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Should You Dig into Your Child’s DNA?

Should you dig into your child’s DNA? A new newborn genetic test looks for 193 disorders that start in childhood. If a mutation is found, the company says the child has an 80 percent chance of developing the disease.

But what if your child is in the 20 percent and you spend 10-16 years worrying about a disease that never comes. And how will that make you treat your child? And what if you’re in the 80 percent but your child is only mildly affected? Was your worry wasted?

Studies show newborn genetic screening can damage child-parent relationships when parents learn the child may develop a genetic disease. Are you willing to take that risk?


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