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HLA-KIR Compound Genotype

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The combination of polymorphisms in the DNA encoding human leukocyte antigens (HLA) and killer-cell immunoglobulin-like receptors (KIR) found in an individual's genome. Certain combinations may indicate that the subject is more likely to develop certain diseases such as autoimmune disorders, viral infections, and cancer.