

**KARYOTYPE LAB - ANALYSIS & CONCLUSIONS WORKSHEET**

You and your lab partner will EACH complete your own Karyotype Lab Analysis and Conclusions Worksheet. Staple both partners' worksheets to your karyotype before turning them in.

**CHROMOSOME SPREAD CODE (circle one): A B C D E F**

1. Who was your lab partner? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Examine your karyotype. Is the baby male or female? How do you know?

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3. Will the baby be normal or have a chromosomal abnormality? If there is a chromosomal abnormality, which one is it? How do you know?

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4. The Y chromosome closely resembles many of the other chromosomes. What did you have to do to determine that it was the Y chromosome?

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5. If the karyotype you constructed were for a female with Down syndrome, what chromosome changes would be evident (compared to the baby you currently have)?

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6. If your job were to inform the Smiths of their test results, what would you tell them about what their baby will be like?

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7. Why are karyotypes important tools for geneticists?

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