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Screening and embryo selection: eliminating disorders or people?

Questions to stimulate reflection

Could permitting parents to use PGD to select against embryos with undesirable characteristics lead to parents using this technology to discard embryos for trivial reasons?

To what extent should intentions be counted in evaluating actions morally?

Assuming an early embryo has no right to life does it matter why we discard it?

Should a parent have the right to decide not to care for a diseased or disabled child?

To what extent are disabilities created by the social set-up? Could there ever be a society in which no physical impairment amounted to a disability?

Is it acceptable to bring a child into the world so it can save the life of a sibling?

Would it be short-sighted to permit sex selection given that nature is herself so good at balancing the sexes?

Why shouldn't a family with four sons choose the sex of their next child?