

Clinical Applications in Pharmacogenomics/Genomic Medicine

Pre-Course Survey

Note: Students will be asked questions specific to the course in which they are enrolled. This is denoted throughout by use of “[pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine],” to indicate that the survey question will reflect the appropriate course.

Randomization Code: _____

Section I: Demographics and Basic Information

Have you ever undergone consumer-based personal genotyping (performed by a company that does NOT go through your health care provider)?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, display the following:

Which company performed your personal genotyping?

- a. 23andMe
- b. deCODEme
- c. Coriell Institute
- d. DNA Direct
- e. Navigenics
- f. Pathway Genomics
- g. Other (specify): _____

Have you ever undergone genetic or pharmacogenomic testing as part of your clinical care?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. I don't know

What course are you currently taking and completing this survey for?

- a. Clinical Applications of Pharmacogenomics (offered during the FIRST 8 weeks of the Fall semester/Fall A)
- b. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine (offered during the SECOND 8 weeks of the Fall semester/Fall B)

If ‘Clinical Applications of Pharmacogenomics,’ display the following:

Do you plan to undergo the optional personal genotyping in this course?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. I don't know

If ‘Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine,’ display the following:

Did you take the ‘Clinical Applications of Pharmacogenomics’ course?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, display the following:

Did you undergo the optional personal genotyping in the course?

- a. Yes

b. No

Which of the following statements best describes your motivation for taking this course? (Select all that apply)

- a. [Pharmacogenomics/Genomic medicine] will be an important component of patient care in the future and I am interested in learning more about it.
- b. There is not enough content on [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine] in my required professional coursework.
- c. I don't know very much about [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine] and am interested in learning more.
- d. I needed an elective and this one sounded interesting.
- e. Other: _____

Section II: Attitudes about personal genotyping and genetic/pharmacogenomics testing

I understand the difference between consumer-based personal genome testing (personal genotyping) and [pharmacogenomics/genetic] testing that is part of clinical care.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I understand the risks and benefits of [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I know enough about [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing to understand test results.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

[Pharmacogenomics/Genomic medicine] will play an important role in my future career.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

Most health care providers have enough knowledge to interpret [pharmacogenomic/genetic] test results.

- a. Strongly Agree

- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

Most people can accurately interpret their personal genotype test results.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I feel comfortable answering questions from patients about [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine].

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

At this time, would you pursue consumer-based personal genotyping through a commercial company (e.g., 23andMe)?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. I already have

If yes or I already have, display the following 4 questions:

Which of the following best describes your reason(s) for pursuing consumer-based personal genotyping? (Select all that apply)

- a. To satisfy general curiosity about my genetic make-up
- b. To see if a specific disease runs in my family or in my DNA
- c. To see if a specific drug response or adverse drug reaction runs in my family or in my DNA
- d. To learn about my genetic make-up without going through a health care provider
- e. To inform family members of health risks
- f. I have a right to know my genetic make-up if a service is available
- g. Other (specify): _____

Would you share results of consumer-based personal genotyping with your health care provider(s)?

- a. Yes, regardless of my results
- b. Yes, but only if I am at high risk for something
- c. Yes, but only if I am not at high risk for something
- d. No
- e. I'm not sure

Would you consult your health care provider(s) for help interpreting the results of consumer-based personal genotyping?

- a. Yes

- b. No

If you would consult with a health care provider for help interpreting these results, which type of health care provider would you ask? (Select all that apply)

- a. My primary care physician (e.g. Family Medicine, Internist)
- b. A subspecialty physician (e.g. Cardiologist, Neurologist)
- c. A geneticist
- d. A genetic counselor
- e. A pharmacist
- f. It would depend on the result
- g. Not sure

If no, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for not pursuing consumer-based personal genotype evaluation at this time? (Select all that apply)

- a. Limited evidence for a test's ability to measure the genotype of interest accurately and reliably
- b. Limited evidence of a test's usefulness in the clinic and the resulting changes in health outcomes
- c. Limited accuracy of genotype data
- d. Poor quality of data analysis/interpretation
- e. The array of SNPs and/or conditions tested with consumer-based personal genotyping is too limited
- f. Price is too high
- g. I would not understand my test results
- h. I would not be able to interpret my results
- i. Other (specify): _____

At this time, would you (as a health care provider) recommend consumer-based personal genotyping through a commercial company (e.g., 23andMe) for patients?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reason(s) for recommending personal genotyping for a patient? (Select all that apply)

- a. To satisfy general curiosity about their genetic make-up
- b. To see if a specific disease runs in their family or in their DNA
- c. To see if a specific drug response or adverse drug reaction runs in their family or in their DNA
- d. To learn about their genetic make-up without going through a health care provider
- e. To inform family members of health risks
- f. Individuals have a right to know their genetic make-up if a service is available
- g. Other (specify): _____

If no, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for recommending against personal genotyping for a patient? (Select all that apply)

- a. Limited evidence for a test's ability to measure the genotype of interest accurately and reliably
- b. Limited evidence of a test's usefulness in the clinic and the resulting changes in health outcomes
- c. Limited accuracy of genotype data
- d. Poor quality of data analysis/interpretation
- e. The array of SNPs and/or conditions tested with consumer-based personal genotyping is too limited
- f. Price is too high
- g. Individuals have limited ability to understand their test results
- h. Individuals have limited ability to interpret their test results
- i. There are not enough trained health care providers to help patients interpret their results
- j. Other (specify): _____

Would you undergo [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing as part of your clinical care in the future?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for undergoing [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing as part of your clinical care: (Select all that apply)

- a. It adds important information to my clinical care.
- b. It can improve outcomes.
- c. It can help with appropriate drug selection.
- d. It can help prevent drug toxicities.
- e. Other (specify): _____

If no, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for not undergoing [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing in the future as part of your clinical care? (Select all that apply)

- a. It would not add anything to my clinical care
- b. I do not want to know anything about my genetics
- c. My health care providers do not know how to use the information properly
- d. I'm concerned that the results would not be stored in a secure manner
- e. My health insurance is unlikely to cover the cost and it's too expensive
- f. Genetic information in my medical record may lead to problems in the future with my ability to get health insurance, etc.
- g. Other (specify): _____

Would you recommend [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing as part of a patient's clinical care?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for recommending [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing as part of a patient's clinical care: (Select all that apply)

- a. It adds important information to their clinical care.
- b. It can improve outcomes.
- c. It can help with appropriate drug selection.
- d. It can help prevent drug toxicities.
- e. Other (specify): _____

If no, display the following:

Which of the following best describes your reasons for recommending against [pharmacogenomic/genetic] testing as part of a patient's clinical care? (Select all that apply)

- a. It will not add anything to their clinical care
- b. I'm not sure how to use the test results
- c. Patients prefer not to know about their genetics
- d. Other health care providers do not know how to use the information properly
- e. I'm concerned that the results would not be stored in a secure manner
- f. The patient's health insurance is unlikely to cover the cost and it's too expensive
- g. I don't want to be liable for not knowing how to use the information to make clinical decisions
- h. Other (specify): _____

Section III: Knowledge of Pharmacogenomics and Genomic Medicine

Knowledge questions for students enrolled in Clinical Applications of Pharmacogenomics:

BK is an 8-year-old male who was recently diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukemia. He is being started on mercaptopurine and his TPMT genotype results show his diplotype is TPMT *3A/*4. Which of the following mercaptopurine dosing recommendations would you make for BK based on his TPMT genotype?

- a. Avoid mercaptopurine altogether due to increased risk of myelotoxicity; use alternative agent
- b. Decrease mercaptopurine dose 10-fold and reduce frequency to three times weekly to lower risk of myelotoxicity**
- c. Start with reduced mercaptopurine dose (30%-70% of full dose) and monitor patient; adjust dose upward as tolerated
- d. No dose adjustment is needed

For patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention, genetic testing for which of the following drug-metabolizing enzyme(s) has evidence of a clinical benefit to guide antiplatelet drug selection?

- a. CYP2C19**
- b. CYP2C9
- c. CYP2D6
- d. A and B only
- e. A, B, and C

The "clinical utility" of a pharmacogenomic test is defined as:

- a. A test's ability to detect or predict the clinical disorder or phenotype associated with the genotype
- b. A measure of a test's usefulness in the clinic and resulting changes in health outcomes**
- c. A test's ability to measure the genotype of interest accurately and reliably

AB is a 42-year-old male with chronic lower-back pain who has been receiving codeine for pain control for 3 weeks with little pain relief. His physician ordered CYP2D6 testing and results indicate that he is a poor metabolizer (CYP2D6 *4/*4). Which of the following agents could you recommend as a drug therapy alternative for AB that is not affected by this CYP2D6 phenotype?

- a. Oxycodone
- b. Morphine**
- c. Tramadol
- d. Hydrocodone

Knowledge questions for students enrolled in Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine:

A 34-year-old female of Northern European ancestry presents in your clinic with a strong family history of breast and ovarian cancer on both sides of the family. She brings along the results of her personal genomics testing that was done by a consumer-based personal genotyping company. Your patient's consumer-based personal genotyping result profile indicates she does not carry any of the 3 BRCA1 or BRCA2 mutations tested. Additionally, based on 3 other tested SNPs found to be associated with breast cancer in recent genome-wide association studies, her report reveals a risk of 9.1% compared to the average of 12.5%. What is the appropriate conclusion?

- a. The patient has below-average risk but should continue regular screening measures
- b. The patient has the same risk of breast cancer as the average woman of her ethnicity and should continue regular screening measures
- c. The patient has above-average risk and should consider getting her BRCA1 gene sequenced
- d. The patient has above-average risk and should consider getting her BRCA1 and BRCA2 genes sequenced**

Genetic variation in which of the following loci have been associated with increased risk of cardiovascular disease?

- a. 9p21**
- b. 2q33
- c. CHEK2
- d. 18q22
- e. FGFR2

Which of the following provide resources to support evidence-based clinical-decision making in genomic medicine?

- a. EGAPP
- b. ClinVar
- c. FDA
- d. A and B only**
- e. A, B, and C

Which of the following is TRUE regarding family history in genomic medicine?

- a. Family history has little value in predicting disease risk compared with genetic testing
- b. Family history information from patients is generally unreliable, thereby limiting its use
- c. An accurate family history has been linked to improved outcomes for some types of cancer**
- d. Most prescribers are well trained to conduct a family history and use this information to predict disease risk

Section IV: Perceptions of interprofessional collaboration/education in the clinical applications of pharmacogenomic/genomic medicine

Individuals in my profession understand the clinical applications of [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine].

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I understand the role of individuals in my profession in applying [pharmacogenomic/genomic] information to patient care.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I understand the roles of other health care professionals in applying [pharmacogenomic/genomic] information to patient care.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

Successful application of [pharmacogenomic/genomic] information to patient care will require health care professionals to take a team approach.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I feel comfortable answering questions from other health care professionals about [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine].

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

I feel confident in my ability to communicate clinical recommendations regarding [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine] to other health care professionals.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

Learning about [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine] with students from other professions is likely to facilitate subsequent working professional relationships.

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree

Different health care professional students have differing views of [pharmacogenomics/genomic medicine].

- a. Strongly Agree
- b. Agree
- c. Neutral
- d. Disagree
- e. Strongly Disagree