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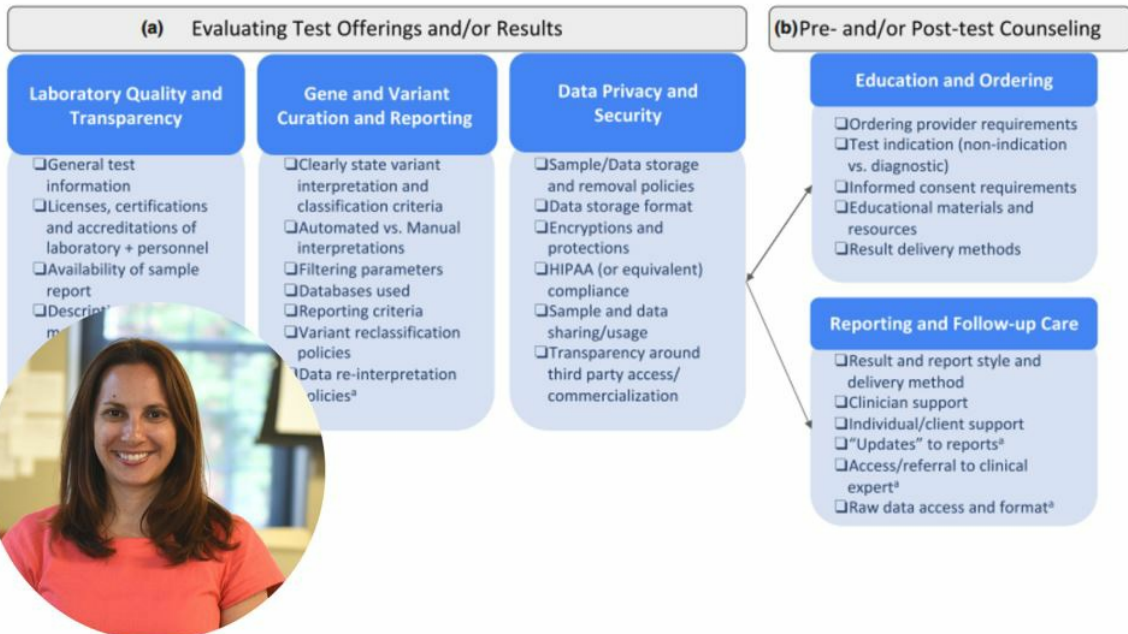


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**CONGRATULATIONS!
PILLARS OF EXCELLENCE
AWARD WINNERS**



TEAM AWARDS G2P team members Sophia Adelson, Erin Drake, and Sheyenne Walmsley won Pillars of Excellence Awards for their work on Optimizing Teamwork, Advancing Innovation and Progress, and Integrating Diversity, Equity & Inclusion, respectively. Sheyenne (C) pictured with Dr. Robert Higgins (L), Brigham and Women's Hospital President, and Rosemary Sheehan (R), Mass General Brigham Chief Human Resources Officer.



PUBLICATIONS G2P Senior Genetic Counselor Carrie Zawatsky served as first author of The National Society of Genetic Counselors' [clinical practice resource on elective genetic testing \(EGT\)](#), which offers guidance for healthcare providers caring for healthy adults seeking pre- and post-test counseling for EGT. The resource was published in memory of co-author Lauren Ryan, MS, LCGC.



GRANTS Dr. Nina Gold received an NIH [Mentored Clinical Scientist Research Career Development Award](#), with mentor Dr. Robert Green, focusing on identification of individuals at risk for monogenic disorders. The research will lay the foundation for Nina's career focused on genome-first medicine.



CONFERENCES G2P collaborators Dr. Jason Vassy, Dr. Matthew Lebo, and Dr. Anna Lewis traveled to South Africa to discuss the [applications and implications of polygenic risk scores](#) in clinical practice. Vassy and Lewis met up with former G2P trainee Nicole Schafer at her home in Cape Town, for a visit.



NEWS Investigative genealogy helped solve the longest cold case in Massachusetts history. WBUR and Robert Green discuss novel uses and capabilities of genomics and DNA technology. [Listen at 25 mins, 7 secs.](#)



EVENTS Save the date for the 2nd Annual [International Conference on Newborn Sequencing](#) in London on October 5-6 where international stakeholders will convene to further spearhead this frontier in medicine.



TEAM BONDING We are grateful for the moments of laughter together and for support from all of you, which motivates our work toward a future where illness isn't just treated, it's prevented - where medicine isn't just precise, it's personal. This quarter we got together for food, fun, and fiercely competitive ping pong.



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