## 클라인펠터 증후군 환자에서 착상전 유전진단의 결과

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## Outcome of Preimplantation Genetic Diagnosis in Patients with Klinefelter Syndrome

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**Objectives:** Klinefelter syndrome is the most common genetic cause of male infertility and presents with 47,XXY mainly or 46,XX/47,XXY mosaicism. It is characterized by hypogonadism and azoospermia due to testicular failure, however, sporadic cases of natural pregnancies have been reported. With the development of testicular sperm extraction (TESE) and intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI), sperm can be retrieved successfully and ART is applied in these patients for pregnancy. It has been suggested that the risk of chromosome aneuploidy for both sex chromosome and autosome is increased in the sperms from 47,XXY germ cells. Considering the risk for chromosomal aneuploidy in the offspring, preimplantation genetic diagnosis (PGD) could be applied as a safe and more effective treatment option in Klinefelter syndrome. The aim of this study is to assess the outcome of PGD cycles by using FISH for sex chromosome and autosome in patients with Klinefelter syndrome.

**Materials and Methods:** From Jan. 2001 to Dec. 2003, PGD was attempted in 8 cases of Klinefelter syndrome but TESE was failed to retrieve sperm in the 3 cases, therefore PGD was performed in 8 cycles of 5 cases (four 47,XXY and one 46,XY/47,XXY mosaicism). In one case, ejaculated sperm was used and in 4 cases, TESE sperm was used for ICSI. After fertilization, blastomere biopsy was performed in  $6\sim10$  cell stage embryo and the chromosome aneuploidy was diagnosed by using FISH with CEP probes for chromosome X, Y and 17 or 18.

**Results:** A total of 127 oocytes were retrieved and ICSI was performed in 113 mature oocytes. The fertilization rate was  $65.3 \pm 6.0\%$  (mean  $\pm$  SEM) and 76 embryos were obtained. Blastomere biopsy was performed in 61 developing embryos and FISH analysis was successful in 95.1% of the biopsied blastomeres (58/61). The rate of balanced embryos for chromosome X,Y and 17 or 18 was  $39.7 \pm 6.9\%$ . The rate of aneuploidy for sex chromosome (X and Y) was  $45.9 \pm 5.3\%$  and  $43.2 \pm 5.8\%$  for chromosome

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17 or 18, respectively. Embryo transfer was performed in all 8 cycles and mean number of transferred embryos was  $2.5\pm0.5$ . In 2 cases, clinical pregnancies were obtained and normal 46,XX and 46,XY karyotypes were confirmed by amniocentesis, respectively. Healthy male and female babies were delivered uneventfully at term.

**Conclusion:** The patients with Klinefelter syndrome can benefit from ART with TESE and ICSI. Considering the risk of an euploidy for both sex chromosome and autosome in the sperms and embryos of Klinefelter syndrome, PGD could be offered as safe and more effective treatment option.

Key Words: PGD, Klinefelter syndrome, Chromosome, TESE, ICSI

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pogonadism)
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                                                         dization, FISH)
high grade aneuploidy (48,XXXY; 49,XXXXY
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erm injection, ICSI)
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10% synthetic serum substitute (SSS; Irvine Sci, Sant 70, 85, 100% ethyl alcohol 2 Ana, CA, USA)가 가 **HTFM** mete (Vitrolife, Sweden) 37,5% **FISH** 5. CO<sub>2</sub>, 95% 3~4 . (ICSI) , 16~18 FISH probe X,Y17 CEP (chromosome enumeration probe) FISH . Probe 12 mm 3. cover glass (Fisher Scientific) Percoll gradient centrifugation Slide glass rubber cement . 75 hot plate 5 denaturation humidified chamber 6~16 (Tunica vaginalis) (tubica bridization . Hybridization 50% formamide/ 2X SSC, 2X SSC, 2X SSC/0.1% NP-40 buffer albuginea) (seminiferous tubule) 10 , 10 , 5 probe 125 ng/ml DAPI가 가 antifade . Ham's F10 medium (Sigma) 0.4% BSA가 가 mounting solution (Vysis) mounting (Optiphot-2, Nikon) **ICSI** FISH signal 37 ,5% CO<sub>2</sub> signal signal 가 signal 2 4. signal , 2 48 6~10 signal , 1~2 4 EB10 G-PGD (Vitrolife) 20 µm pipette acidified Tyrode pipette Table 1 127 2 76 (2 pronucleus) 가  $65.3 \pm 6.0\%$  (mean ± G2 10% SSS가 HTFM 가 SEM) G1/G2 (Vitrolife) , 61 0.6% BAS가 0.5% triso-5 dium citrate . Slide glass 58 **FISH** 가 95.1% **FISH** 가  $39.7 \pm 6.9\%$  (mean  $\pm$  SEM) . 8 가  $2.5 \pm 0.5$ 

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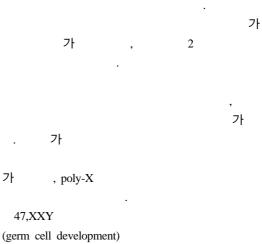
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| X,Y       | 17    | 18              | FISH             | 2       |         |    |
|-----------|-------|-----------------|------------------|---------|---------|----|
|           |       |                 | (Figure 1),      | 46,XX 4 | 6,XY    |    |
|           |       |                 |                  | , 1     | 39      |    |
|           | , X,Y |                 |                  | ,       | 1       | 38 |
|           | 45.9± | 5.3% (mean ± Sl | EM) , 17         |         |         |    |
| 18        |       |                 | $43.2 \pm 5.8\%$ |         |         |    |
| (mean ± S | SEM)  |                 |                  |         |         |    |
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| aneuploid | y가    |                 | (Table 2).       |         |         |    |
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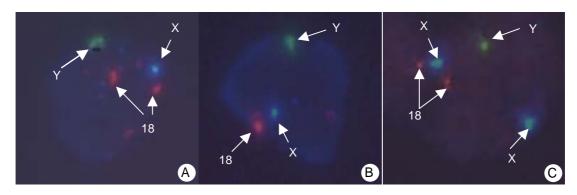
**Table 1.** Outcome of the PGD cycles in patients with Klinefelter syndrome

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|--------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| No. of patients                | 5              |         |
| No. of cycles                  | 8              |         |
| Mean age of women (yr)         | $29.6 \pm 1.2$ |         |
| No. of oocytes retrieved       | $15.9 \pm 2.5$ |         |
| Fertilization rate (%)         | $65.3 \pm 6.3$ |         |
| Normal embryo rate (%)         | $39.7 \pm 6.9$ |         |
| Abnormal rate for $X, Y(\%)$   | $45.9 \pm 5.3$ |         |
| Abnormal rate for 17 or 18 (%) | 43.2±5.8       | 가       |
| No. of transferred embryos     | $2.5 \pm 0.5$  |         |
| Clinical pregnancy rate (%)    | 25% (2/8)      | 47,XX   |
| per transfer cycle             | 2570 (2/6)     | (germ c |

<sup>\*</sup> Values are mean ± SEM



3.1%



mitosis

**Figure 1.** FISH results in the blastomere of embryos from Klinefelter syndrome by using CEP probe for X (Spectrum Aqua), Y (Spectrum Green) and 18 (Spectrum Orange). **A)** FISH signals in the normal embryo (XY1818) showing one spectrum aqua, one spectrum green and two spectrum orange signals. **B)** FISH signals for aneuploid embryo (XY monosomy 18) showing one spectrum aqua, one spectrum green and one spectrum orange signal. **C)** FISH signal for aneuploidy embryo (XXY1818) showing two spectrum aqua, one spectrum green and two spectrum orange signals. (×1000)

 Table 2. Chromosome abnormalities of embryos diagnosed by FISH in patients with Klinefelter syndrome

| Case | cycle | karyotype    | Origin of sperm  | Abnormal FISH results  |
|------|-------|--------------|------------------|--|
| 1    | 1     | 47,XXY       | Fresh TESE       | Monosomy 18, XO  |
| 2    | 1     | 47,XXY       | Fresh TESE       | Monosomy 18 / monosomy 18,XO                                   |
| 2    | 2     | 47,XXY       | Fresh TESE       | Monosomy 18 / multiploidy                                      |
| 3    | 1     | 46,XY/47,XXY | Fresh TESE       | Trisomy 17,Y / monosomy 17 / XXY / diploidy                    |
| 3    | 2     | 46,XY/47,XXY | Fresh TESE       | Monosomy 18 / aneusomy 18,XO / trisomy 18,XXX / trisomy 18,XYY |
| 4    | 1     | 47,XXY       | Thawing TESE     | Chaotic / XYY / monosomy 18                                    |
| 5    | 1     | 47,XXY       | Ejaculated sperm | Trisomy 18,XXX / XYY / aneusomy 18,XO                          |
| 5    | 2     | 47,XXY       | Ejaculated sperm | XXY / trisomy 18,XXY / monosomy 18,XO                          |

| 47,XXY       | 가<br>가                      | 0.9~2.5%, <sup>23</sup> 47, | XXY 2.5~21.7%  25 Estop 26 |
|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| ,            | . 16                        | 17%                         | 61%                        |
| 1            | non-disjunction             |                             |                            |
| . e          | xtra X가                     | hyj                         | perploidy rate 6.75~25%    |
|              | (primordial germ cell)      |                             | .22,27                     |
| 가            | (degeneration),             | disomy 21                   | 가 trisomy 21               |
| Sertoli cell | germ cell communication de- | 가                           | ,28                        |
| fect         | . <sup>17</sup> 47,XXY 가    | 가                           | . spermatid                |
|              |                             |                             | 가 ,                        |
| ,            | 가                           |                             |                            |
|              | ,4,18 46,                   | 가                           | ,                          |
| XY/47,XXY    |                             |                             |                            |
| 가            |                             | 5.15                        | 가                          |
|              |                             | .5,15                       |                            |
| 10           |                             | 45.17                       |                            |
|              | ,19<br>,6,7                 | 47,XX                       | Y 가                        |
|              |                             | ,29                         | 가                          |
| 가            | 21~54.5%                    |                             | >1                         |
| ~1           | 가                           |                             | 가                          |
| ;            | 가 46,XY germ cell           | ,                           | <b>~1</b>                  |
|              | , 47,XXY germ cell          |                             | •                          |
| 가            | , .,, 50 00.1               |                             |                            |
| •            | 21,22                       |                             | ,                          |
| 24,XY, 2     | 4,XX hyperploid             |                             | •                          |
|              | 1.5%                        |                             |                            |
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| ,                        |                            |                           |                              | 가   |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----|
| . Silber <sup>12</sup>   |                            |                           | XY 17 18                     |     |
|                          |                            | FISH                      |                              |     |
|                          |                            | PGD                       |                              |     |
|                          | ,                          | , 18                      | 21                           |     |
|                          |                            | 가                         | ,15                          |     |
| (41.8% vs. 22.0%),       | 가                          |                           |                              |     |
| 가                        | (26.5% vs.                 |                           |                              |     |
| 53.0%) chaotic mosaicism | 가 ,                        |                           |                              |     |
|                          | centrosome                 |                           | ,                            |     |
| 가                        |                            | , 47,XXY                  | 가                            |     |
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|                          | ,                          | 가 ,                       | 가                            |     |
|                          |                            | ,20                       |                              |     |
| .13~15 Biela             | anska <sup>31</sup> 46,XY/ |                           |                              |     |
| 47,XXY                   |                            |                           |                              |     |
| ,                        | hyperploidy가               |                           |                              |     |
| 3.9%                     | X Y                        |                           |                              |     |
| 가 chaotic embrye         | o가                         |                           |                              |     |
|                          |                            |                           |                              |     |
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| ,                        | chaotic                    | ,                         |                              |     |
| 가                        | ,                          | centriole                 | ,                            |     |
|                          | ,                          |                           | chaotic                      |     |
| centriole                | mitosis                    | 가                         | ,                            |     |
|                          | .32                        |                           | . ,                          |     |
|                          | $39.7 \pm 6.9\%$           |                           |                              |     |
| , Staessen 15            |                            |                           |                              |     |
| 77.2%                    |                            |                           |                              |     |
| 54%, X, Y, 1             | 8                          |                           |                              |     |
| 53%                      |                            |                           |                              |     |
| . Kahrai                 | man <sup>14</sup>          |                           |                              |     |
| 가 39.1% ,                |                            | 1. Phillip J, Lundsteen C | C, Owen D, Hirschhom K. T    | he  |
| 55.5% haploidy,          | triploidy, 13, 18          | frequency of chromo       | osome aberrations in tall me | en  |
| trisomy monoson          | ny .                       | with special reference    | e to 47,XYY and 47,XXY. A    | m   |
|                          |                            | J Hum Genet 1976; 2       | 8: 404-11.                   |     |
| (XXY, XXX, XYY )         | 45.9%, 17                  | 2. Bojesen A, Juul S, H   | Iojbjerg GC. Prenatal and p  | О-  |
| 18 43.2%                 |                            | stnatal prevalence of     | Klinefelter syndrome: a na   | ti- |
| 가 , multiploi            | dy chaotic aneu-           | onal registry study. J    | Clin Endocrinol Metab 200    | 13; |
| ploidy .                 |                            | 88: 622-6.                |                              |     |

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