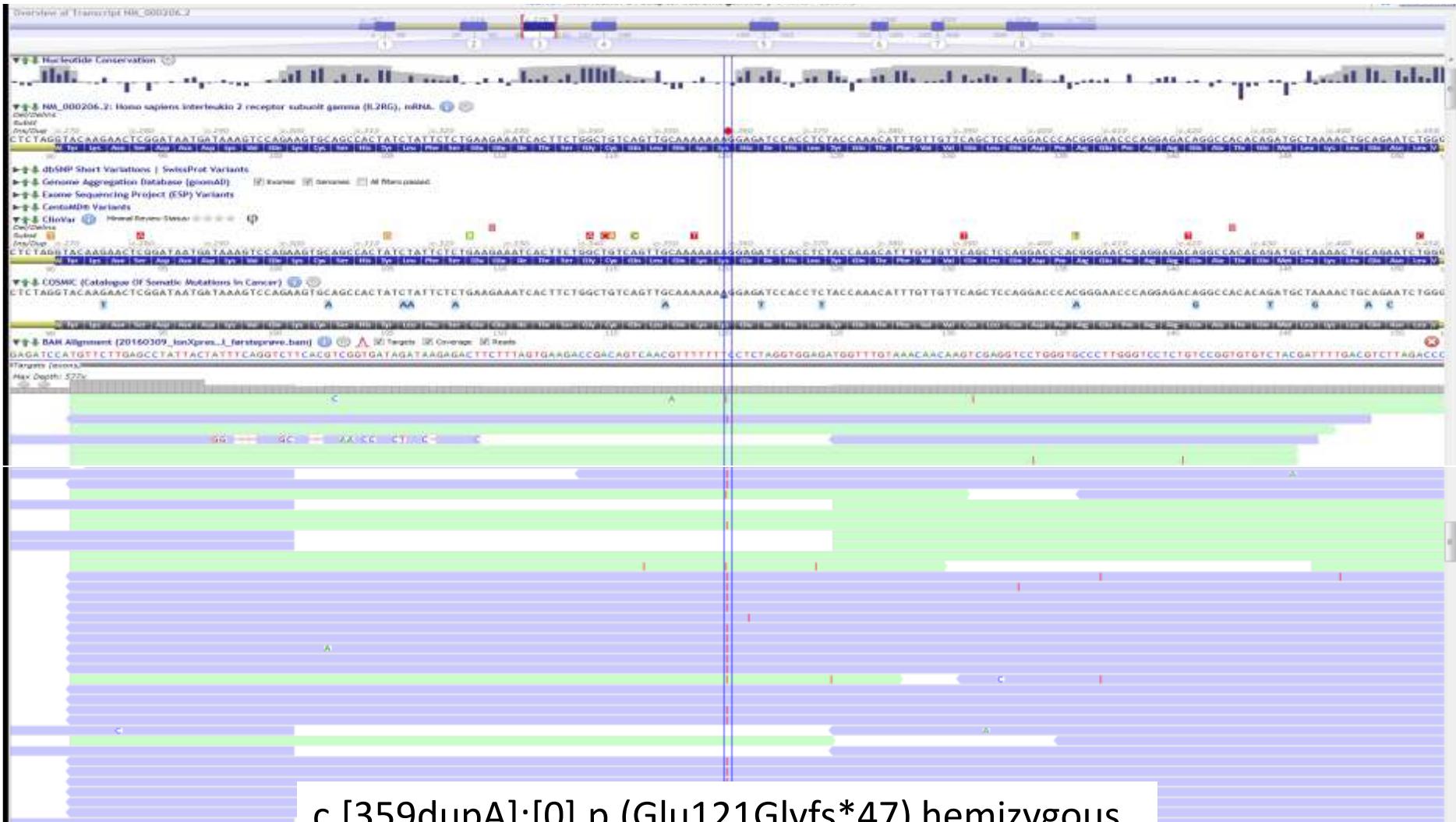
TRECs/ $\mu$ l: 0,5 - 0 - 0

NM\_000206.2(IL2RG):



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Pilot project

IL2RG X-linked-SCID

Interactive  
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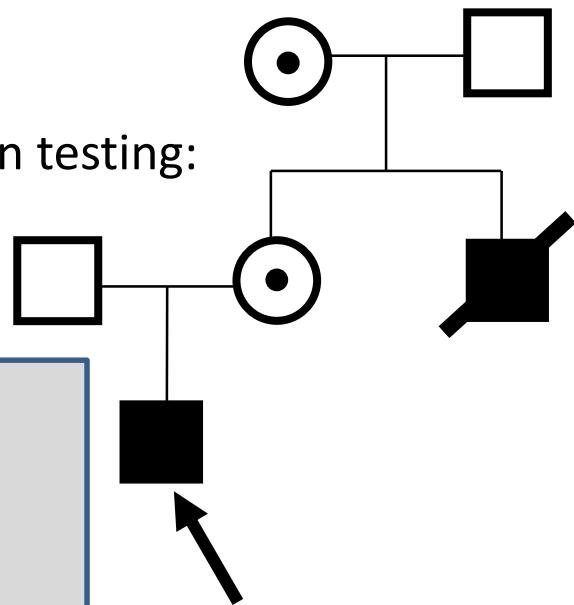


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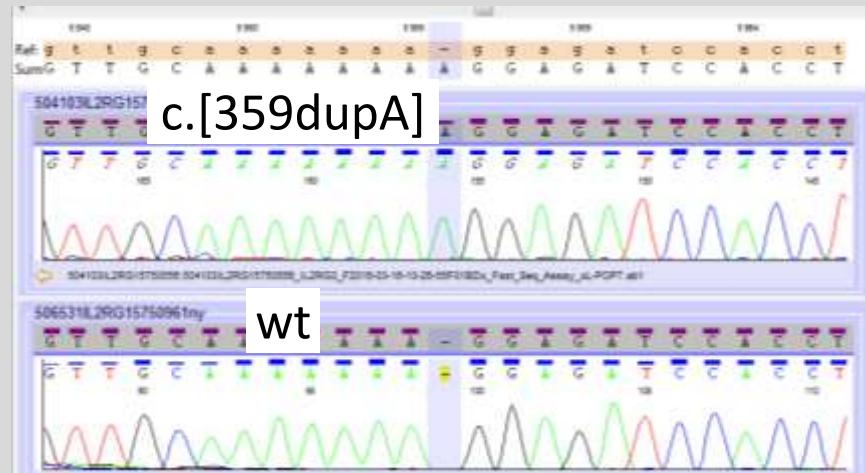
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And segregation testing:



Confirmation with Sanger seq



c.[359dupA];[0],p.(Glu121Glyfs\*47) hemizygous

**IL2RG X-linked-SCID**

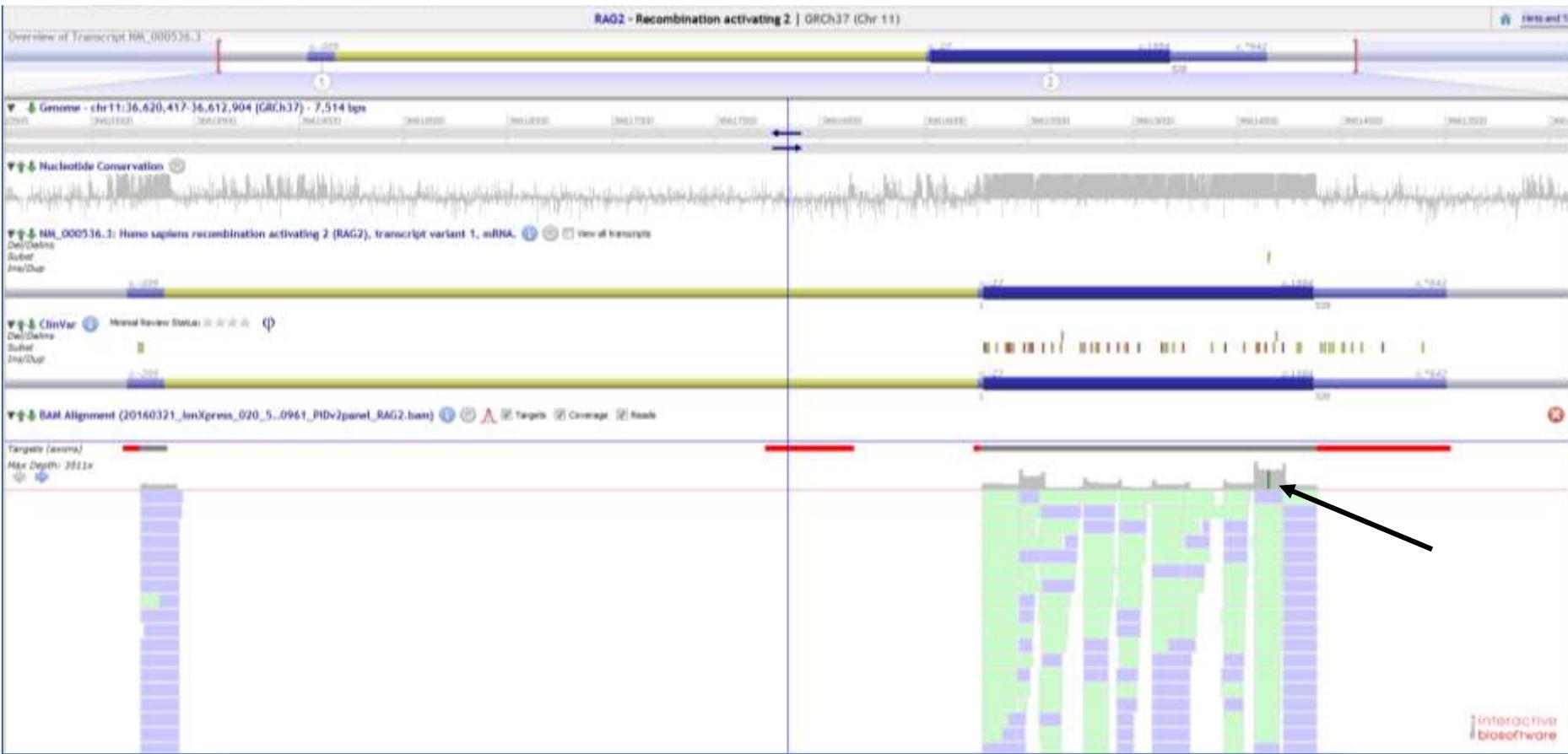
Pilot project

TREC/ $\mu$ l		NICU	Known condition at birth	Gene panel	Findings and history	
initial	mean					
0	0	Yes	Intestinal malformation and skeletal dysplasia	Yes	RMRP-SCID	Deceased
0	0	No	None	Yes	IL2RG-SCID	Transplanted
2	10	Yes	Intestinal malformation and pulmonal hypertension	Yes	No mutation, TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
4	10	No	None	Yes	RAG2-SCID, Transplanted	
7	9	Yes	Prematurity <1000g	Yes	No mutation	
8	24	Yes	Intestinal malformation	No	Reported	
12	15	Yes	Congenital heart disease	Yes	No mutation	
13	11	Yes	Prematurity <500g	No	Not reported	
13	7	Yes	Prematurity <1000g	Yes	No mutation	
14	18	Yes	Prematurity 1000g	No	TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
15	19	Yes	Prematurity 1000g, cystic hygroma, polyhydramnios and congenital heart disease	WES	Deceased 2 weeks old, RIT1-cardiomyopathy	
16	22	Yes	Congenital heart disease	No	TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
16	9	Yes	Intestinal malformation, skeletal dysplasia, congenital heart disease		Normalizing	
18	16	Yes				
19	15	Yes	Congenital heart disease	No	TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
19	11	Yes	Prematurity <500g	No	Redraw not received	
19	30	Yes	Intestinal malformation	No	Not reported	
20	19	Yes	Birth asphyxia and meconium aspiration	No	TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
20	24	No	Neonatal reduced health condition	Yes	No mutation, TREC <sub>s</sub> normalizing	
20	24	Yes	Prematurity <1000g and lung disease	No	Monozygous twin with normal TREC <sub>s</sub>	

**Low TREC<sub>s</sub>: 17/20 in NICU**

TRECs/ $\mu$ l: 4 - 18 - 7

## NM\_000536.3(RAG2):



## Pilot project

**TRECs/ $\mu$ l: 4 - 18 - 7**

NM\_000536.3(RAG2):



## Pilot project

TRECs/ $\mu$ l: 4 - 18 - 7

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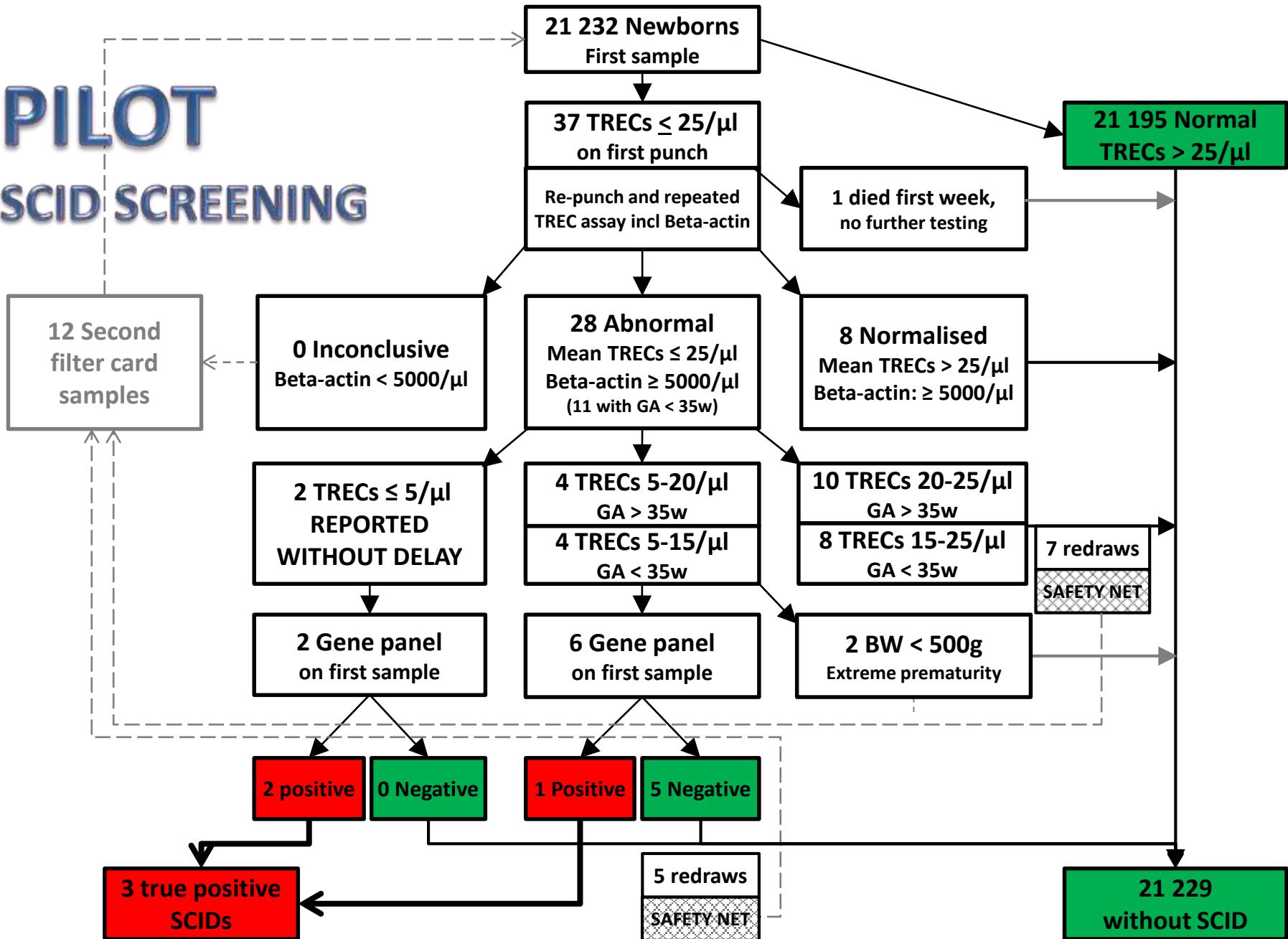
c.[1367C>T](;)[1367C>T], p.(Ala456Val) homozygous

Pilot project

leaky RAG2-SCID

# PILOT

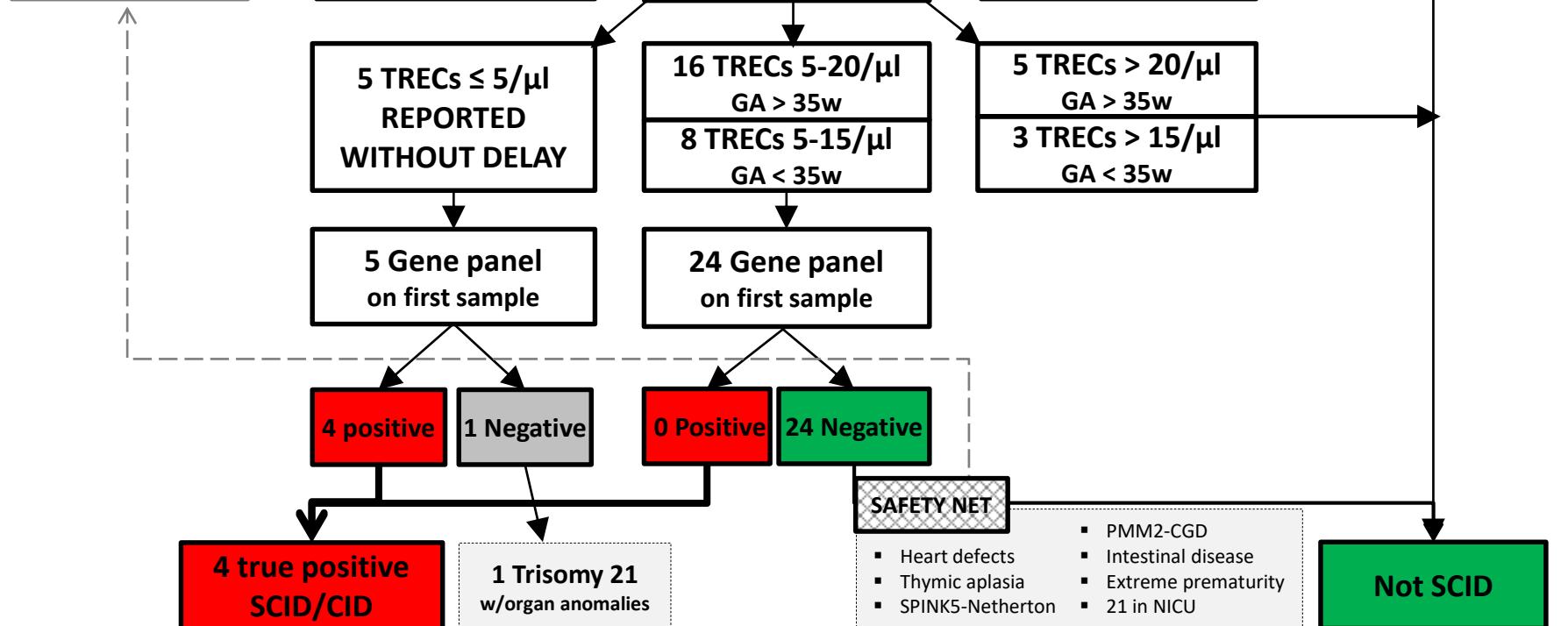
## SCID SCREENING



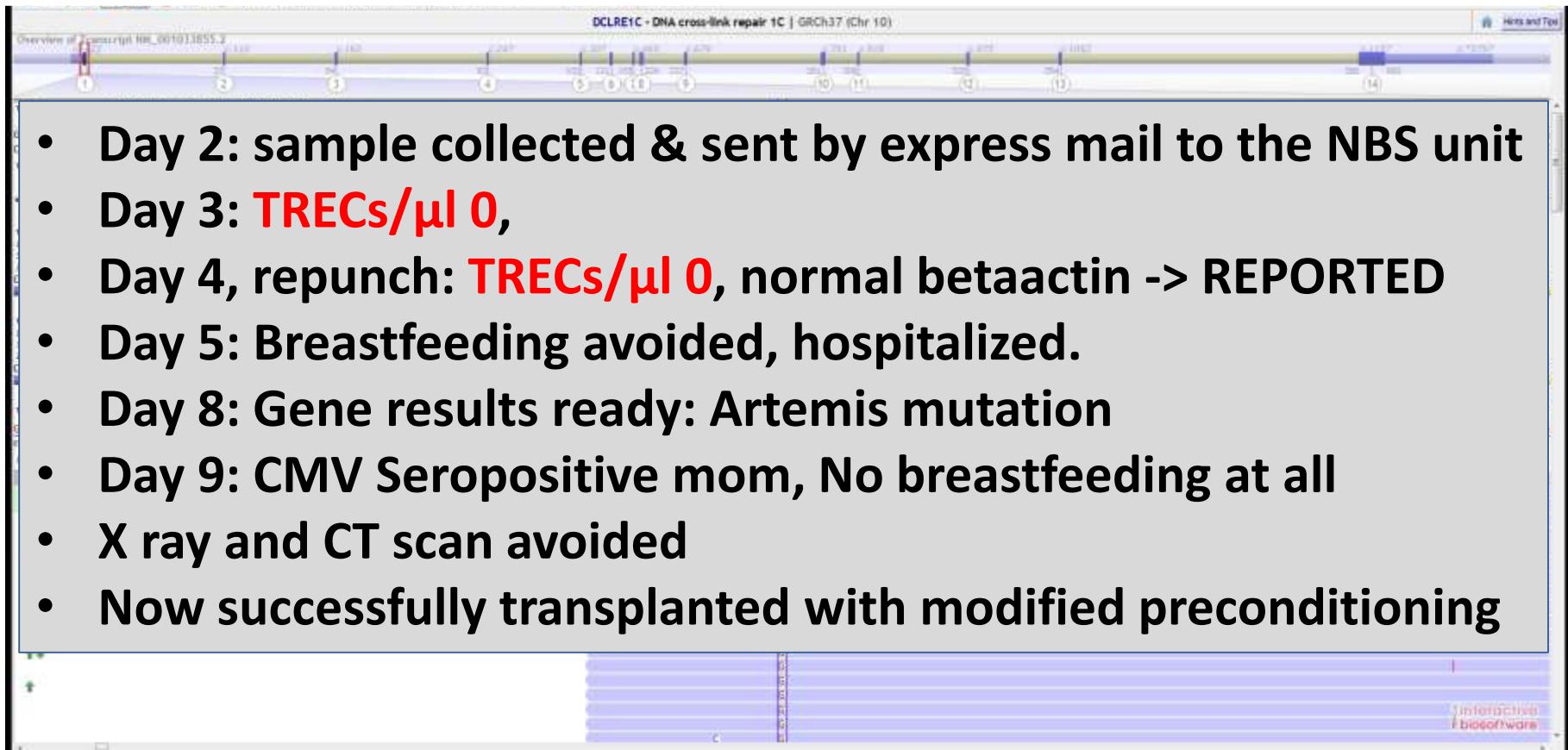
# NATIONAL SCID SCREENING

Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 – Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 2019

10 second samples



## NM\_001033855.2(DCLRE1C):



**Nationwide screening**

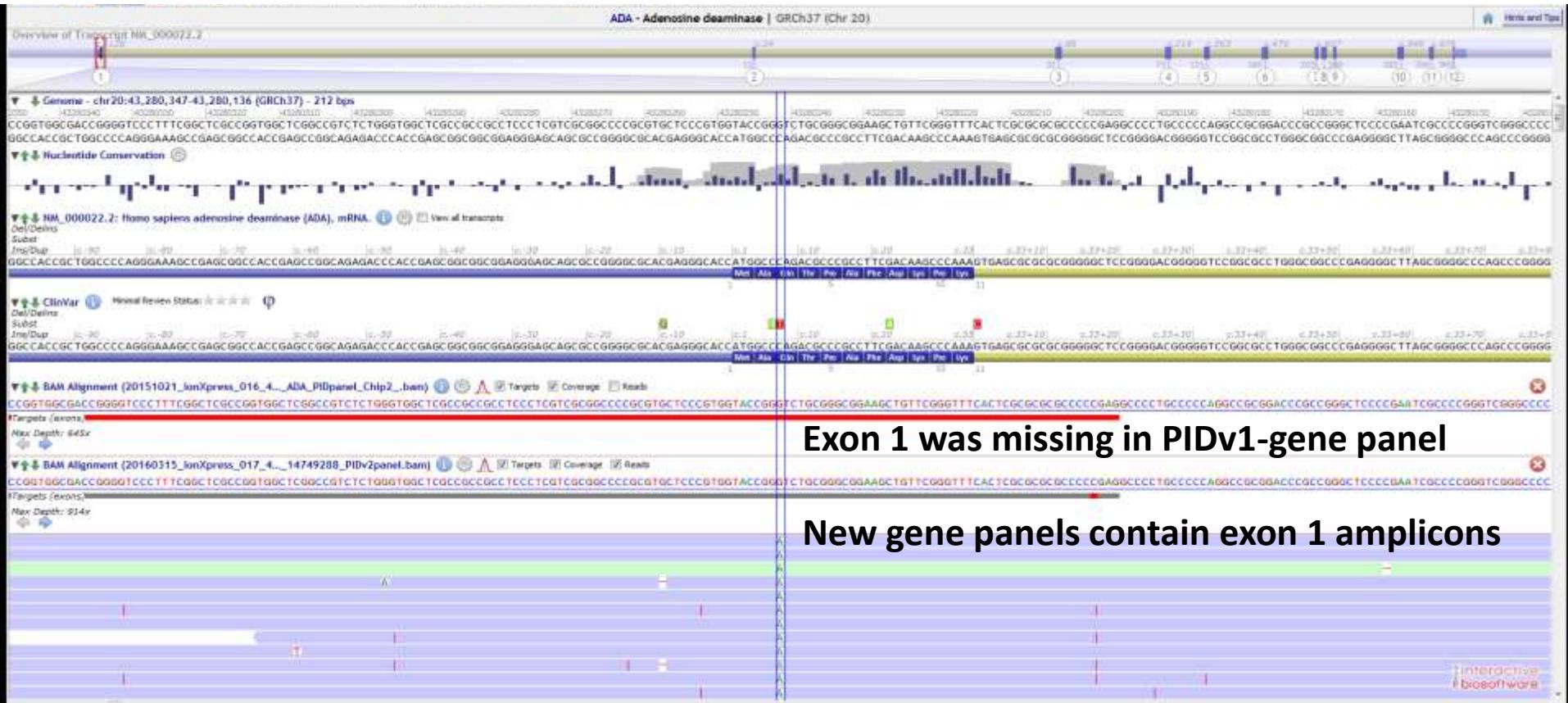
# Retrospective TRECs and NGS in patients with known immunodeficiency

	RETROSPECTIVE TRECs and NGS TESTING										
	INDIVIDUALS WITH KNOWN SCID or Severe T-cell deficiency									OTHER PIDDs	
Sample ID	KID_1	KID_2	KID_3	KID_4	KID_5	KID_6	KID_7	KID_8	KID_9	KID_10	KID_11
Year	2012	2010	2010	2015	2012	2014	2015	2006	2009	2009	2012
Gender	Male	Female	Female	Female	Female	Male	Male	Female	Male	Male	Female
GA	37	34	38,5	42	40	42	39	38	39	40	38
BW	2954	1999	2618	3360	4135	4420	2484	NA	3445	3775	2950
TRECs/ $\mu$ l	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	25.5	60
Gene	<i>IL2RG</i>	<i>LIG4</i>	<i>IL7R</i>	<i>ADA</i>	<i>PGM3</i>	<i>JAK3</i>	<i>TBX1</i>	<i>TBX1</i>	<i>TBX1</i>	<i>IKZF1</i>	<i>RECQL4</i>
CNV/CNV	c.[924+5G>A];[0] ;[482delC]	c.[1341G>T] ;[482delC]	c.[707- 2A>G] HOM	c.[7C>T] HOM	c.[737A>G];[ 737A>G] c.1837C>T; c.1695C>A	22q11.21 del	22q11.21 del	22q11.21 del	c.1618388_ 589+2308del (16.8kb)del exons(4-5)	c.2269C>T; ND	
Protein	Splice defect p.Trp447Cys; p.Ala161Valfs*6		Splice defect	p.Gln3*	p.Ala246Gly	p.Arg613*; p.Cys565*	loss	loss	loss	Inframe deletion	p.Gln757*
RefSeq	NM_000206.2	NM_002312.3	NM_002185.3	NM_000022.2	NM_015599.2	NM_000215.3	NM_080647.1	NM_080647.1	NM_080647.1	NM_006060.5	NM_004260.3

Next generation sequencing (NGS) may identify copy number variants (CNVs)

Retrospective

# NM\_000022.2(ADA):



Retrospective

# Retrospective TRECs and NGS in patients with Ataxia Telangiectasia

	INDIVIDUALS WITH KNOWN ATAXIA TELANGIECTASIA						
Sample ID	AT_1.1	AT_1.2	AT_2	AT_3	AT_4	AT_5	AT_6
Year	2008	2011	2010	2010	2011	2011	2016
Gender	Male	Male	Female	Female	Male	Male	Female
GA w	36	39	40	40	41	41	40
BW g	3015	3650	3196	3570	2815	4180	2959
TRECs/ $\mu$ l	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>27</b>
gene	<b>ATM NM_000051.3</b>						
SNV/CNV	c.[6047A>G] HOM	c.[6047A>G] HOM	c.3245_3247delATC insTGAT] HOM	c.[3245_3247delATC insTGAT] ;[6679C>T]	c.[3245_3247delATC insTGAT] HOM	c.[1564_1565delGA] ;[9023G>A]	c.[5932G>T] ;[9123delC]
protein	p.Asp2016Gly	p.Asp2016Gly	p.His1082fs	p.His1082fs; p.Arg2227Cys	p.His1082fs	p.Glu5221lefs*43; p.Arg3008His	p.Glu1978Ter; Asn3044fs
Panel	PIDv2	PIDv2	PIDv2	PIDv2	PIDv2	PIDv2	PIDv2



Ataxia Telangiectasia is a progressive neurological disorder without treatment

Retrospective

«Newborn screening is not a test, it's a plan»

## 2.tier DNA analyses in Newborn Screening (NBS) => moving to next generation sequencing (NGS)

**CF** Cystic Fibrosis: First NBS-NGS disorder

2.tier sequencing of all coding regions of *CFTR*

*CFTR* carriers are  
NOT reported

**IEM** Inborn errors of metabolism

- IEMv1 panel 570 genes
- IEMv2 panel 594 genes  
Incl 33 NBS-IEM genes
- IEMv3 panel 800 genes

**PID** Primary Immunodeficiency

- PIDv1 panel 266 genes
- PIDv2 panel 264 genes  
Incl ~45 SCID genes
- PIDv3 panel ~700 genes

**NBS-NGS core panel** 170 genes, incl 50 SCID genes

1.5 – 1.8 ng DNA total

Read depths > 200

**Low input - high output!**



# NBS-NGS core panel 170 genes

## “Uniform International Newborn Screening panel”

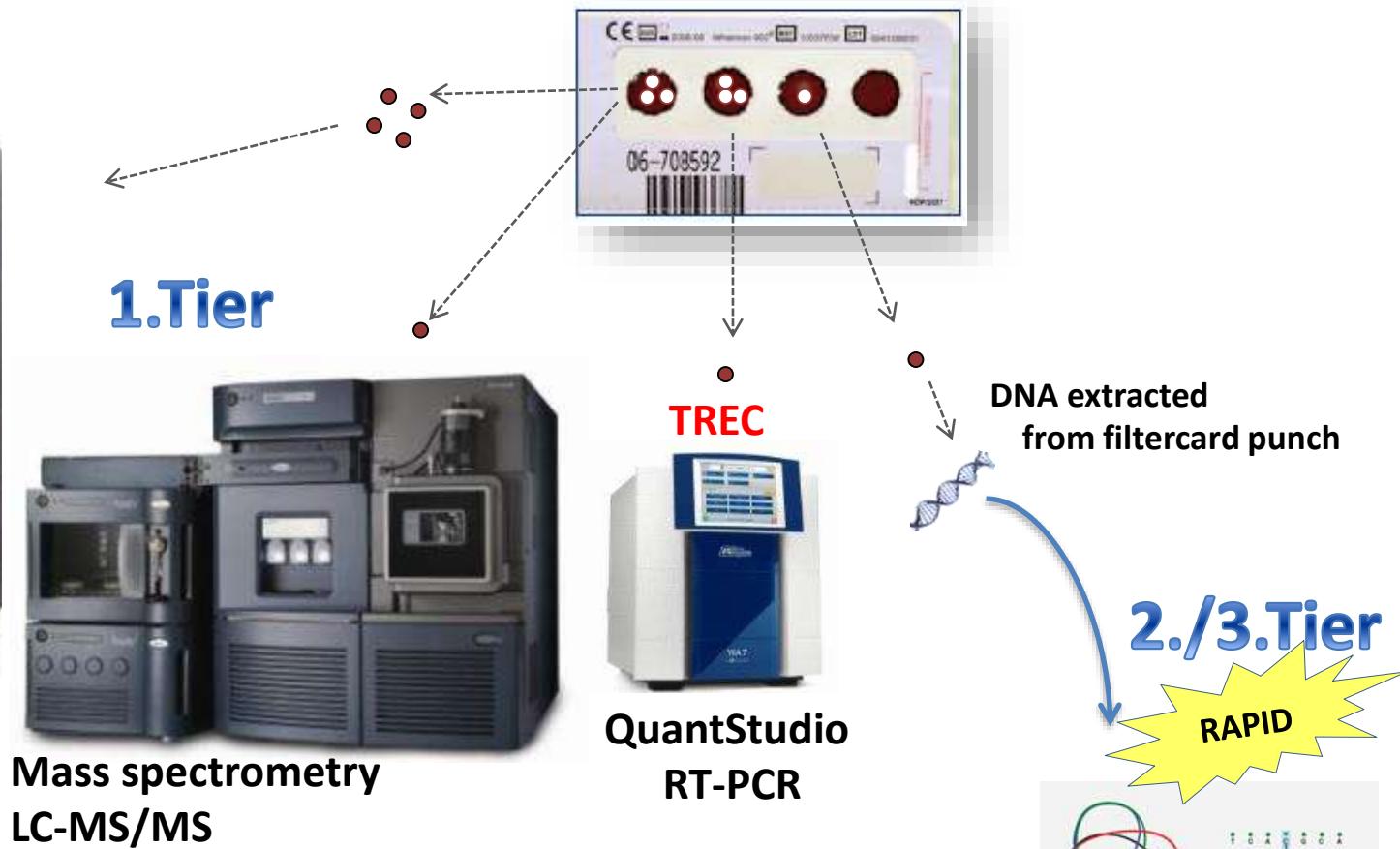
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CD3E	CD3G	CD40LG	CD79A	CD79B	CD8A	CHD7	CORO1A	DCLRE1C	DKC1
DNMT3B	DOCK2	DOCK8	EFL1	EPG5	EXTL3	FOXN1	GATA2	IGHM	IGLL1
IKBKB	IKZF1	IL2RG	IL7R	JAK3	LAT	LCK	LIG4	LRRC8A	LYST
NBN	NHEJ1	NUCD3	PAX1	PGM3	PIK3CD	PIK3R1	PNP	PRKDC	PTPRC
RAC2	RAG1	RAG2	RAI1	RECQL4	RMRP	SBDS	SLC46A1	SMARCAL1	STAT5B
STIM1	TBX1	TCF3	TP63	TTC7A	UNC119	WAS	ZAP70	ZBTB24	
ABCD1	ACAD8	ACADM	ACADS	ACADSB	ACADVL	ACAT1	ADK	AHCY	ALDH7A1
ALDOB	ARG1	ARSA	ASL	ASS1	BCKDHA	BCKDHB	BCKDK	BTD	CBS
CFTR	CPS1	CPT1A	CPT2	CYP11A1	CYP17A1	CYP21A1P	CYP21A2	DBT	DLD
DMD	ETFA	ETFB	ETFDH	FAH	GAA	GALE	GALK1	GALT	GAMT
GATM	GCDH	HADHA	HADHB	HBB	HLCS	HMGCL	HMGCS2	HPD	IDUA
IVD	LCRB	LMBRD1	MAT1A	MC2R	MCCC1	MCCC2	MMAA	MMAB	MMACHC
MMADHC	MTHFR	MTR	MTRR	MUT	NADK2	NAGS	NPC1	NPC2	OTC
PAH	PCBD1	PCCA	PCCB	PHGDH	POR	PSAP	PSAT1	PSPH	PTS
QDPR	SLC16A1	SLC22A5	SLC25A13	SLC25A15	SLC25A20	SLC52A2	SLC52A3	SLC6A8	SMN1
SMN2	TAT								



AmpliSeq  
On-Demand

CNVs	Del22q11, DiGeorge syndrome	Del8q12 CHARGE syndrome	Del17p11.2 SmithMagenis syndrome	Del11q, Jacobsen syndrome	Trisomy18 Edwards syndrome	Trisomy21 Downs syndrome
Dosage	TBX1	CHD7	RAI1	ACAD8	EPG5, NPC1	JAK3

## 2.Tier genetic testing confirms disease



**DNA testing as an integrated part of NBS**

In-house implementation of sequencing and increased positive predictive value (PPV)

# “Only a blood spot on a paper”..



Minister of Health and Care Services, Bent Høie  
*in Norwegian Newspaper Dagens Medisin, 2017-12-01*

# What have we learned from our SCID screening?

2nd tier next generation sequencing in newborn SCID screening

- reduce number of blood redraws and recalls,
- provides rapid molecular confirmation of disease with
- implications for follow-up and treatment
- May identify leaky SCIDs
- Prior to CMV infection