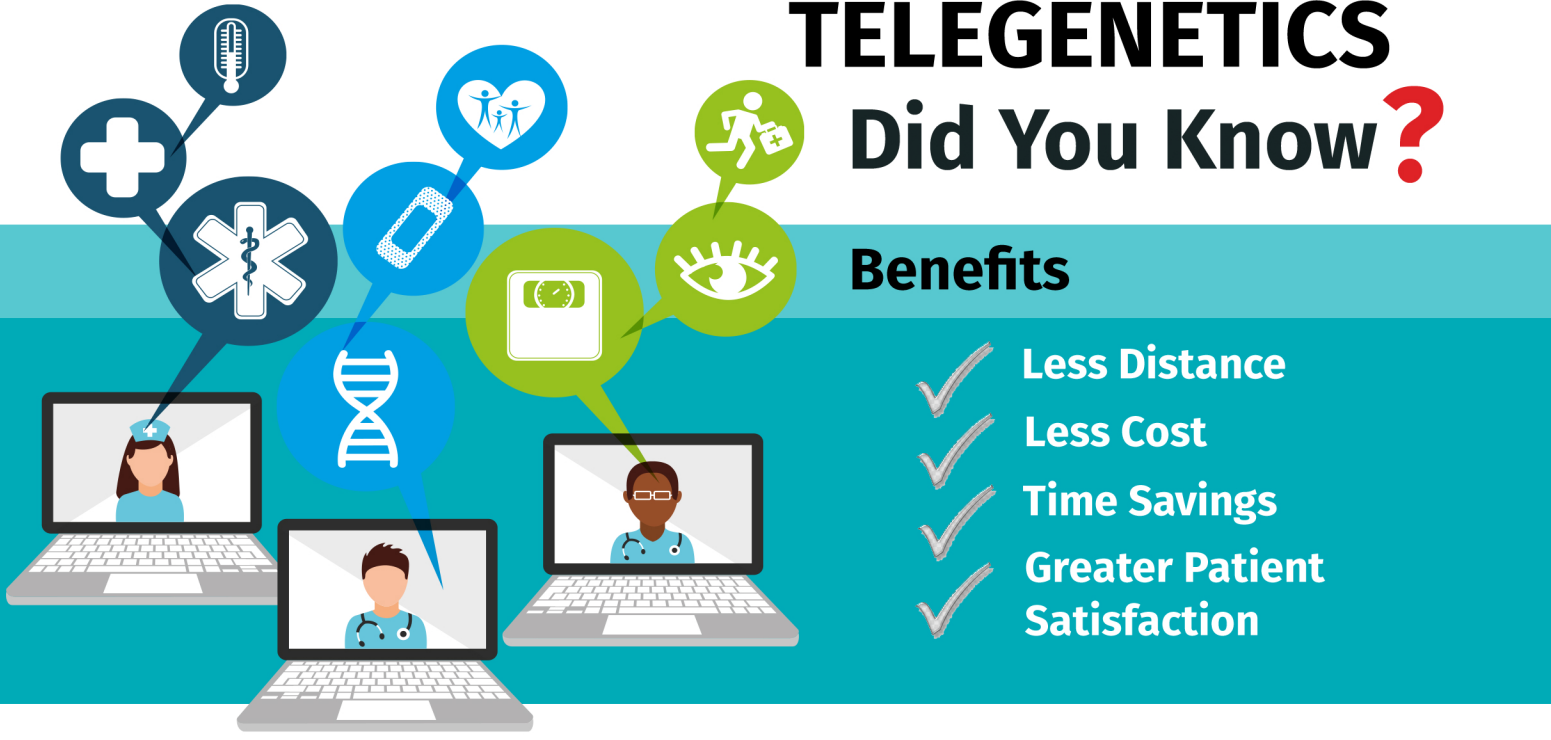


Telegenetics involves using videoconferencing with a computer, phone, or tablet, either from a provider's office near you or your own home to connect with a genetics specialist located somewhere else for a clinic visit.

It helps families to access genetic services and is another option to having an in-person visit.

TELEGENETICS Did You Know?

Benefits



Less Distance

Less Cost

Time Savings

Greater Patient
Satisfaction

What happens at a telegenetics visit?

A telegenetics visit is similar to an in-person genetics clinic visit. The specific things that happen during a telegenetics visit depend on why you or your family member were referred for genetic services, and whether this is your first time seeing a genetics provider or a follow-up appointment (for example, to discuss test results or check in on a regular basis).

The genetics provider will ask you questions about medical history and family history. Sometimes a physical exam might be needed, in which case a local healthcare provider may help. If the genetics provider suggests some genetic testing, this should be coordinated locally for you.