“Exome sequencing in newborn screening for inborn errors of metabolism”

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NEEDS ASSESSMENT
Newborn screening (NBS) is a public health programme that identifies infants with heritable disorders before the onset of clinical signs, allowing for early and life-saving intervention. Screening for metabolic disorders using tandem mass spectrometry (MS/MS) identifies most affected newborns, along with a large number of false-positive infants.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
1. Review the NBS approach and challenges
2. Evaluate exome sequencing as a methodology for NBS
3. Considerations for implementation in second-tier testing

DESIGNATION STATEMENT
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