

# **GENDER REVEAL**

# DESCRIPTION

Getting an early gender DNA test can be a fun activity for you, your family and friends! Especially as you make plans and get ready for your new baby.

Our Gender Reveal test analyzes a simple blood draw sample to determine the gender of your unborn child. Gender Reveal testing is recommended as early as 8 weeks into pregnancy. This test can only be used for single pregnancies. This non-invasive prenatal test (NIPT) test has accuracy above 99%. This test analyzes the fetal DNA that circulates in maternal blood.

## WHY DO I NEED THIS TEST?

If you are curious about the gender of your unborn child prior to getting your customary 20-week ultrasound.

## HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE TO GET MY LAB TEST RESULTS?

Test results will be reported in 3 to 4 business days.

## AM I REQUIRED TO FAST FOR THIS LAB TEST?

No fasting is required.

### **OTHER TEST DETAILS**

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