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Humans of Tomorrow

Throughout the history of mankind, our main purpose was (and still is) to achieve goals that are greater than us and to always strive for the better. As the years had passed, our evolution has become something bigger than ever before, so it is only natural for us to take notice of what we can improve in our selves. That is where the idea of genome modification came about.

We see all the imperfections we are born with, but that is something that makes us special and not alike. People always made attempts to correct any imperfections they might have, and due to the rapid development of technology in our age, it has created a lot of demand for such a need. Moreover, it made it a reality. The practice of altering your genetic code has already yielded its seeds. For example, about two years ago, China had made their first successful step in this regard - there was a baby that was diagnosed with a brain tumor while still developing in the womb. To negate that the baby's parents took part in the experimental endeavor of the Chinese clinic that was already researching gene-altering practices for years by that point. That baby was their first attempt at manipulating the genes of a yet-to-be-born person to mitigate its mutations and imperfections that could have made the life of the child unbearable. It turned out to be successful. The baby was born healthy and had no strains on its health whatsoever. This practice, and nowadays – already a service, can prevent unwanted trouble in a person's life. But there is always the other side of the coin.

The idea of interfering in the natural cycle of life development is not something many people would consider ethical. It may be used for good, like in the aforementioned case, but there may certainly come a time where the people that possess more resources and wealth to spare will

start using it to their advantage. They might just alternate the genes of their own soon to be born children for the purpose of them having an upper hand, an advantage over their peers, which would likely cause a firm divide among the people who are for the gene alteration, and the people who will oppose it.

Every step forward in humanity's progress will always be met with different opinions on the matter and not every opinion is going to agree with it. Time has shown that any new technology that benefits humans and makes us prosper and more advanced tends to stay and become just another part of our everyday reality.