

EVENT RECAP

EVENT DETAILS

Demystifying Genetic Testing



April 19, 2023
Webinar



17 Attendees
Virtual



Emma Keel, MS CGC
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EVENT SUMMARY

Emma Keel, a genetic counselor with the University of Chicago Medicine, led a webinar on genetic testing.

The webinar covered genetic basics and Lynch syndrome, and genetic mutations or “spelling errors” that can be associated with increased colorectal cancer risk.

The webinar also covered how genetic testing works, when it is typically used, and why it’s used to assess for cancer risk.



Testimonial

“It was an honor to speak about genetic counseling and genetic testing for cancer risk at the GH Foundation Event. The GH Foundation is doing important work to normalize and destigmatize conversations around GI health and family health history. Being aware of GI symptoms and family history of disease AND being able to talk about them with a doctor and family members can save lives!”

Emma Keel