

Using NT Measurement at **NTDLABS**[®]



NTD Labs offers the highest detection rate available for Down syndrome screening in the first trimester.

DISORDER	MARKERS	DETECTION RATE	FALSE POSITIVE RATE
Down syndrome	free beta hCG, PAPP-A, NT*	91%	5%
Trisomy 13, 18	free beta hCG, PAPP-A, NT*	95%	0.3%

*Nuchal translucency

You must be NT accredited before you can send samples to NTD Labs

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR DETAILS ON BECOMING NT ACCREDITED



NT Accreditation Process

1 TAKE A COURSE

Both the *Fetal Medicine Foundation* (FMF) and the *Nuchal Translucency Quality Review Program* (NTQR) offer the didactic course required for NT accreditation for a fee. Details for registration are listed below.

2 SUBMIT IMAGES

Both the FMF and the NTQR require sonographic images to be submitted for approval. We recommend you host a practical session with 3-4 practice patients (11-13 weeks gestation) per sonographer being trained to obtain images.

3 GET EQUIPMENT

Proper equipment is necessary for generating the images for submission. We recommend 1 ultrasound machine per 1-2 sonographers being trained at the practical session.

4 GET APPROVAL

Both the FMF and the NTQR require you upload your images for approval. The FMF requires 3 images and the NTQR requires 5 images. Once approved, they will provide you with a certificate for measuring NT.

5 FAX ACCREDITATION CERTIFICATE

Once approved, your NT Certificate must be on file at NTD Labs before submitting patient samples. Please include your NTD Labs Account # and fax your certificate to 631-425-0864.

6 SEND SAMPLES

Contact your local NTD Labs Representative to in-service your staff on the correct process for sending samples to NTD Labs.

START NOW! Register for a course at either:
www.fetalmedicine.com/fmf OR www.ntqr.org