**GENETICS** 

## A MAN WITH A FEMALE DNA

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<u>Local newspapers just report a suicide</u> – where the corpse had to be identified in the <u>forensic department</u>. Skin cells turned out to be male, blood cells to be female. The solution to this paradox was quite simple – the victim had a bone marrow transplant in the past.

Maybe that's not such an unusual case with 17,600 BM transplants here since 1998? And maybe I should add that to my "denano" paper currently under review?

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