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sex chromosome aneuploidies and sex determination -- Cost-effectiveness of cell-free DNA based NIPT: summary of evidence and challenges -- Section 4: The future. Exome sequencing in the evaluation of the fetus with structural anomalies -- Cell-based NIPT: a promising path for prenatal diagnosis -- Maternal circulating nucleic acids as a marker of placental health -- Prenatal treatment of genetic diseases in the unborn

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"Since its introduction in 2012, cell-free (cf) DNA based Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT) has been employed to test for fetal chromosome abnormalities, and gene mutations that lead to a variety of genetic conditions, by millions of pregnant women, in more than 90 countries worldwide. With Noninvasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT): Applied Genomics in Prenatal Screening and Diagnosis, Dr Lieve Page-Christiaens and Dr Hanns-Georg Klein have compiled the first authoritative volume on cfDNA NIPT methods and their clinical implementation"--Publisher's description.

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