



## **Private Pay Genetic Testing for Hereditary Cancers**

This handout offers you information on private pay genetic testing for hereditary cancers. You can choose to pay for genetic testing if you do not meet the criteria for provincially funded genetic testing. Talk to your doctor before you have any testing done.

Labs offering genetic testing:

1. Ambry Genetics [www.ambrygen.com](http://www.ambrygen.com)
2. Color Genomics [www.color.com](http://www.color.com)
3. Dynacare (Canadian licensee for Color Test) [www.dynacare.ca](http://www.dynacare.ca)
4. Invitae [www.invitae.com](http://www.invitae.com)
5. LifeLabs [www.lifelabs.com](http://www.lifelabs.com)
6. Myriad Genetics [www.myriad.com](http://www.myriad.com)
7. Prevention Genetics [www.preventiongenetics.com](http://www.preventiongenetics.com)
8. Women's College Hospital: The Screen project [www.thescreenproject.ca](http://www.thescreenproject.ca)

This list is for information only and may not include every lab offering genetic testing. There are other private genetic clinics. The Clinical Genetics program at Lakeridge Health does not represent or support any lab or individual on this list. We recommend you choose a private lab offering genetic counselling before and after any testing.

You can be referred to a genetics clinic if genetic testing shows you or your family member have a higher risk for cancer. A negative (normal) result does not rule out an increased risk for you or your family.

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