

Doctors told to offer mums a screen for intellectual disabilities

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Drs have been told to offer screening for a syndrome causing intellectual disabilities - including autism - to all women who are pregnant or planning to have children.

The genetic test for fragile X syndrome - the leading cause of

inherited intellectual disability - costs as little as \$100, the Daily Telegraph reports.

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