Dialogue 5

Social Implications of Genetic Testing

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Lunch will be provided

Dramatic advances in genetic testing and diagnosis continue to challenge society’s ability to keep pace with scientific change. From research and privacy to insurance discrimination and health care reform, progress in genetics poses some of the most difficult social and ethical dilemmas in the history of biology. This Dialogue will review some of the issues at the nexus of basic research and clinical practice.

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