

Screen all your COPD patients with

AlphaID™



Cheek Swab

Dried Blood Spot

AlphaID provides *completely free* screening for alpha₁-antitrypsin deficiency (alpha-1)

Alpha-1 is the #1 known genetic risk factor for COPD¹

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Alpha-1 may be a contributing cause in **up to 3% of COPD cases** in the United States—**up to 300,000 people**¹



First described in 1963, alpha-1 is **caused by a mutation** of the SERPINA1 gene located on chromosome 14²

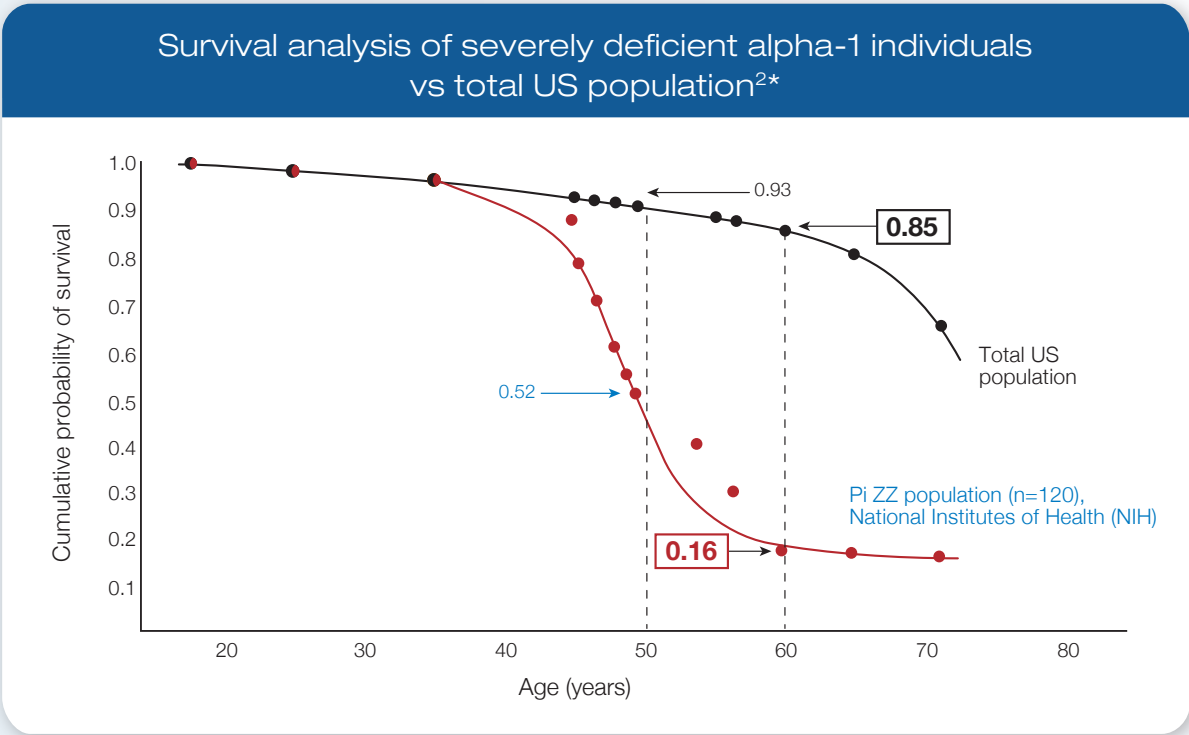


Alpha1-antitrypsin protects the lungs from proteolytic attack, particularly by neutrophil elastase. Without sufficient levels of alpha1-antitrypsin, lung damage occurs¹



A landmark study indicated that **severe alpha-1 significantly shortened life span**²

- Mean survival of the alpha-1 cohort (n=120) was 16% at 60 years of age, compared with 85% for the general population



Study Design, 1988: All 120 Pi ZZ subjects evaluated as inpatients in NIH Clinical Center. Various demographic features, clinical findings, and electrocardiogram evaluations were obtained from medical records. Blood and urine laboratory findings were obtained through computerized archives of the Clinical Center Laboratories. Chest radiographs and scintigraphic scans were evaluated de novo at the time of this analysis, with knowledge of the diagnosis but without knowledge of any of the other data. Lung function tests were obtained from the computerized files of the Pulmonary Branch. Mortality data were obtained at the time of this analysis. Alpha₁-antitrypsin protein phenotypes were determined by a combination of isoelectric focusing of serum, quantitation of AAT levels in serum, and family studies.²

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Alpha-1 is Underdiagnosed¹



More than 90% of people with alpha-1 are estimated to be undiagnosed

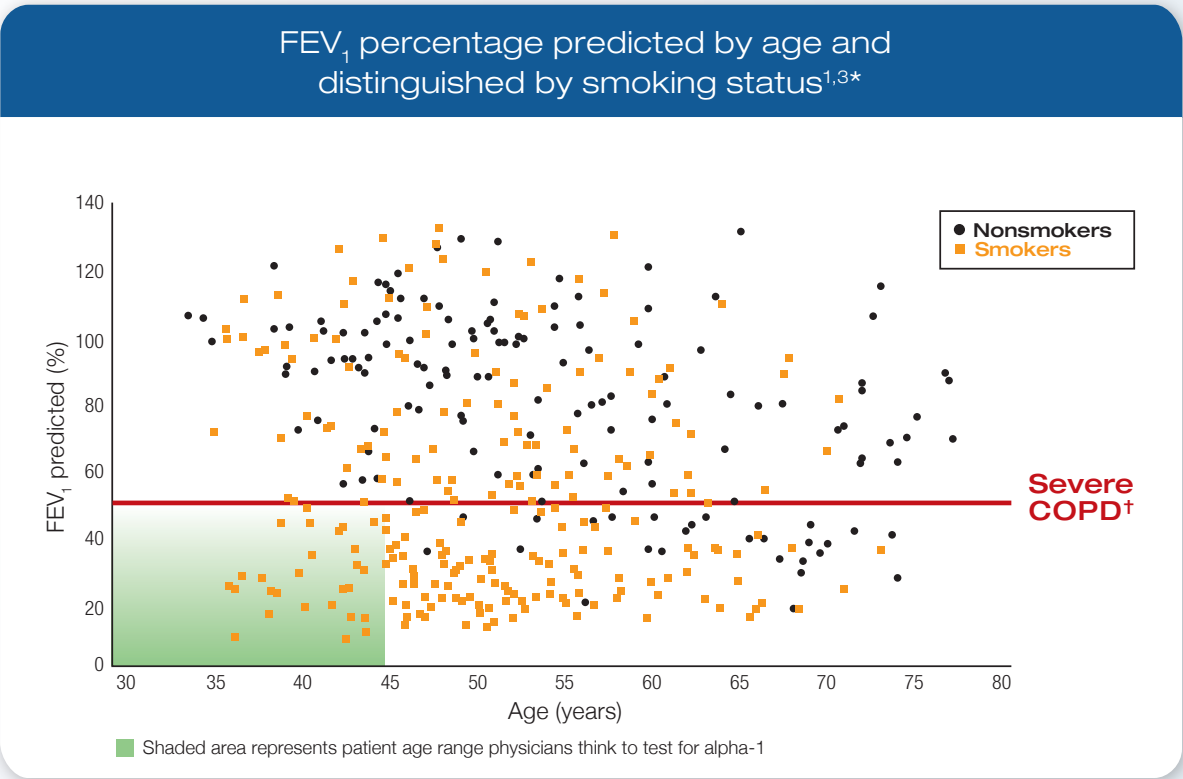


The **average delay** between the onset of symptoms and diagnosis of alpha-1 is **8.3 years**



The average **number of physicians** seen before being correctly diagnosed is **2.7**

Alpha-1 occurs in both nonsmokers and smokers



*378 Pi ZZ patients.

[†]Stage III severe COPD, GOLD guidelines.

These Major Respiratory Organizations Recommend Targeted Genetic Screening for Alpha-1 in All Patients With COPD⁴⁻⁸



ATS: American Thoracic Society



CHEST: American College of Chest Physicians



COPD Foundation: Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

GOLD

GOLD: Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease

WHO

WHO: World Health Organization

The American Thoracic Society recommends screening for alpha-1 regardless of age, smoking history, or FEV₁ in⁴:



- All adults with symptomatic COPD or asthma
- All adults with symptomatic asthma whose airflow obstruction is incompletely reversible after bronchodilator therapy
- Asymptomatic patients with persistent obstruction on pulmonary function tests and with identifiable risk factors (eg, smoking, occupational exposure)
- All immediate family members of patients who are diagnosed with alpha-1

Screening patients with COPD for alpha-1:

- Identifies those with a severe alpha-1 for whom treatment may be appropriate⁴
- Identifies carriers of deficient alleles, which can be passed onto children¹
- Provides incentive for smoking cessation⁹
 - In a follow-up study, 59% of patients with severe alpha-1 attempted to quit smoking after receiving test results and minimal counseling

Use AlphaID to Screen for Alpha-1



Each sample is processed by Biocerna, a **CLIA-certified**, independent laboratory and **analyzed by alpha-1 experts**¹⁰



Comprehensive results are available within **3-5 days** from the time the sample is returned to the laboratory¹⁰

- Results are accessible through the confidential, easy-to-use portal at **myalphaID.com**. Ordering clinicians may contact **alphaid@biocerna.com** to add additional staff to the portal
- Results are also received by fax



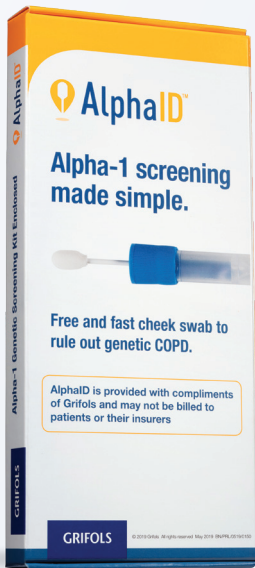
Alpha-1 expert clinicians are available for **personal consultation to discuss abnormal results**



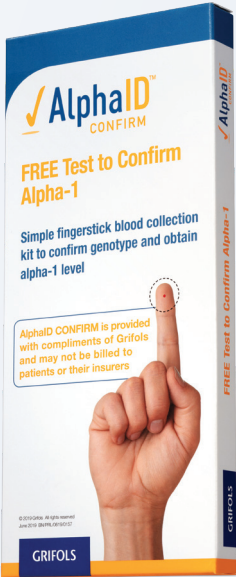
Results are **strictly confidential** and are shared only with the ordering clinician and designated office staff



There is **NO COST** for the screening. AlphaID is provided compliments of Grifols and may not be billed to patients or their insurers



Cheek Swab



Dried Blood Spot



A free, fast, and easy way to rule out alpha-1



	AlphaID:
Fast	A gentle cheek swab that only takes seconds. There are no chemicals to add and no cards to dry
Familiar	Uses the same DNA collection and screening methods as many at-home genetic testing kits
Reliable	Delivers accurate and reliable genotyping results ¹¹
Specific	Screens for the 14 most-prevalent mutations associated with alpha-1, including S, Z, F, I, rare, and null alleles ¹¹
Confidential	Results are available only to the ordering clinician and designated office staff
Completely Free	Provided compliments of Grifols and may not be billed to patients or their insurers

The AlphaID kit contains everything you need to collect and submit a cheek swab sample for alpha-1 screening

- Instructions
- Requisition form
- Cheek swab
- Specimen bag
- Mailer box
- Prepaid shipping label



EXAMPLE RESULTS REPORT

Biocerna
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Phone: 1-855-DNA-LAB1 (855-362-5221)
Fax: 301-769-6659

FINAL
CLIA ID#: 21D2059950
MD State License#: 2007
CAP Accr. #:874287701
Lab Director:
Tammey Naab, MD

Patient:	Patient, B	Accession:	19162
Doctor:	Grifols, Test	Birth:	2/2/1945
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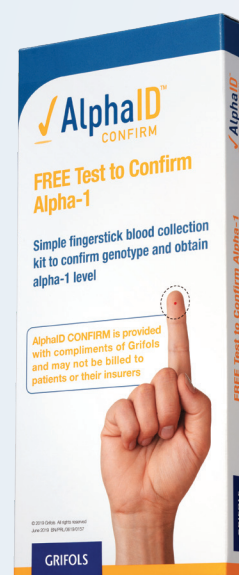
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A1AT Genetic Testing				Run by EF on 12/4/2019 1:12:14 PM at Location: 1
A1AT Genotype	ABNORMAL	ZZ		(NORMAL REFERENCE=M/M)

AlphaID Specimen Type: Saliva from DNA Genotek Oracollect Dx OCD-100 swab.

AlphaID reports the alpha-1 genotype. Any result other than a homozygous MM is considered abnormal.³



Confirming an alpha-1 diagnosis is simple



	AlphaID CONFIRM:
Efficient	Uses a dried blood spot card to screen for alpha-1 or confirm the results from an AlphaID cheek swab
Comprehensive	Confirms alpha-1 genotype and reports the serum level of alpha ₁ -antitrypsin
Reliable	Delivers accurate and reliable genotyping results ¹¹
Specific	Screens for the 14 most-prevalent mutations associated with alpha-1, including S, Z, F, I, rare, and null alleles ¹¹
Confidential	Results are available only to the ordering clinician and designated office staff
Completely Free	Provided compliments of Grifols and may not be billed to patients or their insurers

The AlphaID CONFIRM kit contains everything you need to collect and submit a dried blood sample for alpha-1 screening

- Instructions
- Requisition form
- Two lancets
- Alcohol pads, gauze, and bandage
- Dried blood spot card
- Postage-paid envelope



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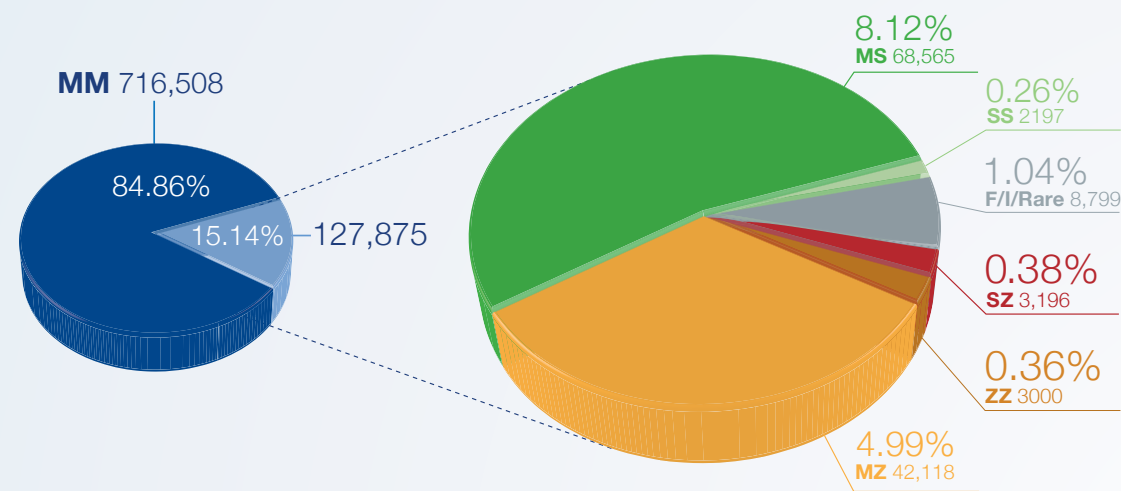
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Test Name	Flag	Result	Units	Reference Range/Cutoff
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Alpha-1 Antitrypsin	ABNORMAL	44.6	mg/dL	90.0 - 200.0
AlphaID CONFIRM - A1AT Genetic Testing				Run by EF on 12/4/2019 1:17:47 PM at Location: 1
A1AT Genotype	ABNORMAL	Z/Z		(NORMAL REFERENCE=M/M)

AlphaID CONFIRM reports the alpha-1 genotype as well as the alpha₁-antitrypsin level (normal is 90.0 to 200.0 mg/dL).

Abnormal Alpha-1 Alleles Are Common¹⁰

Among the more than 800,000 patients screened for alpha-1 in the past 10 years, 15% (over 125,000 patients) had at least one deficient allele¹⁰

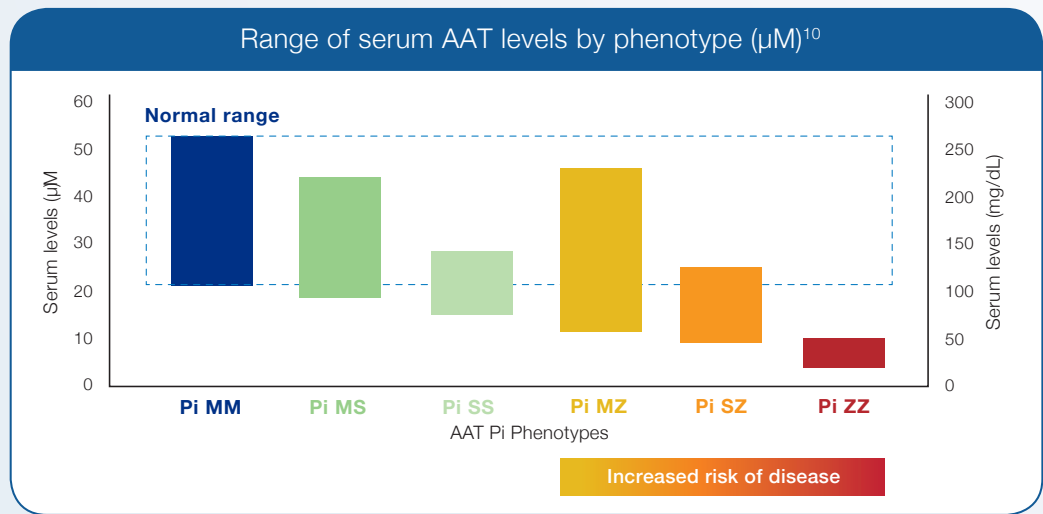


AlphaID and AlphaID CONFIRM detect 14 genetic variations associated with alpha-1¹¹

- **Most common normal allele:** M
- **Most common deficient alleles:** S, Z, F, I
- **Less common deficient alleles:** P Lowell, Y Barcelona, M Procida, M Malton, S Iiyama, M Heerlen
- **Null alleles:** Q0 Granite Falls, Q0 West, Q0 Bellingham, Q0 Mattawa, Q0 Ourem, Q0 Clayton

Since adding F and I into screening in 2014, we've found them at a rate of 0.91%.

All deficient alleles compromise alpha₁-antitrypsin production, but the effect is most pronounced for the Z allele¹⁰



The My AlphaID Portal is a Convenient Way to Manage Alpha-1 Results for All of Your Patients

AlphaID kits are processed by the Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Laboratory at Biocerna

My AlphaID Portal access is granted by following this 3-step process:

1. Provide your email address on the AlphaID requisition form
2. You will receive an email that the account is active and to change your password
3. Sign in with your account, change password, and access patient results

Sign in with your Account


Username

SIGN IN


My AlphaID Portal provides:

- Convenient Management
- Comprehensive Reporting
- Timely Results
- Staff Access


Access confidential results processed by a certified, independent laboratory



INBOX



PATIENT



HELP

LAB INBOX

New Results

All Results

Copied Results

Pending Orders

Cancelled Orders












Future Orders

Date To

☐ Preliminary ☐ Abnormal ☐ Final

CLEAR SEARCH

PRINT PDFS

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First time users can also contact alphaid@biocerna.com for access to your account

Use AlphaID to Screen Appropriate Patients for Alpha-1

- AlphaID provides **completely free** screening for alpha₁-antitrypsin deficiency (alpha-1), the #1 known genetic risk factor for COPD¹
- More than 90% of people with alpha-1 are estimated to be undiagnosed¹
- Major respiratory organizations recommend targeted genetic screening for alpha-1 in all patients with COPD⁴⁻⁸
- **AlphaID and AlphaID CONFIRM kits contain everything you need to screen for alpha-1**



Grifols is Committed to Supporting Patients with Alpha-1

Grifols is dedicated to advancing the understanding of alpha-1. Grifols has been the leader in alpha-1 screening for more than 20 years and continues to develop innovative ways to screen patients.

I To begin screening with **AlphaID**,
call your sales representative or visit **RequestAlphaID.com**

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