

THALASSEMIA SCREENING

EARLY DETECTION CAN SAVE GENERATIONS

What is Thalassemia?

Thalassaemia is an inherited disorder characterised by low levels of haemoglobin in red blood cells, resulting in anaemia. It can be passed down from both parents and affects individuals of all genders. Although carriers may not exhibit any signs or symptoms, thalassaemia can only be diagnosed through specific screening tests.

Do you know?

Do you know that 1 in 20 Malaysians is a thalassemia carrier*, and 8964 individuals suffered from thalassemia major**?

Screen Today for a Peaceful Mind Tomorrow

Protect your child from a lifetime of thalassemia major by checking your thalassemia status before starting a family. Take proactive steps today and ask your doctor about prevention measures to ensure the health and well-being of your family.

How to screen for Thalassemia?

We offer two screening tests:



Haemoglobin Analysis for Beta Thalassemia and Haemoglobin Variants



DNA Analysis for Alpha Thalassemia

*Source: Thalassemia in Malaysia. Haemoglobin. January 2022.

**Source: Malaysian Thalassemia Registry. 2019. Ministry of Health.



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