

# trisomy *(tri-so-my)*

## Definition

n. a genetic disorder in which a person has three copies of a chromosome instead of two.

## Example Sentence

**Trisomy 21** is more commonly known as Down syndrome.

## More Example Sentences

Genetic testing can help identify **trisomy** conditions before birth.

## Synonyms

chromosomal disorder; genetic anomaly;  
chromosomal aberration

## Antonyms

disomy; normal karyotype; euploidy

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