VCU Pathology Grand Rounds

"An update on carrier screening for Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA)"

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At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Describe the genetics of spinal muscular atrophy
- 2. Understand how molecular genetic testing for SMA carrier screening is performed
- 3. Evaluate the limitations of molecular genetic testing approaches



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