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PUBLIC AWARENESS OF GENETICS AND ETHICAL, LEGAL AND SOCIETAL ISSUES

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ABSTRACT

The recent advances in the genomic technology and deciphering of the human genome sequence have opened new paths in modern medicine. It also posed ethical challenges and dilemmas. Several ethical issues confront those who are committed to the practice of Genomic Medicine, including the regulation of genetic testing, the governance of genetic research and genomic data sharing in an ethical and publicly accountable way.

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