



 PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup>  
K A R Y O

Noninvasive prenatal test (NIPT)  
for genome-wide fetal chromosomal abnormalities

Cell-free fetal DNA analysis from maternal plasma  
providing karyotype-level insight

# What is



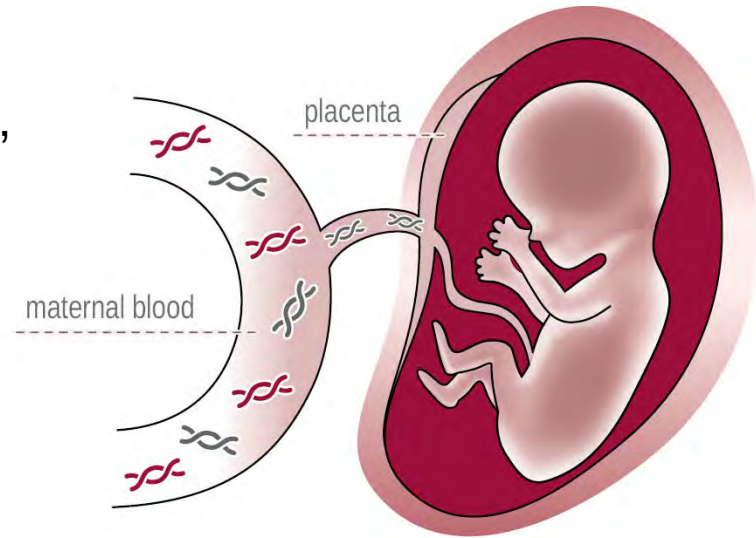
⌘ PrenatalSAFE® Karyo test is the most technologically advanced **genome-wide NIPT**

⌘ Through cfDNA analysis from maternal plasma, PrenatalSAFE®Karyo detects:

⌘ **Aneuploidies**

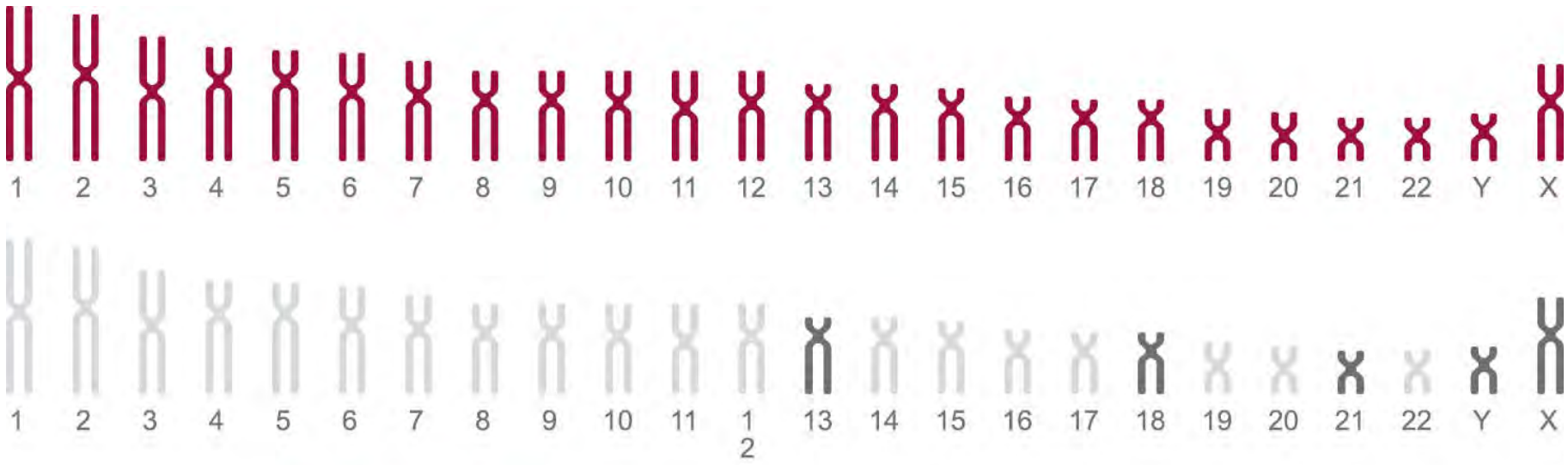
⌘ **structural chromosomal aberrations** (deletions or duplications) across the fetal genome

⌘ providing **karyotype-level** insight.



 Maternal DNA       Cell-free Fetal DNA (cfDNA)

# PrenatalSafe® the next level in noninvasive prenatal testing

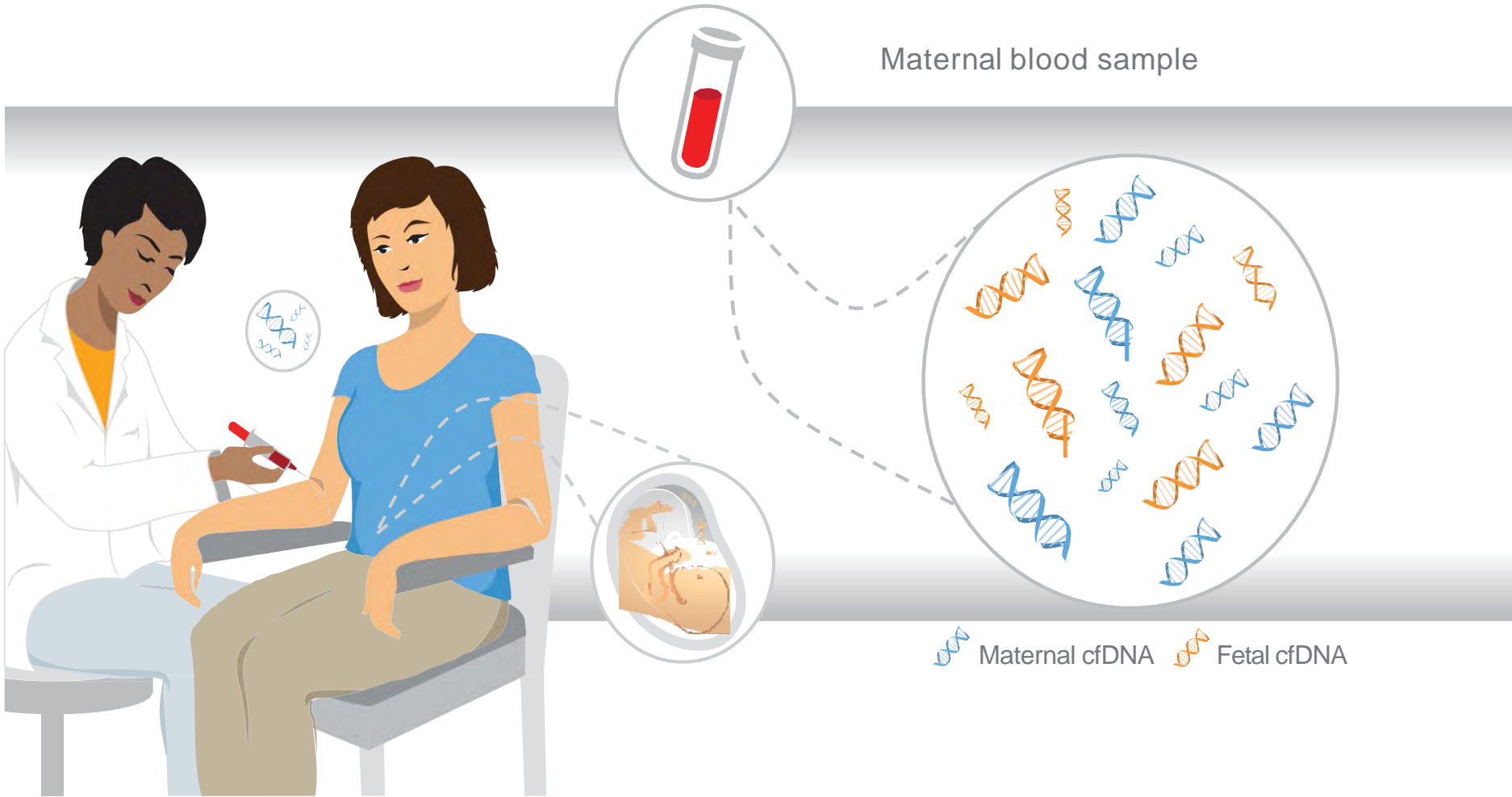


 PrenatalSafe Karyo analyzes every chromosome

 Chromosomes analyzed by other NIPTs

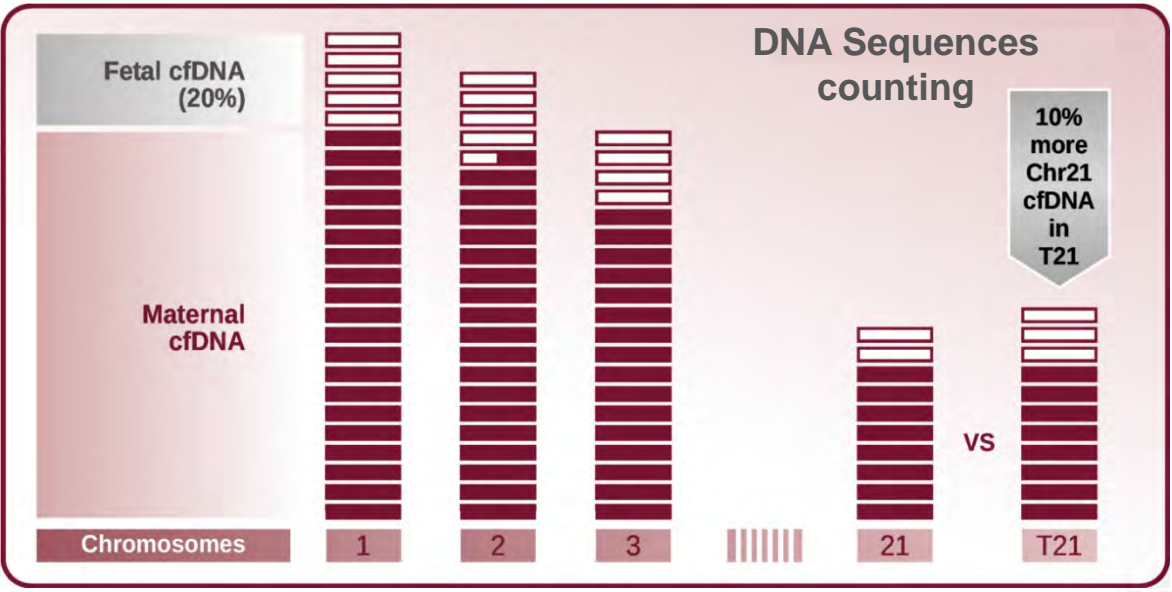
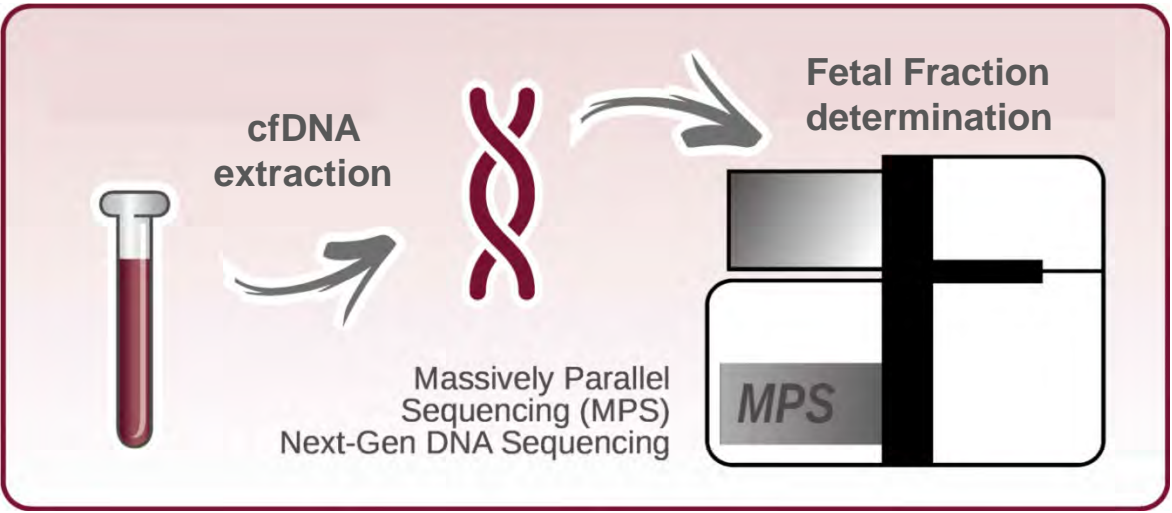
- ⌘ PrenatalSafe® Karyo analyzes every chromosome in the genome.
- ⌘ Unlike any other noninvasive prenatal test available to date, it offers a level of information previously only available from a **fetal karyotype** analysis, performed with invasive prenatal diagnosis procedures (amniocentesis and CVS)

# NIPT uses cell-free DNA (cfDNA)



# PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> Whole-genome sequencing technology

KARYO



# 2 levels of genome-wide screening



## PrenatalSafe® KARYO



### Common fetal chromosomal aneuploidies

|            |                      |
|------------|----------------------|
| Trisomy 21 | Down Syndrome        |
| Trisomy 18 | Edwards Syndrome     |
| Trisomy 13 | Patau Syndrome       |
| Monosomy X | Turner Syndrome      |
| XXX        | Trisomy X            |
| XXY        | Klinefelter Syndrome |
| XYY        | Jacobs Syndrome      |



### Other fetal chromosomal aneuploidies

|           |             |
|-----------|-------------|
| Trisomy 1 | Trisomy 9*  |
| Trisomy 4 | Trisomy 12  |
| Trisomy 5 | Trisomy 16  |
| Trisomy 7 | Trisomy 22* |

PrenatalSafe® KARYO detects aneuploidies in every chromosome



### Chromosomal gains and losses across the fetal genome

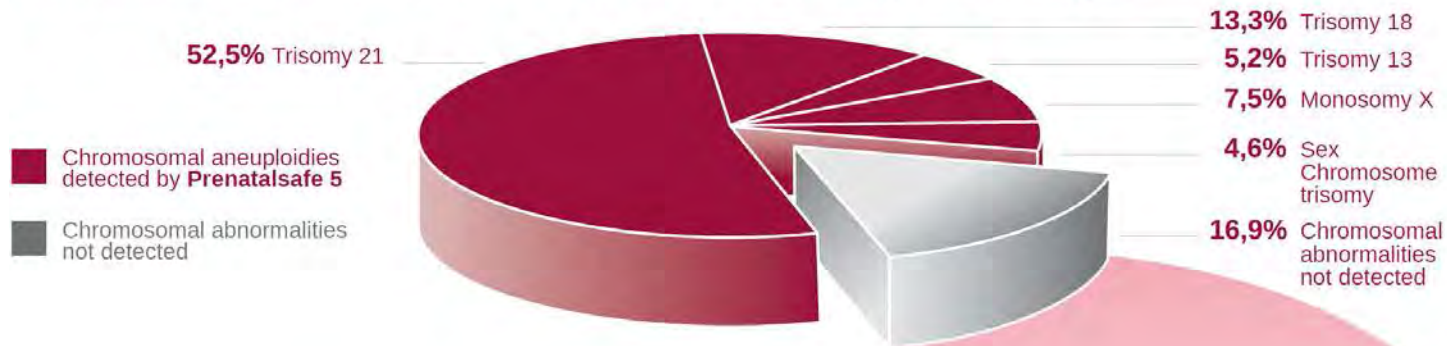


## PrenatalSafe® KARYO Plus

It can also test for **9** common **microdeletion syndromes**



| Microdeletion Syndrome                   | Prevalence                 |
|--|----------------------------|
| <b>DiGeorge syndrome (22q11.2)</b>       | 1 in 4,000                 |
| <b>1p36 deletion syndrome</b>            | 1 in 4,000 to 1 in 10,000  |
| <b>Angelman syndrome (15q11.2)</b>       | 1 in 12,000                |
| <b>Prader-Willi syndrome (15q11.2)</b>   | 1 in 10,000 to 1 in 25,000 |
| <b>Cri du Chat syndrome (5p15.3)</b>     | 1 in 20,000 to 1 in 50,000 |
| <b>Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome (4p16.3)</b> | 1 in 50,000                |
| <b>Langer-Giedion syndrome (8q24)</b>    | 1/200.000                  |
| <b>Jacobsen syndrome (11q23)</b>         | 1/100.000                  |
| <b>Smith-Magenis syndrome (17p11.2)</b>  | 1/15.000 - 1/25.000        |

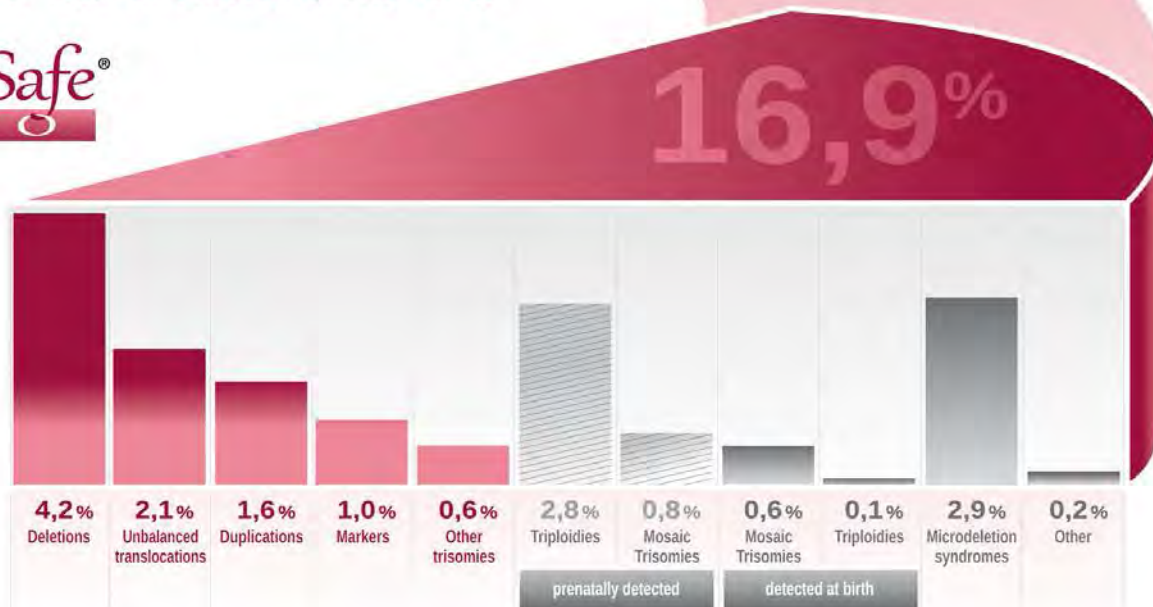
## Prevalence of fetal chromosomal aneuploidies detected by PrenatalSafe<sup>5</sup>



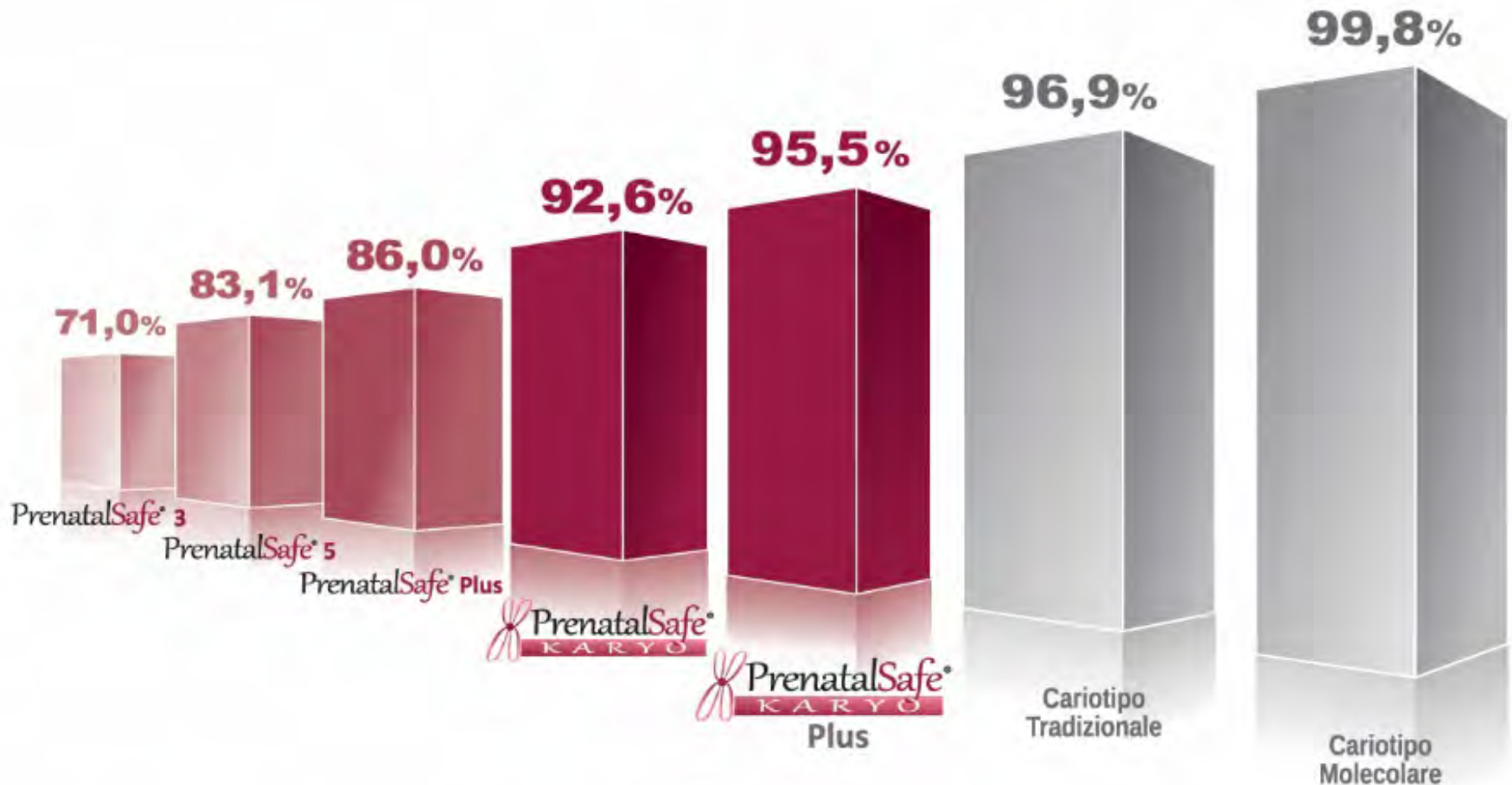
## Prevalence of additional fetal chromosomal anomalies detected by



-  Additional fetal chromosomal anomalies detected by PrenatalSafe Karyo
-  Chromosomal anomalies not detected (leading to fetal death)
-  Chromosomal anomalies not detected



# Detection rate



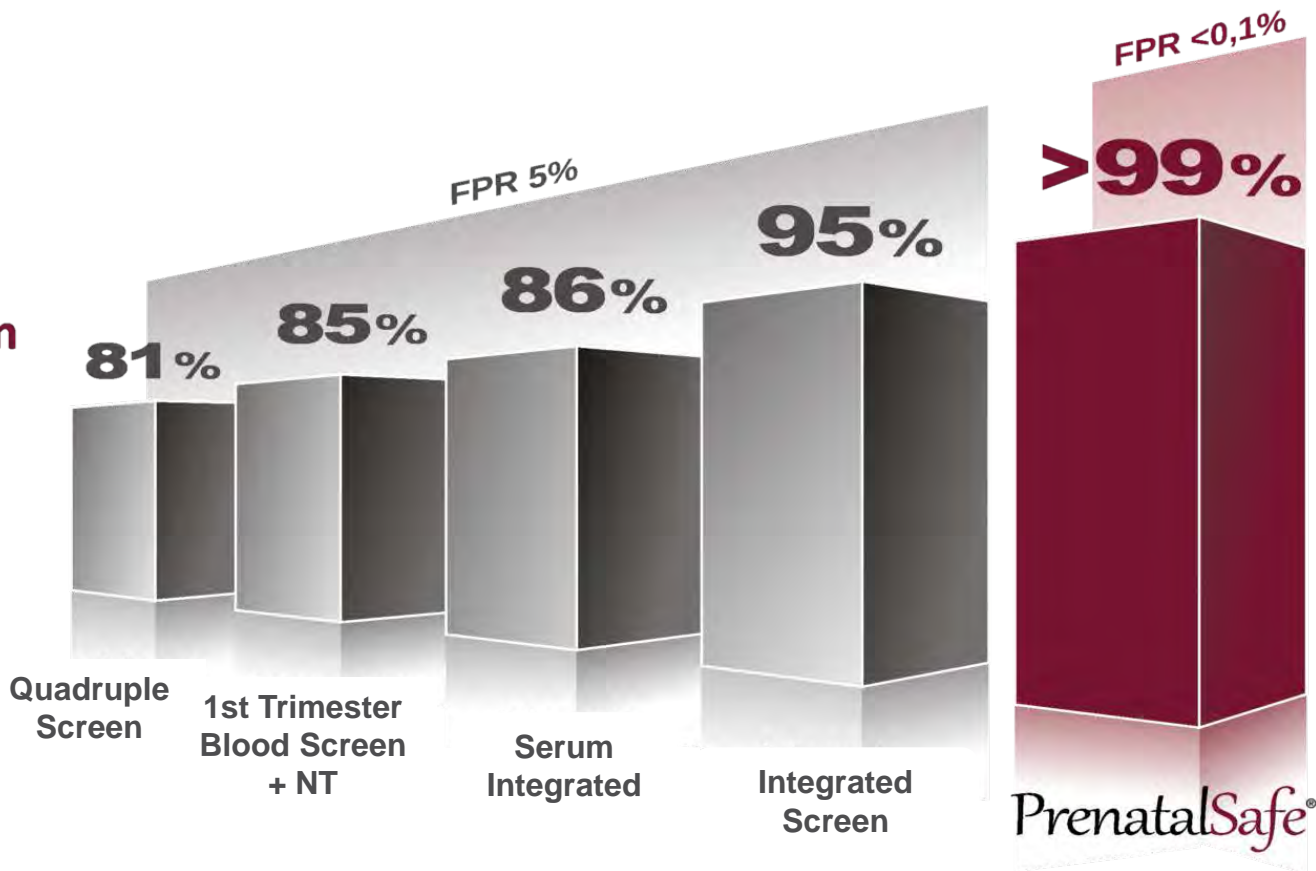
**PrenatalSAFE® Karyo Plus** test identifies **95.5%** of chromosomal anomalies **prenatally detected** and **99.1%** of those anomalies observed **at birth**, achieving a level of detection rate very closed to the **traditional fetal karyotyping (96.9%)**, obtained with invasive, prenatal diagnostic techniques.



# Conventional Prenatal Screening vs *Detection Rates for Trisomy 21*




































Detection Rate



False Positive Rate (FPR): **5%**

# Fetal Karyotyping vs PrenatalSafe® KARYO

|   | Traditional Karyotyping   | PrenatalSafe® KARYO   | PrenatalSafe® KARYO Plus  |
|---|---|---|---|
| Analyzes every chromosome                 |    |    |    |
| Detects chromosomal gains or losses >7 Mb |    |    |    |
| Detects chromosome gains or losses >10 Mb |    |    |    |
| Requires an invasive procedure            |    |    |    |
| Detects unbalanced translocations         |    |    |    |
| Detects segmental deletions/duplications  |    |    |    |
| Detects mosaic trisomies                  |    |    |    |
| Detects marker chromosomes                |  |  |  |
| Detects microdeletion syndromes           |  |  |  |
| Detects triploidy                         |  |  |  |
| Considered diagnostic                     |  |  |  |

|                                 | Trisomy 21<br>(n=1419)        | Trisomy 18<br>(n=1419)        | Trisomy 13<br>(n=1419)        | SCA<br>(n=1419)                | CNV<br>(n=1419)                |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>True Positive</b>            | 100                           | 31                            | 14                            | 36                             | 37                             |
| <b>False Positive</b>           | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             | 0                              | 0                              |
| <b>True Negative</b>            | 1319                          | 1388                          | 1405                          | 1383                           | 1382                           |
| <b>False Negative</b>           | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             | 0                              | 0                              |
| <b>Sensitivity<br/>(95% CI)</b> | 100,00%<br>(96.38% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(88.78% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(76.84% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(90.26% to 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(90.51% to 100.00%) |
| <b>Specificity<br/>(95% CI)</b> | 100,00%<br>(99.72% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.73% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.74% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.73% to 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.73% to 100.00%) |
| <b>PPV<br/>(95% CI)</b>         | 100,00%<br>(96.38% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(88.78% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(76.84% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(90.26% to 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(90.51% to 100.00%) |
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PPV: Positive Predictive Value; NPV: Negative Predictive Value; SCA: Sex Chromosomes Aneuploidy. CNV: Copy Number Variation

# PrenatalSafe® Performance **Standard** protocol

Follow-up March 2016

|                             | Trisomy 21<br>(n=31.800)      | Trisomy 18<br>(n=31.800)      | Trisomy 13<br>(n=31.800)      | Monosomy X<br>(n=31.800)      | SCA<br>(n=31.800)             |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| True positive               | 257                           | 47                            | 32                            | 77                            | 160                           |
| False positive              | 6                             | 6                             | 7                             | 48                            | 58                            |
| True negative               | 31536                         | 31746                         | 31746                         | 31675                         | 31582                         |
| False negative              | 1                             | 1                             | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             |
| <b>Sensitivity (95% CI)</b> | 99,61%<br>(97.86% - 99.99%)   | 97,92%<br>(88.93% - 99.95%)   | 100,00%<br>(89.11% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(95.32% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.72% - 100.00%) |
| <b>% False Negative</b>     | 0,39%                         | 2,08%                         | 0,00%                         | 0,00%                         | 0,00%                         |
| <b>Specificity (95% CI)</b> | 99,98%<br>(99.96% - 99.99%)   | 99,98%<br>(99.96% - 99.99%)   | 99,98%<br>(99.95% - 99.99%)   | 99,85%<br>(99.80% - 99.89%)   | 99,82%<br>(99.76% - 99.86%)   |
| <b>% False Positive</b>     | 0,02%                         | 0,02%                         | 0,02%                         | 0,15%                         | 0,18%                         |
| <b>PPV (95% CI)</b>         | 97,72%<br>(95.10% - 99.16%)   | 88,68%<br>(76.97% - 95.73%)   | 82,05%<br>(66.47% - 92.46%)   | 61,60%<br>(52.48% - 70.16%)   | 73,39%<br>(67.01% - 79.13%)   |
| <b>NPV (95% CI)</b>         | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.99% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.99% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.99% - 100.00%) |

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# PrenatalSafe® Performance **FAST** protocol

Follow-up March 2016

|                             | Trisomy 21<br>(n=15.258)      | Trisomy 18<br>(n=15.258)      | Trisomy 13<br>(n=15.258)      | Monosomy X<br>(n=15.258)      | SCA<br>(n=15.258)             |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| True positive               | 156                           | 30                            | 20                            | 57                            | 91                            |
| False positive              | 2                             | 1                             | 1                             | 18                            | 22                            |
| True negative               | 15100                         | 15227                         | 15279                         | 15183                         | 15145                         |
| False negative              | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             | 0                             |
| <b>Sensitivity (95% CI)</b> | 100,00%<br>(88.43% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(88.43% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(83.16% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(93.73% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(96.03% - 100.00%) |
| <b>% False Negative</b>     | 0,0%                          | 0,0%                          | 0,0%                          | 0,0%                          | 0,0%                          |
| <b>Specificity (95% CI)</b> | 99,99%<br>(99.96% - 100.00%)  | 99,99%<br>(99.96% - 100.00%)  | 99,99%<br>(99.96% - 100.00%)  | 99,88%<br>(99.81% - 99.93%)   | 99,85%<br>(99.78% - 99.91%)   |
| <b>% False Positive</b>     | 0,01%                         | 0,01%                         | 0,01%                         | 0,12%                         | 0,15%                         |
| <b>PPV (95% CI)</b>         | 98,73%<br>(83.30% - 99.92%)   | 96,77%<br>(83.30% - 99.92%)   | 95,24%<br>(76.18% - 99.88%)   | 76,00%<br>(64.75% - 85.11%)   | 80,53%<br>(72.02% - 87.38%)   |
| <b>NPV (95% CI)</b>         | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) | 100,00%<br>(99.98% - 100.00%) |

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## Original Research

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### OBSTETRICS

#### Clinical validation of a noninvasive prenatal test for genome-wide detection of fetal copy number variants

Roy B. Lefkowitz, PhD; John A. Tynan, PhD; Tong Liu, PhD; Yijin Wu, PhD; Amin R. Mazloom, PhD; Eyad Almasri, MS; Grant Hogg, MS; Vach Angkachatchai, PhD; Chen Zhao, PhD; Daniel S. Grosu, MD; Graham McLennan, MS; Mathias Ehrich, MD

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### ARTICLE

#### Noninvasive prenatal testing using a novel analysis pipeline to screen for all autosomal fetal aneuploidies improves pregnancy management

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PRENATAL DIAGNOSIS

### ORIGINAL ARTICLE

#### A method for noninvasive detection of fetal large deletions/duplications by low coverage massively parallel sequencing

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Molecular Diagnostics and Genetics

#### Detection of Fetal Subchromosomal Abnormalities by Sequencing Circulating Cell-Free DNA from Maternal Plasma

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#### Noninvasive Prenatal Molecular Karyotyping from Maternal Plasma

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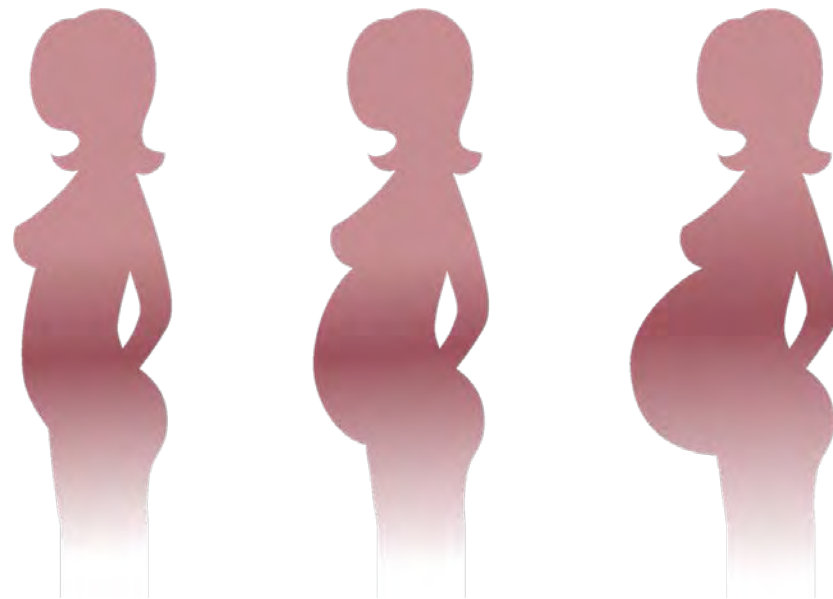
# Which Patients Should Be Offered?

This test is intended for patients at **10 weeks** or greater gestation who meet any of the following criteria:

- ⌘ Maternal age-related risks (≥35 years)
- ⌘ Positive results on maternal serum screening
- ⌘ Abnormal ultrasound finding(s)
- ⌘ Prior pregnancy with aneuploidy
- ⌘ Parental translocation
- ⌘ Low risk pregnancies
- ⌘ Patients wanting early, accurate testing and are at average risk of aneuploidy







- ⑧ **The test** is suitable for both **single** and **twin** pregnancies.
- ⑧ It can be performed in patients whose pregnancies have been achieved by **IVF** techniques, including pregnancies with **egg donation**.







-  **RhSafe test**  
for pregnant women Rh(D) positive and partners Rh(D) negative
-  **Shipper kits with Streck™ BCT Tubes**
-  **Genetic counseling pre- and post-test**
-  **Follow-up**  
follow-up of abnormal results, performed with both traditional and molecular karyotyping



## Case study

# Case Study 1

31 y.o. patient



12<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

 PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> **5**



Negative Result



20<sup>^</sup> week gestation

**Fetal abnormal ultrasound findings**  
(cerebellar ipoplasia; Ventriculomegaly )



Amniocentesis

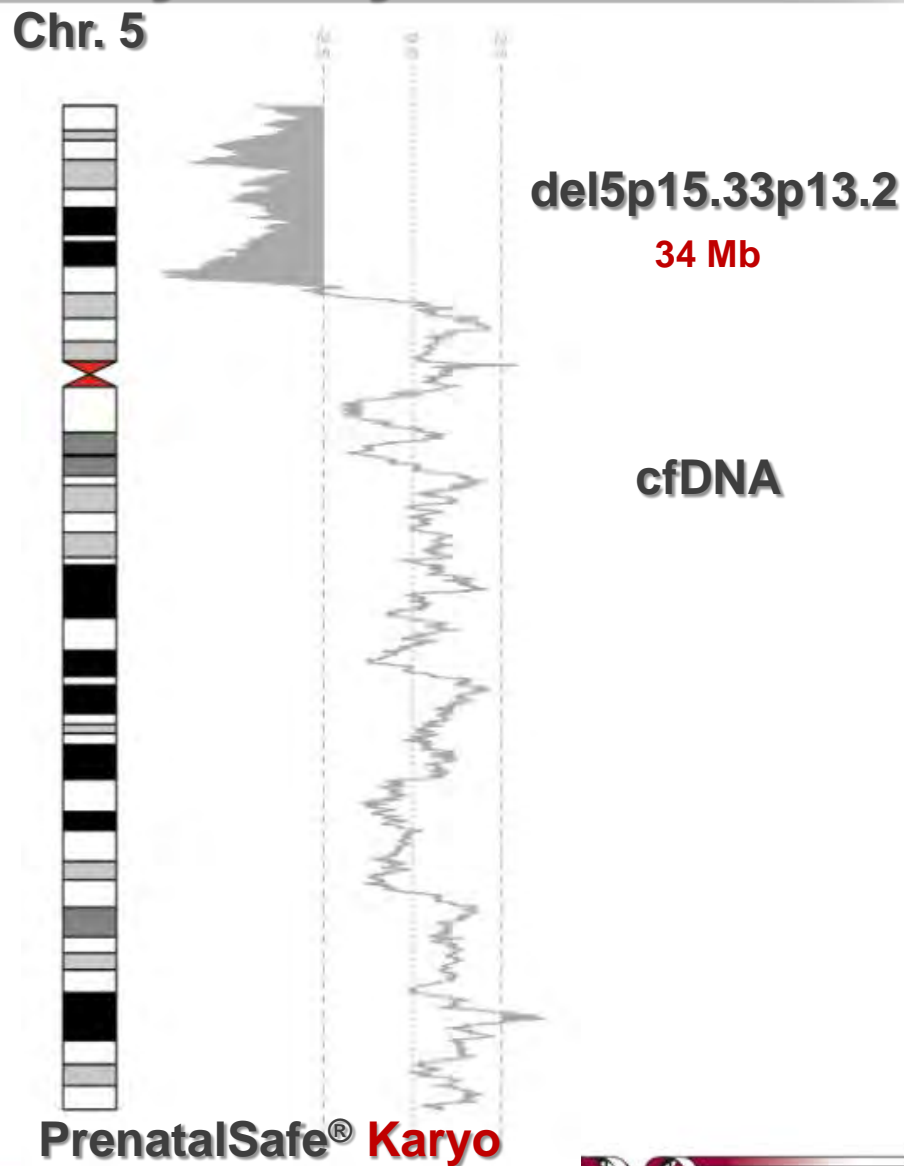
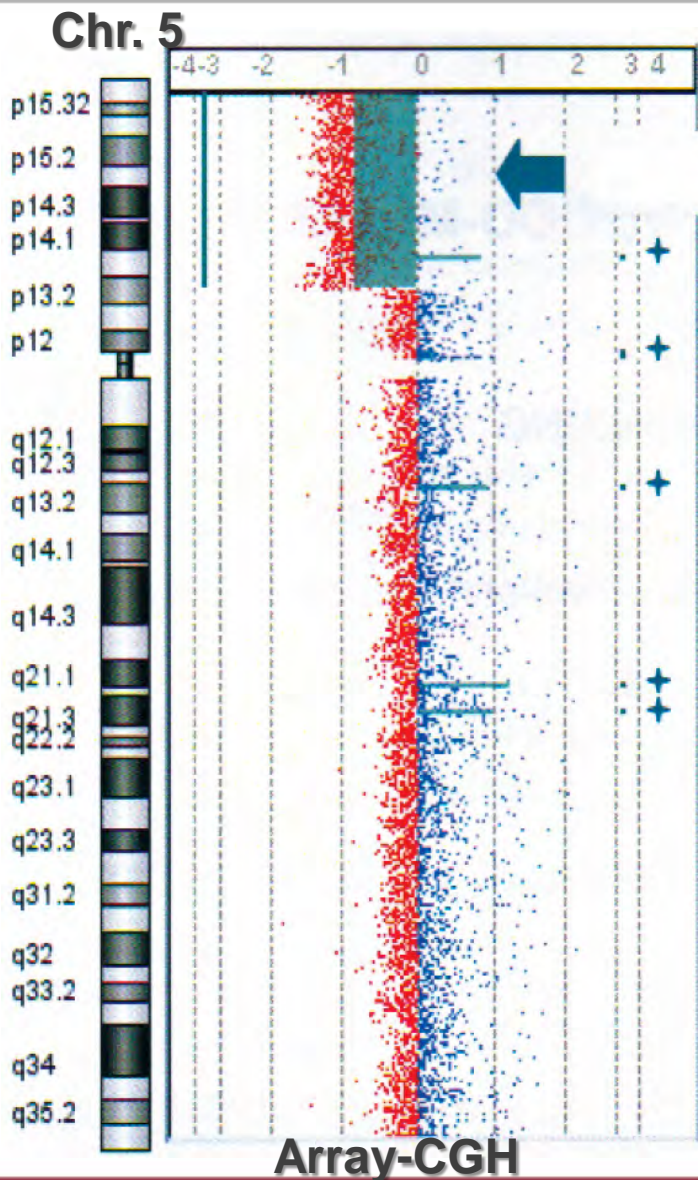


Reassessment  
of the NIPT  
data with

 PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup>  
KARYO

# Detection of a deletion 5p confirmed by array-CGH

Amniotic Fluid



# Case Study 2

32 y.o. patient



13<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

 PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> **5**



Negative Result



21<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

Multiple fetal abnormal ultrasound findings



Reassessment of the NIPT  
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KARYO



Amniocentesis

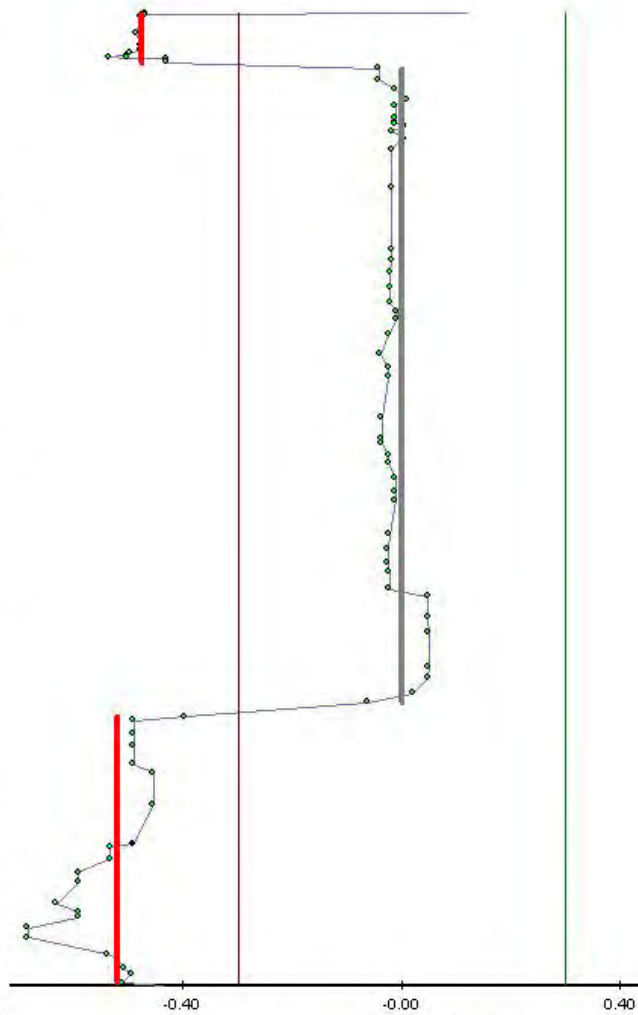
# PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> KARYO Identification of 2 deletions (18p / 18q) confirmed by array-CGH

Chr. 18

18:0Kb



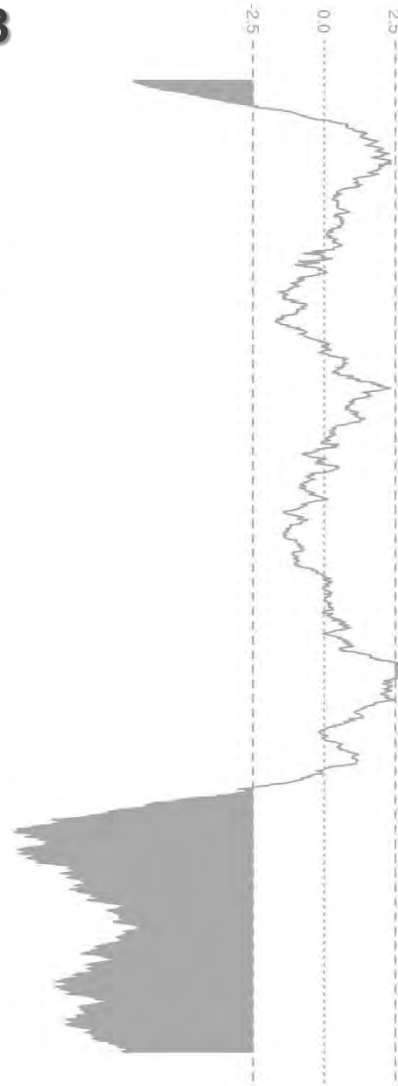
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Log2 Ratio Ch1/Ch2

Array-CGH

Chr. 18



PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> Karyo

Del18p11.32-p11.31

3.8 Mb

cfDNA

Del18q21.32-q23

21.3 Mb

Amniotic Fluid

# Case Study 3

32 y.o patient

Carrier of a reciprocal translocation 46,XX,t(7;9)(p15;q22)

11<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation



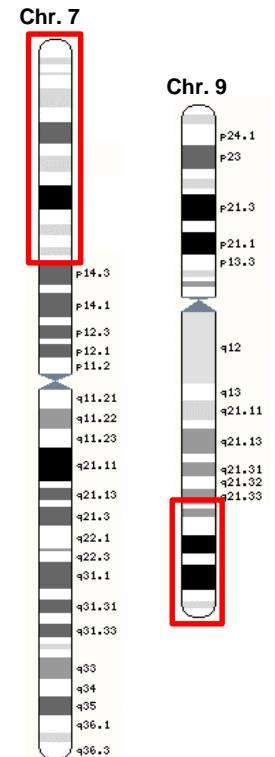
Abnormal Result

detected fetal karyotype with an unbalanced translocation

Villocentesis

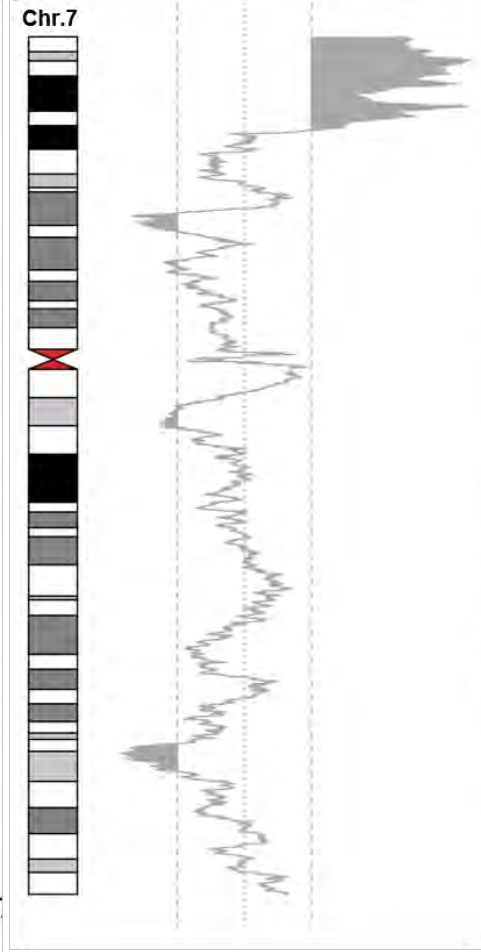
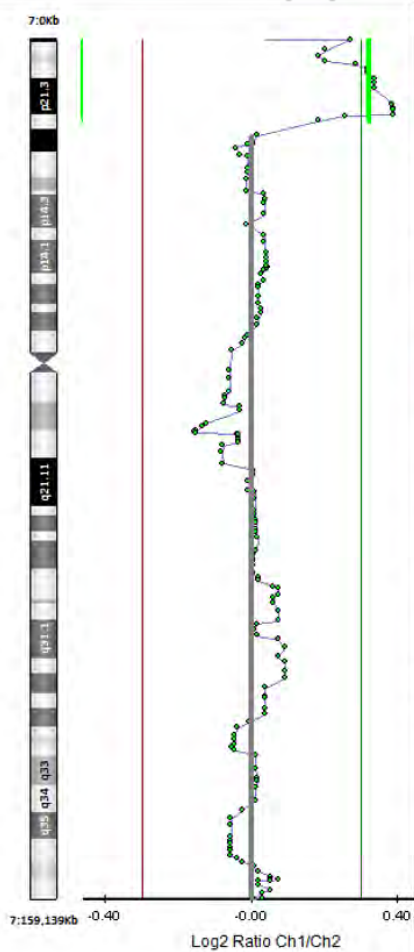


Results confirmed

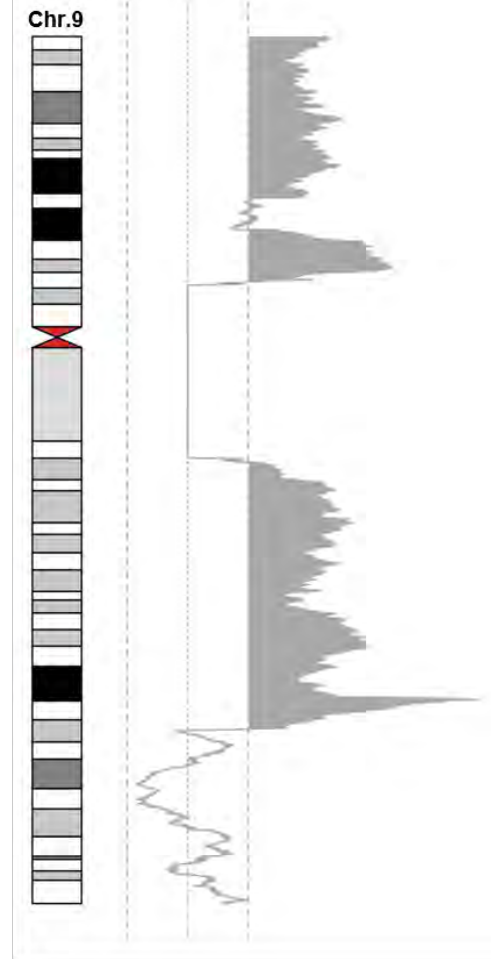
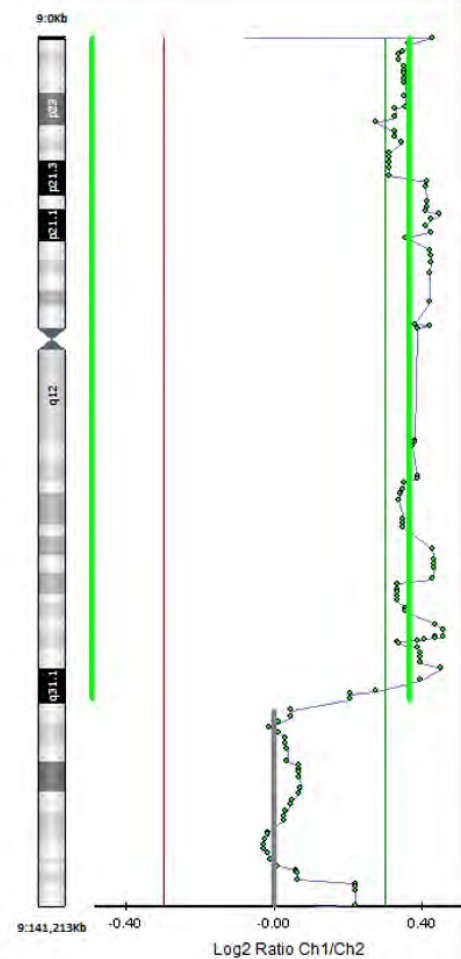


# Detected a fetal karyotype with an unbalanced translocation confirmed by array-CGH

**Dup7p22.3p21.2 15 Mb**



**Dup9p24.3-q31.1 107.5 Mb**



**Array-CGH  
CVS**

**PrenatalSafe® Karyo  
cfDNA**

**Array-CGH  
CVS**

**PrenatalSafe® Karyo  
cfDNA**



# Case Study 4

35 y.o patient



13<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

Amniocentesis  
(traditional karyotyping)



Negative Result  
(Fetale karyotype 46, XY)



20<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

Fetal abnormal ultrasound findings  
(Suspected DiGeorge syndrome)



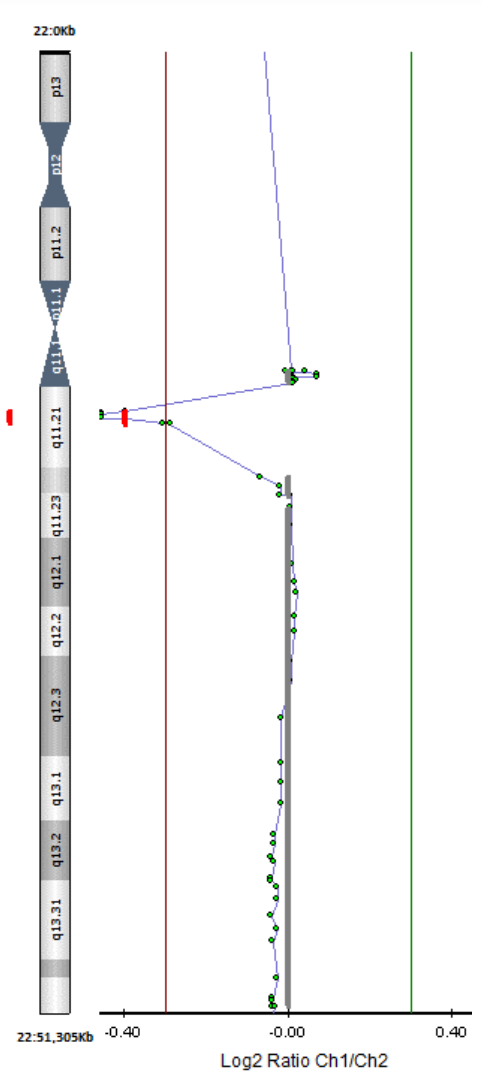
Identified deletion 22q11.2 (compatible with DiGeorge syndrome)



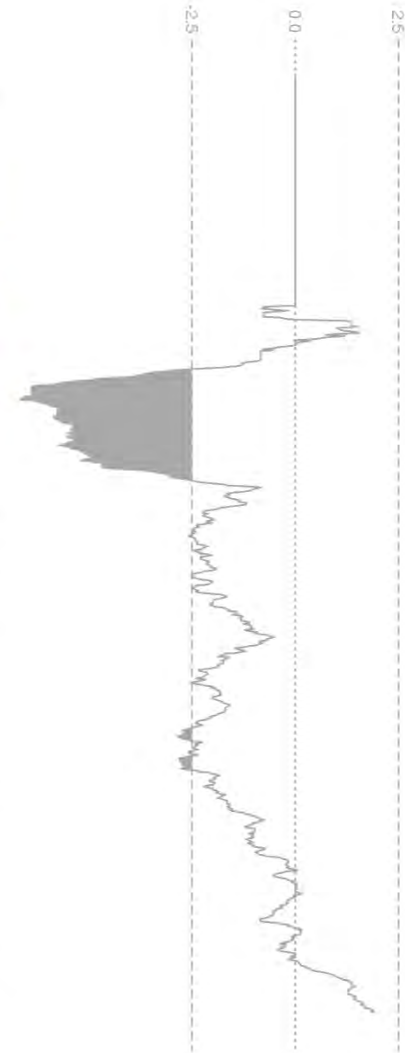
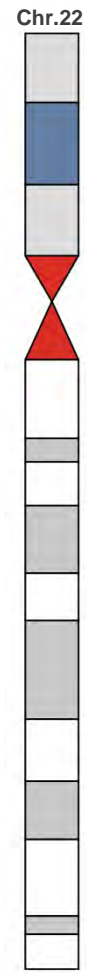
Amniocentesis

# PrenatalSafe<sup>®</sup> KARYO Plus Identification of 22q11.2 deletion confirmed by Array-CGH

Amniotic Fluid



Array-CGH

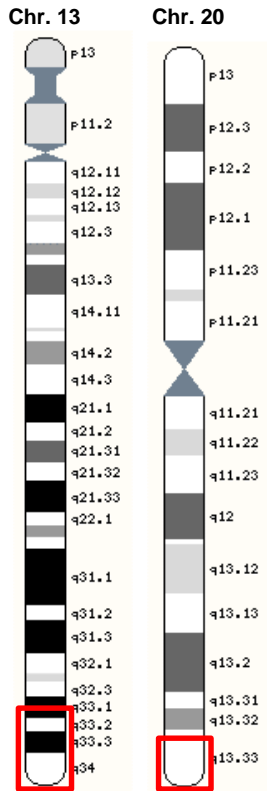


del22q11.21  
DiGeorge Syndrome  
4 Mb

cfDNA

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# Case Study 5



← **33 y.o. patient**  
(She was not aware to be carrier of a chromosomal translocation)

**12<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation**



↓  
**Abnormal Result**

**detected fetal karyotype with an unbalanced translocation**

↓  
**Villocentesis**



↓  
**Results confirmed**

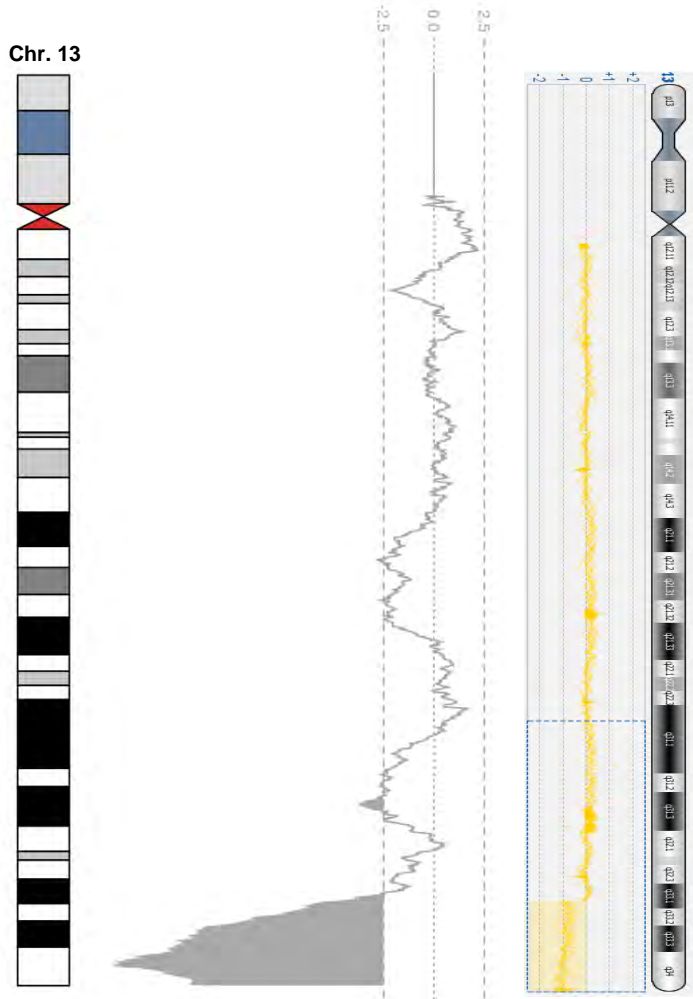


**Paziente portatrice di  
traslocazione reciproca  
46,XX,t(13;20)(q33;q13.3)**

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## Detected a fetal karyotype with an unbalanced translocation confirmed by array-CGH

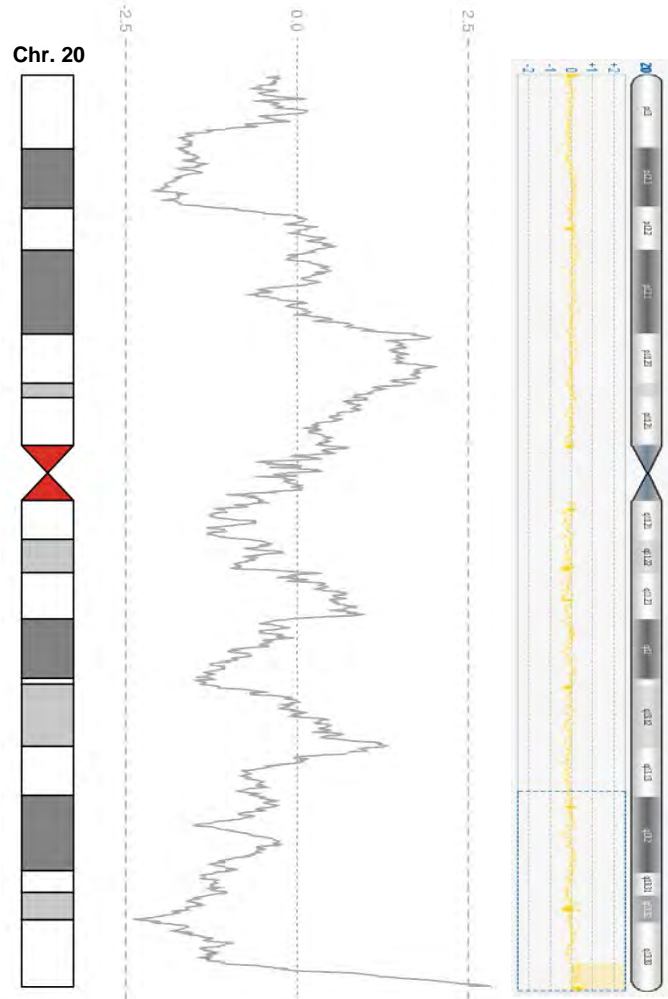
**Del13q33.1q34 11.4 Mb**



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(cfDNA)

**Array-CGH**  
(CVS)

**Dup20q13.33 1.9 Mb**



**PrenatalSafe® Karyo**  
(cfDNA)



**Array-CGH**  
(CVS)

# Case Study 6

40 y.o. patient



13<sup>^</sup> weeks gestation

NIPT  
(5 chromosomes screening)

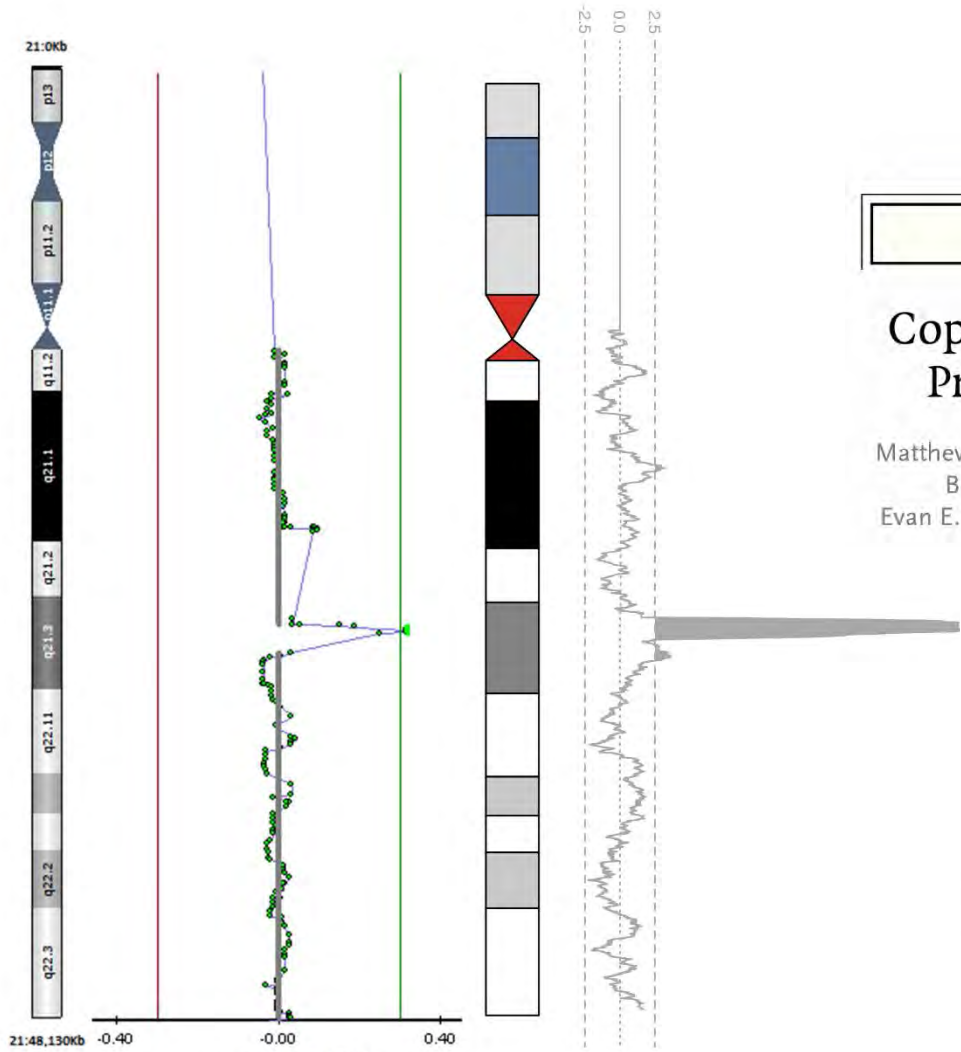


Test performed by a different lab

Positive Result  
High risk for Trisomy 21



Trisomy 21 not detected  
Maternal CNV detected  
causing the false positive result



Array-CGH  
Maternal blood

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