

# Interim Update: Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II Evidence-Based Review



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# Objective

- Update the Advisory Committee on the status of the evidence-based review
  - Highlighting key findings
  - Identifying gaps and proposing solutions
  - Describing next steps

# MPS II: Overview

- X-linked lysosomal inborn error of metabolism caused by deficiency of the enzyme iduronate 2-sulfatase, leading to the accumulation of specific glycosaminoglycans (GAGs)
- >500 mutations in the *IDS* gene (Xq28)
  - Many private mutations
- Clinical-detected prevalence: 0.2-2.5 per 100,000 live births
  - Attenuated: ~1/3 of cases
  - Severe: ~2/3 of cases
- Some who screen positive will have pseudodeficiency

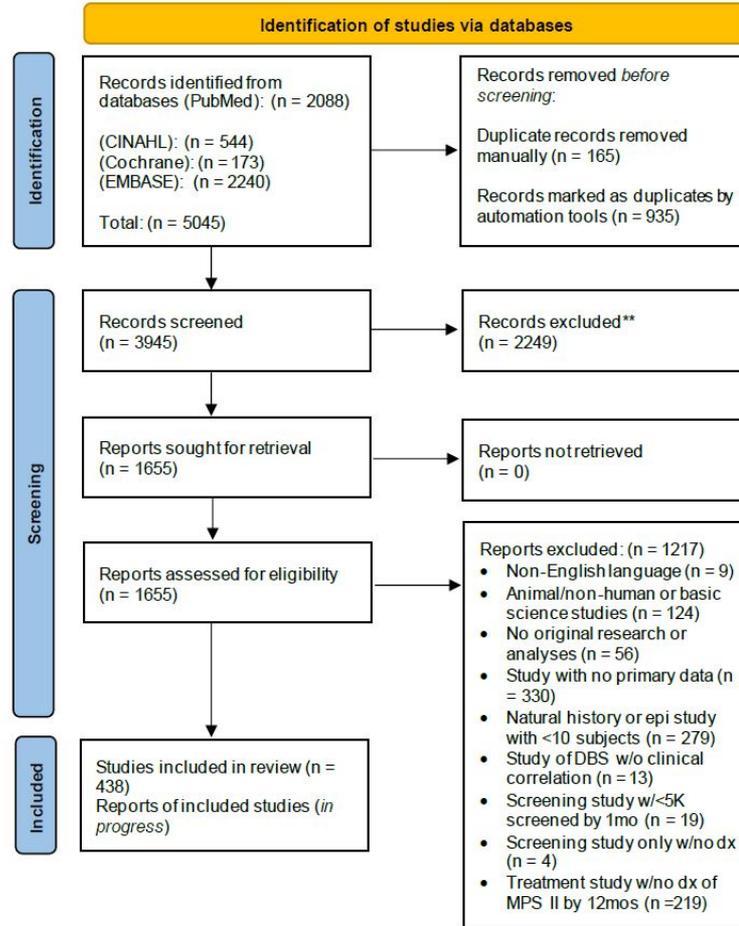
# MPS II: Overview (1 of 2)

- Severe
    - Progressive multiorgan and joint involvement
    - Cognitive impairment and regression
    - Diagnosis typical in early childhood (18-36 months)
    - Death in the teens or 20s if untreated
  - Attenuated
    - Later diagnosis – how much later?
    - Progressive multiorgan involvement but no CNS impairment
    - Can live well into adulthood – life expectancy is unknown
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# MPS II: Overview (2 of 2)

- Phenotype is not typically predictable at the time of diagnosis
  - Severe form can be predicted based on complete deletion or complex rearrangement
  - Phenotypic prediction typically is not possible for the private mutations
- Screening and diagnosis
  - MS/MS or fluorometry
  - Diagnosis: confirm low enzyme activity, measure GAGs (serum) to rule out pseudodeficiency, genotype, rule-out other conditions
- Targeted treatment
  - Enzyme replacement therapy (idursulfase) and hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT)

# Published Articles



# Survival in Idursulfase-Treated and Untreated Patients: Hunter Outcome Survey

| Patient Characteristics                      | Treated (n=800)<br>median in yrs (P10, P90) | Untreated (n=95)<br>median in yrs (P10, P90) |
|--|---|--|
| Age at symptom onset                         | 1.6 (0.3, 4.3)                              | 1.5 (0.2, 4.2)                               |
| Age at diagnosis                             | 3.3 (1.0, 7.1)                              | 3.2 (0.9, 10.8)                              |
| Delay in Diagnosis                           | 1.0 (0.0, 4.3)                              | 1.0 (0.0, 5.8)                               |
| Age at first treatment                       | 6.9 (2.1, 19.8)                             | NA   |
| Length of time on treatment in months        | 57.8 (10.6, 106.2)                          | NA   |
| % with Cognitive impairment                  | 58.0%                                       | 57.9%  |
| % died                                       | 15.5% (124/800 )                            | 29.5% (28/95)                                |
| Follow-up time, birth to death or last visit | 13.0  | 15.1   |
| Survival age at follow up                    | 33.0 (30.4, 38.4)                           | 21.2 (16.1, 31.5)                            |

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# MPS II – Disease Progression

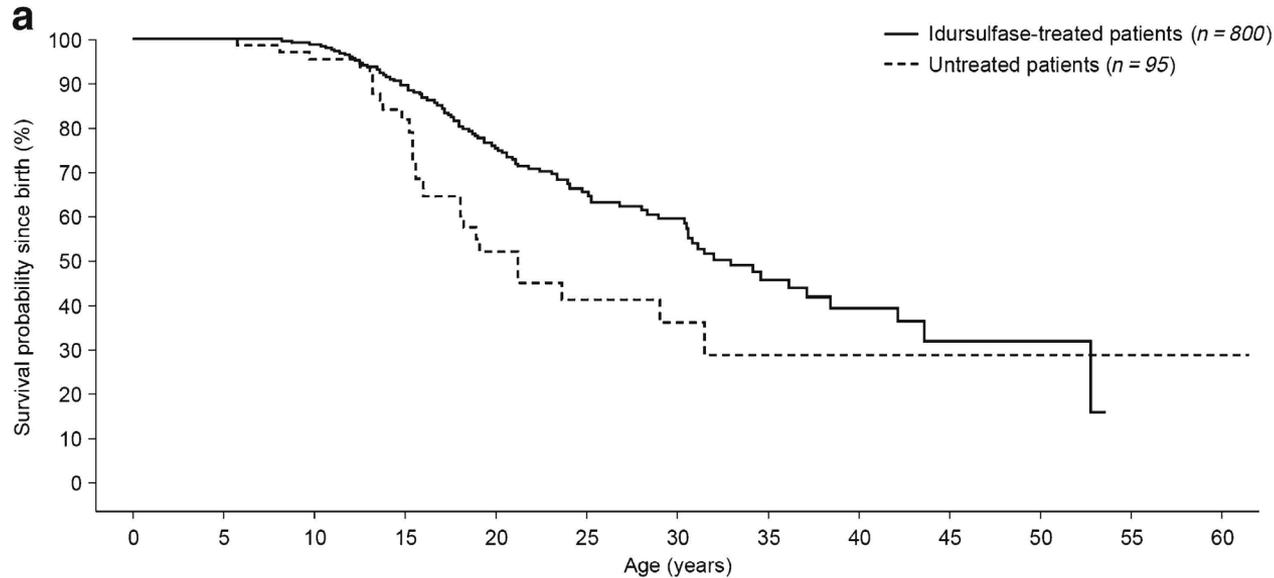
| System affected                  | Sign or symptom  | Median age at onset<br>(10 <sup>th</sup> , 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile) in years | N patients (%) |
|----------------------------------|--|--|----------------|
| <b>Pulmonary</b>                 | upper respiratory tract infections, obstructive airway disease, otitis media, sleep apnea, mechanical ventilation or oxygen dependency   | 2.7<br>(0.1, 13.4)   | 86<br>(70.0)   |
| <b>Central Nervous System</b>    | cognitive and developmental delay, behavior problems, hyperactivity, frequent chewing, hydrocephalus, seizure disorder (severe MPS II)   | 3.3<br>(0.1, 11.5)   | 58<br>(46.8)   |
| <b>Skeletal/muscular</b>         | hip dysplasia, joint disorders, kyphosis/scoliosis, restricted range of motion   | 3.5<br>(0.9, 8.6)  | 98<br>(79.0)   |
| <b>Cardiovascular</b>            | valve disease, heart murmur, bradycardia, tachycardia, arrhythmia, cardiomyopathy, congestive heart failure, hypertension, angina, infarction, peripheral vascular disease, abnormal heartbeat frequency | 5.6<br>(1.7, 14.2)   | 108<br>(87.1)  |
| <b>Peripheral Nervous System</b> | Carpal tunnel syndrome, fine motor skill impairment, abnormal reflexes   | 5.7<br>(1.7, 14.2)   | 60<br>(48.4)   |

Link et al. 2010. *Orthopedic manifestations in patients with mucopolysaccharidosis type II (Hunter syndrome) enrolled in the Hunter Outcome Survey. Orthopedic reviews.*

# Wide Range of Treatment Outcome Measures

- Mortality
- **Respiratory failure**
- **Cardiac involvement (e.g., ventricular wall hypertrophy, cardiac function)**
- **Liver volume**
- **Spleen volume**
- **Development** (cognitive, gross motor, fine motor)
- **Ability to ambulate and endurance**
- Joint mobility
- Sleep apnea
- Growth (height, weight, head circumference)
- Quality of life/*toileting abilities*
- **Physical features**
- **Urinary GAG level**

# Unadjusted Risk of Survival



Number of patients at risk

|           |     |     |     |     |     |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|
| Treated   | 800 | 724 | 509 | 305 | 157 | 90 | 58 | 26 | 14 | 7 | 3 | 0 |   |
| Untreated | 95  | 79  | 58  | 39  | 19  | 10 | 6  | 3  | 3  | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 |

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# 3-Year Follow-up of twins, one with MPS II treated presymptomatically

- ERT at 3 months of age
- Normal ranges of movement for most joints
- Normal cardiac valves
- Normal facial appearance
- IQ: 98 (MPS II) vs. 118
- Mild deformity of one vertebrae
- Older sister
  - IQ 24 at age 7.5 years (down from 50 at 3 years), other findings consistent with MPS II

Tylki-Szymanska et al. Acta Paediatr. 2012;101:e42-47.

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## At 9 years.....(abstract only)

- No evident findings of MPS II
- Minor restriction of movement at the hip
- IQ: 104 (MPS II) vs.121

Tylki-Szymanska et al. *Journal of Inherited Metabolic Disease*. 2016;39:S275.

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# Muenzer et al. Evaluation of the long-term treatment effects of intravenous idursulfase in patients with MPS II using statistical modeling: data from the Hunter Outcome Study (HOS). *Orphanet J Rare Dis.* 2021;16:456.

- Inclusion criteria
  - Male patients with MPS II
  - IV idursulfase for  $\geq 5$  years
  - Data from at least two time points (1 after ERT)
  - No transplant and no previous clinical trial for ERT
- Categorized by age at ERT:
  - 0-<18 months
  - 18 months-<5 years
  - $\geq 5$  years
- Evaluated out to 8 years
- Outcome measures:
  - Urine GAG levels
  - Left ventricular mass index (LVMI)
  - Palpable liver size
  - FVC/FEV<sub>1</sub> for subjects at least 5 years of age and no cognitive impairment at any time
  - 6MWT for subjects at least 5 years of age and no cognitive impairment any time

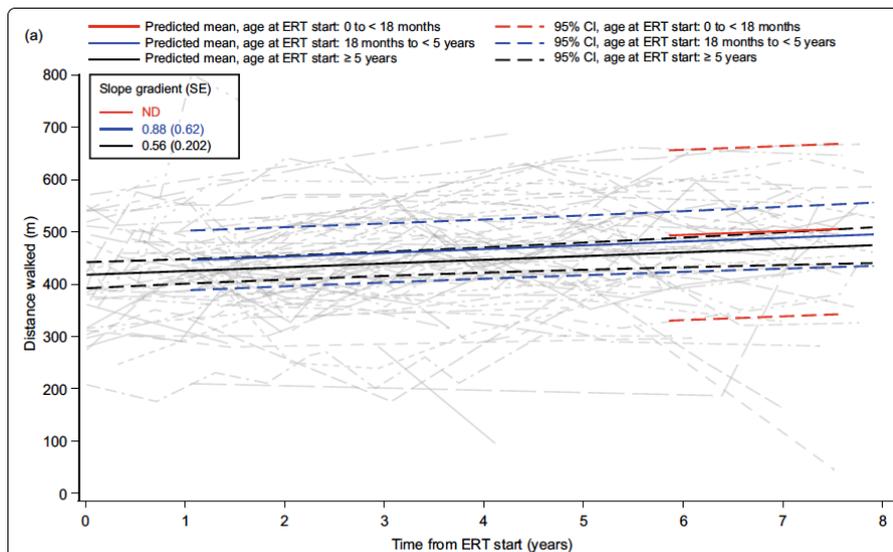
# Study Population

- 481 subjects
  - Symptom onset: Median - 1.5 years
  - ERT: Median – 5 years
  - Cognitive Impairment at any time: 67%

# Results

- Urine GAG levels (n=180) and palpable liver size (n=413) decreased within a similar range regardless of age category at which ERT began
- FVC/FEV<sub>1</sub> (n=84/n=83) decreased slightly after 5 years for those without cognitive impairment with “trends...similar across all ages at treatment start”
- LVMI (n=250) “remained stable for up to 8 years post-ERT start in all age groups, with decreases of approximately 1 g/m<sup>2</sup> at 8 years post-ERT compared with baseline across all ages at treatment start...”

# 6-Minute Walk Test



(b)

| Age at ERT start       | Predicted mean value (95% CI), m |                              |                              |                              |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                        | Pre-ERT                          |                              | 8 years post-treatment start |                              |
|                        | Main analysis (n = 76)           | Internal validation (n = 42) | Main analysis (n = 76)       | Internal validation (n = 42) |
| 0 to < 18 months       | NA                               | NA                           | 507.3 (344.5, 670.1)         | ND                           |
| 18 months to < 5 years | NA                               | NA                           | 494.7 (434.1, 555.2)         | 519.2 (451.5, 586.9)         |
| ≥ 5 years              | 416.1 (391.2, 440.9)             | 409.5 (381.7, 437.4)         | 473.9 (439.4, 508.4)         | 485.3 (446.0, 524.6)         |

- n=76; Not cognitively impaired
- Values not modeled until subjects were 5 years of age if ERT began <5 years
- Point estimates for the mean walking distance at 8 years post-ERT start was greater for patients 0 to <18 months at ERT start, with substantial overlap in the confidence intervals
  - 12.6m greater than 18 months-<5 years
  - 33.1m compared to ≥5 years

# Limitations

- Findings do not demonstrate a statistically significant difference by age at ERT initiation
- Limited ability to conduct statistical inference testing
- Variability in the timing and number of measures per subject
- Incomplete data
- Risk of confounding
- Serial cross-sectional analysis
- Outcomes based on time since ERT initiation, not absolute age
- Unclear what led to the diagnosis

# Gray Literature: 3 Siblings

|                         | Oldest brother  | Middle brother  | Youngest brother  |
|-------------------------|---|---|---|
| <b>Age at DX</b>        | 6 years   | 2 ½ years   | 0 (prenatally)  |
| <b>Age at Treatment</b> | ERT “for” 4 years   | ERT at 2 ½ years  | ERT at 4 months<br>Cord blood transplant at 10 months   |
| <b>Current Age</b>      | 13  | 11  | 2 ½   |
| <b>Clinical history</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Significant disease progression</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Milder non-CNS involvement.</li> <li>- Significant cognitive impairment</li> <li>- Slower disease progression</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Developmental milestone gains</li> <li>- Significantly slower disease progression</li> </ul> |

# Grey Literature: GAGs

- GAG markers for pseudodeficiency are lower than those associated with MPS II (60 random dried-blood spots, 6 with pseudodeficiency, 18 with MPS II, 19 with MPS I (report submitted for peer review by Michael Gelb, PhD, University of Washington))

# Novel Therapies

- Pabinafsup alfa (Izcargo): ERT that uses the transferrin receptor to cross the blood-brain barrier; approved in Japan with clinical trials underway in the US
- ETV:IDS (DNL310): Similar product to above, phase 1-2 clinical trials underway and has been granted FDA fast-track designation
- RGX-121: AAV gene therapy delivered intracisternally, phase 1-2 clinical trials underway and has been granted FDA fast-track designation
- Intrathecal idursulfase

# Illinois Experience

- From December 2017-May 2021
  - ~559K specimens from ~473K newborns
    - Screen Positives: 63
      - Severe/Classical: 2
      - Affected: 6
      - Variants of Unknown Significance: 8
    - Pseudodeficiency: 30
    - Normal: 9
    - Lost to follow-up: 1
    - Parent Refused Further Testing: 1
    - Pending Final Close-Out: 6

# Missouri Experience

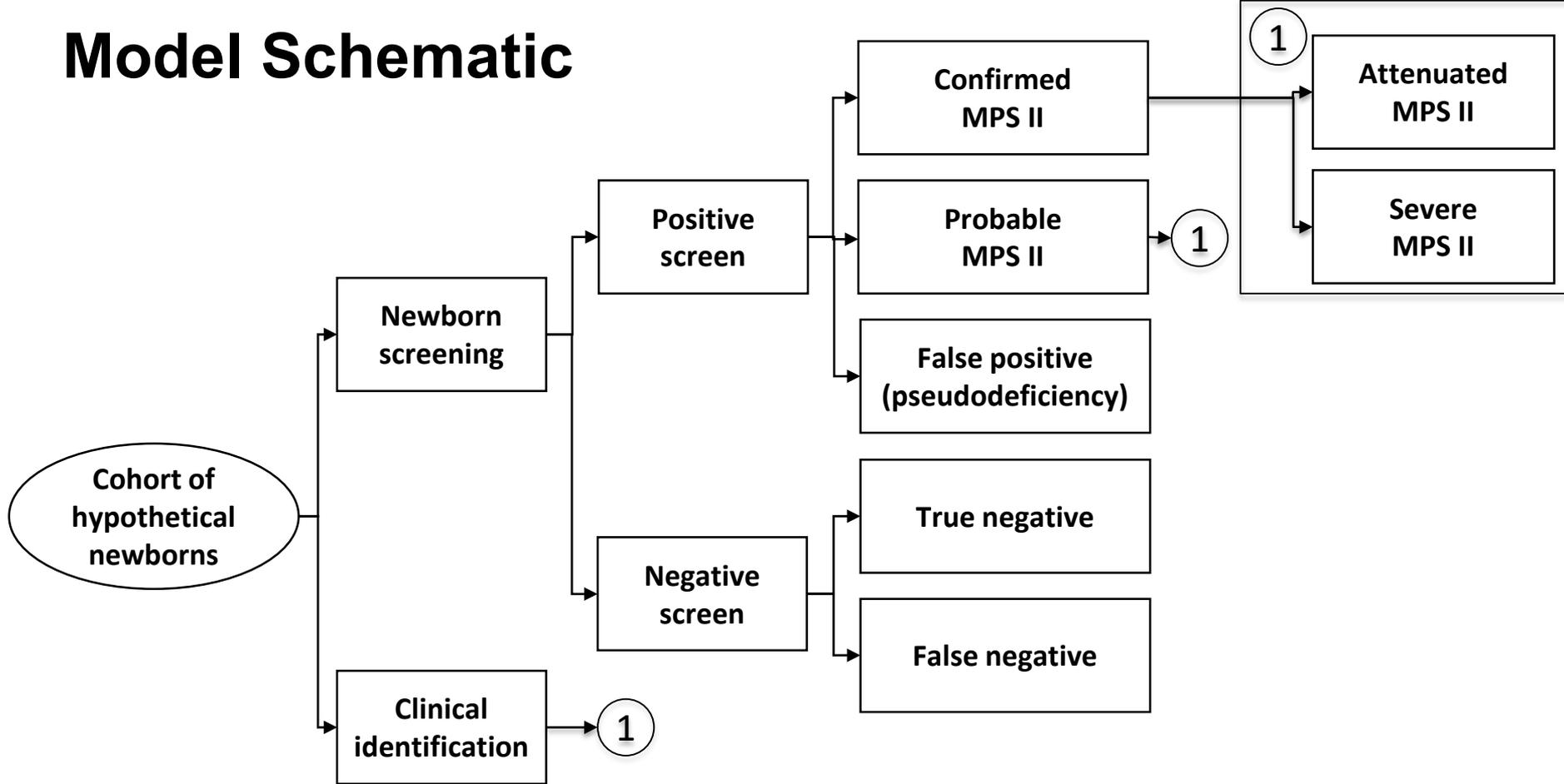
- From November 2018 – June 2021
  - ~233K specimens and ~200,000 newborns
    - Screen Positives: 28
      - Severe: 3
      - Variants of Unknown Significance: 9
    - Pseudodeficiency: 3
    - Normal: 7
    - Loss to follow-up: 1
    - Parent refused further testing: 1
    - Pending Final Close-Out: 4

# Summary of Screening Results

- Referral Rates
  - Illinois: ~13/100,000 live births
  - Missouri: ~14/100,000 live births
- MPS II Cases Identified
  - Illinois: ~1.7/100,000 live births
  - Missouri: ~1.5/100,000 live births

# Update on Decision-Analytic Modeling

# Model Schematic



# Population health outcomes

- Screening outcomes
  - Positive screens
  - Cases identified
- Insufficient evidence to model longer-term outcomes
  - Heterogeneity of outcome measures
  - Continuous progression of disease
  - Absence of key markers of progression

# Next Steps

- Systematic review of clinical trials
- Review of study designs from previous condition reviews
- Discussion with TEP
- Anticipated findings
  - Proposed health outcomes for future modeling
  - Potential study designs (HOS)

# Update on Public Health System Impact

- Survey: September 20-October 25
  - Following webinar and fact sheet distribution
- Newborn Screening Program Interviews
  - Illinois
  - Missouri
  - New York (pending)
  - Other states that might be doing a pilot and 2-4 additional

# Update on Cost Assessment

- Start-up costs
  - Planning, hiring staff, LIMS, training space, equipment, etc.
- Operating costs
  - Lab staff, reagents, equipment rental or depreciation, supplies, utilities, follow-up staff, second tier testing, etc.
- Costs will vary by program, platform and assay, number of annual births
- Estimated range \$1-6

# Next Steps

- Complete evidence synthesis
  - Will close the literature search 30 days before the report deadline
  - Focus on treatment impact following earlier identification.
    - This will be a key consideration
    - At least one additional abstract has been submitted to a national meeting with sibling data
  - Model screening outcomes based on the available evidence
- Complete the PHSI assessment and cost evaluation