



Genetic Disorders Research Paper

You will be researching a genetic disorder to be presented in a research paper format.

The following information should be obtained:

1. Signs and symptoms of the disease
2. Chromosome(s) and gene affected
3. Cause of disease (type of genetic defect): protein affected and result of defect.
4. Medical treatments available
5. Effect on daily lives of individual and family
6. Pictures, Karyotype, Punnett Square, Pedigree of the phenotype (at least 2 of the four)
7. **APA format** for entire paper, including reference page (see LRC guide with link)
8. You will submit a 3.5-4 page paper (**NOT INCLUDING TITLE OR REFERENCE PAGE**) to Turnitin
9. All of the information covered in Ch.11 of your textbook provides the foundation for your research. You must include it in your references.



No two students in the same class can do the same condition.

1. Achondroplasia
2. Androgenetic Alopecia
3. Pfeiffer Syndrome
4. Waardenburg Syndrome
5. Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome
6. Cri Du Chat Syndrome
7. Cystic Fibrosis
8. Down Syndrome / Trisomy 21
9. Fragile X Syndrome
10. Hemophilia
11. Huntington's Disease
12. Hypopigmentation/albinism
13. Klinefelter Syndrome
14. Krabbes Disease
15. Marfan Syndrome
16. Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy
17. NOMID
18. Phenylketonuria (PKU)
19. Sickle Cell Disease
20. Tay-Sachs
21. Trisomy 13
22. Trisomy 18
23. Turner's Syndrome
24. Another disorder not listed???

Timeline:

Topic Choice sign-up: **Feb. 13, 2017**

First Reference page in perfect APA format due on Turnitin: **Feb. 14, 2017**

Outline due on Turnitin: **Feb 15, 2017** (must have APA citations for all information)

Final Paper due on Turnitin: **Feb. 21, 2017**