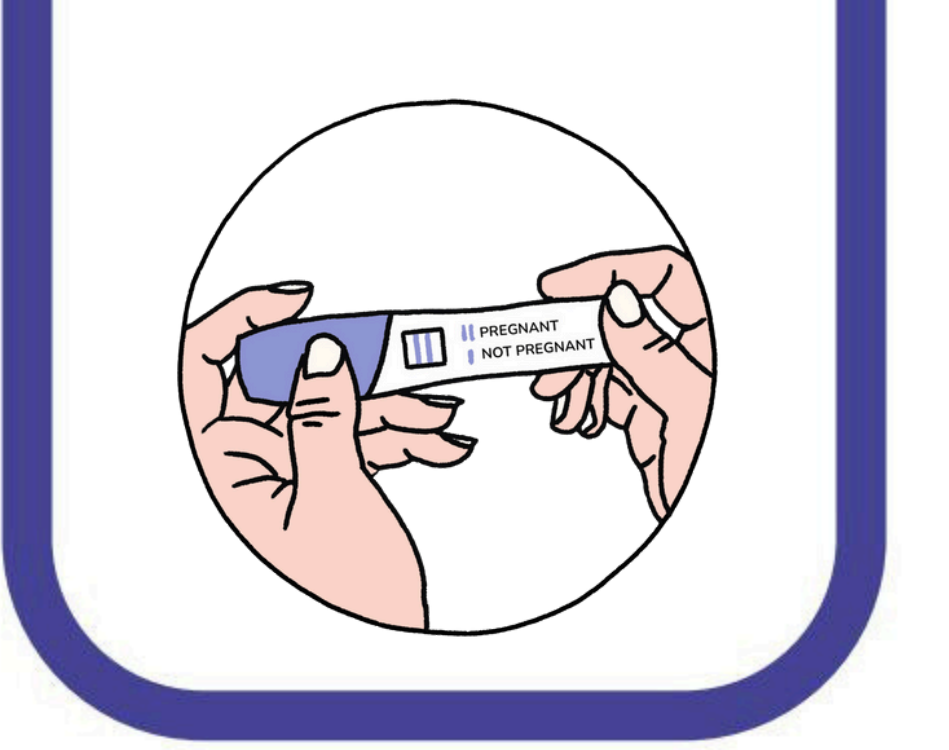


# XENOPIA



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## Summary

Xenopia is a research-design project aimed at prototyping a domestic hormones Beta Hcg test as a tool to address reproductive justice and the right to access abortion. To investigate the historical scientific practices around living interfaces as controlling technologies. The right to access abortion is under attack and Beta Hcg testing is a mandatory test to access safe abortion but it is poorly available for people living in rural areas and in marginalised conditions. Weeks of pregnancy are the playing field on which the war against access to abortion is waged, so we see in this prototype the possibility of facilitating the path autonomously by giving people back control. Collectives defending reproductive rights in countries where abortion is illegal or restricted do not have access to this kind of testing. With an inter-species perspective, we will develop this prototype and participatory workshops as a political act of empowerment and a concrete response to reproductive justice.