

GENETIC DISORDER REPORT

Genetic Disorder: Mitochondrial genetic inheritance disorders

Subclass: Cystic fibrosis

----- PATIENT DETAILS -----

patient_age: 48

father_age: 1000

mother_age: 1000

gender: Male

genes_mother_side: Yes

inherited_father: Yes

maternal_gene: Yes

paternal_gene: Yes

blood_cell_count: 5000

white_blood_cell_count: 5000

respiratory_rate: 15

heart_rate: 72

parental_consent: Yes

follow_up: Medium

birth_effects: Yes

folic_acid_intake: Yes

blood_test_result: Abnormal

No_of_previous_abortion: 1

----- DESCRIPTION -----

Okay, let's break down Cystic Fibrosis (CF) in simple medical terms, remembering it's **not** a mitochondrial genetic disorder.

****Overview:****

Cystic Fibrosis (CF) is a genetic disease that primarily affects the lungs, pancreas, and other organs, leading to chronic respiratory and digestive issues.

****Causes:****

- * ****Faulty Gene:**** CF is caused by mutations (errors) in a gene called the **CFTR** (Cystic Fibrosis Transmembrane Conductance Regulator).
- * ****Recessive Inheritance:**** To have CF, a person must inherit **two** copies of the faulty CFTR gene, one from each parent.

****Symptoms:****

Symptoms can vary in severity from person to person, but common ones include:

- * ****Lung Problems:****
 - * Persistent coughing, sometimes with thick mucus (sputum)
 - * Wheezing and shortness of breath
 - * Frequent lung infections (like pneumonia or bronchitis)
- * ****Digestive Problems:****
 - * Very salty-tasting skin
 - * Poor growth or weight gain, despite a good appetite
 - * Bulky, greasy stools (poop) due to poor digestion
 - * Bowel obstruction (especially in newborns – meconium ileus)
- * ****Other Problems:****
 - * Nasal polyps (growths in the nose)
 - * Infertility (especially in males)
 - * Diabetes (later in life)
 - * Liver disease