

**MATERNiT21 PLUS**  
Test ID: FMT21

**EXPLANATION:** The following new orderable, referred to Sequenom Center for Molecular Medicine LLC, will be available February 4, 2014.

**METHODOLOGY:** Circulating cell-free fetal DNA is examined from maternal whole blood.

**REFERENCE VALUES:**

A final report will be sent to the referring facility

**USEFUL FOR:** MaterniT21 Plus testing is indicated for pregnant women at increased risk for fetal aneuploidy. Increased risk pregnancies include one or more of the following:

- Advanced maternal age (35 years or older)
- A prior pregnancy with a child affected with a trisomy
- Fetal ultrasound abnormality suggestive of aneuploidy
- Positive serum screening test

The MaterniT21 PLUS test reports fetal chromosomal abnormalities including trisomies (21, 18, 13, 16 and 22), sex aneuploidies, and selected microdeletions (22q deletion syndrome [DiGeorge], 5p [Cri-du-chat syndrome], 15q [Prader-Willi/Angelman syndromes] and 1p [1p36 deletion syndrome]).

**SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS:**

Specimen should be collected between 10 and 27 weeks' gestation

Sequenom collection tubes (MML Supply T715) required:

Draw 2 tubes of blood, 10 mL each in special Streck Black/Tan top tube kit (MML supply number T715). Ship ambient to arrive at MML within 72 hours of draw.

**SPECIMEN STABILITY INFORMATION:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
WB Streck	Ambient	72 hours

**FEE:** \$ 950.00

**CPT CODE:** 81479

**DAY(S) SET UP:** Upon Receipt

**ANALYTIC TIME:** 7 - 10 days

**QUESTIONS:** Contact Mary Erath, MML Laboratory Referrals Supervisor  
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