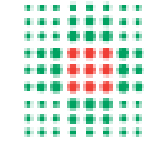




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# **DMD international project**

A partnership between the PTC Therapeutics International Ltd.  
and the Medical Genetics Unit of Ferrara



## Focus of the Collaboration:

- Identifying patients affected by rare genetic disorders through increased genetic testing activities.
- Under the terms of the collaboration, PTC will fund University of Ferrara's genetic testing efforts with an initial focus on Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.
- **Genetic testing will be available to patients throughout Europe and other countries.**

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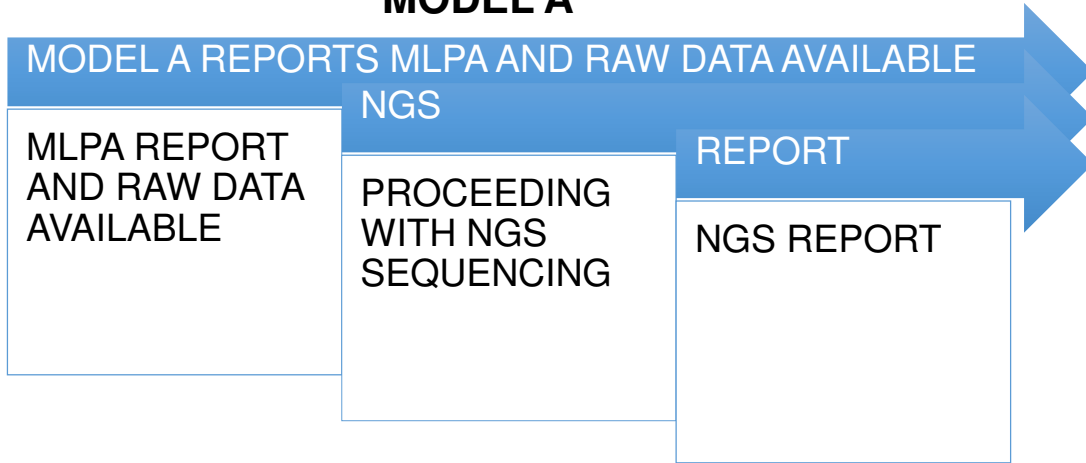
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## **Physicians willing to request DMD genetic testing have to:**

- Preliminary contact the project staff at the e-mail address:  
[idmd@unife.it](mailto:idmd@unife.it)
- Download and fill in the required documents/forms at:  
[www.ospfe.it/geneticamedica/DMDinternationalproject](http://www.ospfe.it/geneticamedica/DMDinternationalproject)
- Send samples (with mandatory documents) via DHL courier to :  
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# Genetic Testing Flow-Chart:

## MODEL A



## MODEL B

