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Clinician Information

ONLINE GENETIC CONSULTATION SERVICES

Dear Colleague,

The MGZ – Medical Genetics Center, located in Munich, Germany, has been active in the field of human genetics for more than 15 years and offers diagnostic genetic testing and counseling in many subspecialties of human genetics. Our team of 12 specialists, serving both our main Munich location and branch offices, provide personalized genetic counseling to approximately 4,000 patients, annually. In MGZ's in-house, nationally accredited medical genetics lab, over 10,000 analyses are performed and interpreted by both our clinical geneticists and scientific team each year.

This team collaboration enables us to deal with different medical conditions and to work out a patient-specific diagnostic and treatment strategy together with you. For this purpose, we offer you online-supported, secure video-based consultation services – just like speaking with your own colleagues!

OUR GENETIC PORTFOLIO

With our team of 12 specialists, we are able to provide counseling and consultations in a variety of different genetic areas:

- Eye Diseases
- Vascular and Connective Tissue Disorders
- Heart Diseases
- Brain Malformations / Neuronal Migration Disorders
- Hepatic and Pancreatic Diseases
- Pulmonary Diseases
- Nephrology, Endocrinology, and Electrolyte Disorders
- Neurogenetic Disorders
- Neuromuscular Disorders
- Mental Retardation and Dysmorphology
- Metabolic Diseases
- Hereditary Cancer Syndromes
- Severe Recessive Childhood Diseases / Carrier Screening

TYPES OF GENETIC CONSULTATIONS

Our genetic consultations are independent of whether a genetic analysis is imminent or has already been carried out. Prior to a genetic analysis, we can work with you based on the patient's individual medical history to consider what a genetic diagnostic strategy might look like. After a genetic analysis, (independent of the laboratory carrying out the analysis) you can use our service to jointly consider whether further genetic diagnostics may be useful or what a possible treatment or prevention strategies are available. In both situations, we draw your attention to the importance of (confirmed) familial genetic conditions and may suggest possible further genetic or laboratory analyses of the family members.

GENETIC CONSULTATION PROCESS

Booking a genetic consultation

Genetic consultations are available during the following consulting times:

Monday - Thursday:	8:30 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
	3:00 p.m.	to	6:00 p.m.
Friday:	8:30 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.

Other appointments by special arrangement only.

To book a genetic consultation with one of our clinicians, please send an e-mail to inquiry@mgz-muenchen.com or contact us during our consulting times by calling +49 (0)89 / 30 90 886 - 0.

Patient information

In order to use this service, we require you to provide us, in advance, with relevant medical information about the patient in English. In order to transfer the data, we ask you to obtain prior consent from the patient. We will make all documents available after booking.

Genetic consultation

The genetic consultation will be held via a web-conference or telephone conference call. For each medical case, 20 - 40 minutes are scheduled. During the consultation, recommendations are suggested which will be summarized and sent to you afterwards, in a comprehensive report.

Costs of a genetic consultation

A cost statement can be requested prior to booking a genetic consultation. In case of sending a sample to the MGZ – Medical Genetics Center for genetic testing specific to the medical case, and based upon the genetic consultation, costs will be offset by the costs of the genetic analysis.

All genetic consultation activities are free of charge when combined with a genetic analysis at the MGZ. Opportunities for consultations on a regular basis are available upon request.