Maternal and Infant Care Clinic

University of Washington Medical Center

Prenatal Diagnosis Program

The Prenatal Diagnosis Program at University of Washington Medical Center (UWMC) specializes in comprehensive prenatal screening and fetal diagnostic testing. Through our program, you'll have access to:

• Genetic counseling

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- Cell-free DNA aneuploidy screening (also called MaterniT21 Plus, verifi, Harmony, and Panorama)
- Integrated screening
- Expanded carrier testing for rare hereditary diseases
- High-resolution detailed ultrasound, including nuchal translucency and fetal anatomy ultrasound
- Amniocentesis
- Chorionic villus sampling
- Consultation with high-risk obstetricians and geneticists
- Fetal echocardiogram
- Fetal MRI
- Pre-implantation genetic diagnosis (in partnership with University Reproductive Care)
- In utero fetal blood transfusions
- EXIT (ex utero intrapartum treatment) procedures for fetal airway obstructive condition
- Treatment of fetal cardiac arrhythmias

When a baby needs to be delivered in a hospital with high-risk specialists, our team can also provide complete pregnancy care. In these cases, we join with experts from Seattle Children's Prenatal Diagnosis and Treatment Program, so that the entire family receives continuous, well-coordinated treatment during the pregnancy and afterward. Your provider may refer you to us if you are pregnant, or considering a pregnancy, and you:

- Have had a blood test that is "screen positive" or suggests you have a higher chance of having a baby with a birth defect.
- Have had an ultrasound that suggests a health problem in the baby.
- Have been found to be a "carrier" for a hereditary condition such as cystic fibrosis or sickle cell disease.
- Have a family member with a birth defect such as spina bifida, a heart defect, mental retardation, or a chromosome problem such as Down syndrome.
- Have a disease "running in your family."
- Have had multiple pregnancy losses or children with health problems.
- Are related to your partner by blood for example, you are cousins.
- Have questions about exposure to radiation, medicines or drugs, infections, or alcohol.
- Have general questions or concerns about the health of your baby and your prenatal testing options.

Our team includes specially trained genetic counselors, perinatologists, nurses, social workers, radiologists, ultrasound technicians, pediatric cardiologists and surgeons, and laboratory specialists.

For questions or to make an appointment, please call **206-598-4072**. In most cases, we need your medical records from your pregnancy care provider before we can schedule an appointment.

Clinic Hours:

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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