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Dear Madam,
Dear Sir,

The Board of the European Society of Human Genetics has read and discussed the draft of the Expert Opinion Document on Newborn Screening (NBS) that was developed while executing the Tender on NBS as part of the activities related to Rare Diseases within the Health Programme of the European Agency for Health and Consumers.

We were informed that the approval of the current text may take place within some months from now, and that endorsement by scientific and professional organisations such as ESHG is welcomed.

We can endorse it with full confidence and would be happy to contribute to the visibility of the document, for instance by sending it to our membership, posting it on our website or publishing it in the EJHG.

Please let us know what formal procedure you suggest and how we can contribute.

With best regards,

Milan Macek Jr.
President of the ESHG