



Test Catalog

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BCL6/MYC t(3;8)

Alternative Name

BCL6/MYC Translocation

Methodology

FISH

Test Description

- **Probes:** BCL6/MYC t(3;8)
- **Disease(s):** B-cell lymphoma, double-hit lymphoma, triple-hit lymphoma

Clinical Significance

BCL6/MYC translocation is observed recurrently in high-grade B-cell lymphoma, reported in the literature as “pseudo” double-hit or non-Ig/MYC translocation, which has a better prognosis than double hit/triple hit lymphomas with Ig/MYC translocations.

Specimen Requirements

- **Bone Marrow Aspirate:** 1-2mL Sodium Heparin Tube. EDTA tube is acceptable
- **Peripheral Blood:** 2-5mL Sodium Heparin Tube. EDTA tube is acceptable
- **Fresh, Unfixed Tissue:** Tissue in RPMI
- **Bone Marrow/Peripheral Blood Smear or Fresh Tissue Preparation Slides:** minimum 1 slide labeled with specimen type.
- **Fluids:** Equal parts RPMI to specimen volume
- **Paraffin Block:** H&E slide (required) plus paraffin block. Circle H&E for tech-only.
- **Cut Slides:** H&E slide (required) plus 2 unstained slides cut at 4 microns. Circle H&E for tech only.

Storage & Transportation

Refrigerate specimen. Do not freeze. Use cold pack for transport, making sure cold pack is not in direct contact with specimen.

CPT Code(s)*

88374x1 automated or 88377x1 manual

New York Approved

Yes

Level of Service

Global, Technical

Turnaround Time

3-5 days

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