



# MAKING SENSE OF THE NEWBORN SCREEN



## WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A NEWBORN SCREEN IS FLAGGED?



The Ohio Department of Health calls and faxes information to the primary care physician on record.



Sometimes a specialty team is notified.



The newborn is referred for appropriate follow up, including: repeat screen, labs, urgent visit, sometimes Emergency referral.



The family is counseled, diagnostic labs are ordered, a medical plan is developed.



Diagnostic and clinical test results are sent by FAX to 614-644-4648 to the Ohio Department of Health Newborn Screening Lab.

## WHAT SCREENS HAVE BEEN ADDED IN OHIO RECENTLY?

- Krabbe Disease (2016)
- Mucopolysaccharidosis I (2017)
- Pompe (2017)
- Spinal Muscular Atrophy (2022)
- X Linked Adrenoleukodystrophy (2022)
- **COMING SOON:** Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy

## HEALTH CONDITIONS INCLUDED IN BLOOD SPOT SCREENING:

- Amino Acid Disorders
- Fatty Acid Disorders
- Organic Acid Disorders
- Biotinidase Deficiency
- Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia (CAH)
- Congenital Hypothyroidism
- Cystic Fibrosis (CF)
- Galactosemia
- Sickle Cell Disease and other Hemoglobinopathies
- Severe Combined Immunodeficiency (SCID)
- Lysosomal Storage Disorders (LSD)

## RESOURCES

- **Newborn Screening Laboratory eReports**  
<https://odh.ohio.gov/know-our-programs/newborn-screening/resources/frmereportsagreement>



- **Baby's First Test**  
[babysfirsttest.org](http://babysfirsttest.org)



**For more information, please visit:**

<https://ohioaap.org/education-cme-moc-ii/preventive-health-program/>