i3 STC Kit Extension Activities

North Carolina

Grade: 7	
Kit Name: Studying the Development and Reproduction of Organisms	
Essential Standard(s): (List number, standard, clarifying objectives where appropriate) 7.2.3 Explain the impact of the environment and lifestyle choices on biological inheritance and survival.	
Unpack the Standard (What does it mean?? What is the "Big Idea"?):	
Students will create a brochure describing how genetic disorders are diagnosed and treated.	
What is the Engaging (will get the student interesting) Essential Question that the students will be trying to answer as a result of this Extension?	
How can someone with a genetic disorder receive help?	
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Additional Suggestions (Literature connections; online resources):	
Teachers use the following website for this activity:	
http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/TX/DesotoISD/DesotoFreshmanCampus/Uploads/Forms/GeneticDisorderBroc	
<u>hureProject.pdf</u>	
The teacher will go to the above website and follow all directions for student brochures. Scroll to the bottom of the pdf file to find a list of genetic disorders. The student can choose a disorder or the teacher can assign.	