Facts about Osteogenesis Imperfecta

OI Testing Laboratories in the United States and Canada

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**Commercial Testing Centers**

Connective Tissue Gene Tests
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Testing is done on protocol participants and special cases.
NOTE: This lab will accept 2-3 cases per month for sequence identification on a research basis. It is especially interested in cases involving unusual genetic patterns, or involving children with severe OI. Patients are not required to participate in NIH clinical protocols to be eligible.

**Sources 2015:**