



Test Catalog

Diagnostic. Prognostic. Predictive. Predisposition.



IgH/MAFB t(14;20)

Methodology

FISH

Test Description

Probes: IgH/MAFB t(14;20)

This probe combination may be ordered separately or added to any of our mye

Disease(s): Myeloma, MGUS/oma FISH panels.

Clinical Significance

The translocation (14;20) is rare in multiple myeloma (MM) but associated with a poor prognosis for that diagnosis. In contrast, t(14;20) in patients with MGUS is associated with a long-term stable disease.

Specimen Requirements

- **Bone Marrow Aspirate:** 1-2 mL sodium heparin tube. EDTA tube is acceptable.
- **Peripheral Blood:** 2-5 mL sodium heparin tube. EDTA tube is acceptable.
- **Fresh, Unfixed Tissue:** Tissue in RPMI.
- **Bone Marrow/ Peripheral Blood Smear or Fresh Tissue Touch Preparation Slides:** minimum 1 slide labeled with specimen type.
- **Fluids:** Equal parts RPMI to specimen volume.
- **Fixed Cell Suspension:** A client fixed cell suspension may be submitted for testing as long as it is received in 3:1 Methanol:Glacial Acetic Acid.
- **Paraffin Block or Cut Slides:** Not available.
- **Note:** Please exclude biopsy needles, blades, and other foreign objects from transport tubes. These can compromise specimen viability and yield, and create hazards for employees.

Storage & Transportation

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

CPT Code(s)*

88374x1 automated. Codes may differ if manual analysis is performed.

New York Approved

Yes

Level of Service

Technical, Global

Turnaround Time

3-5 days

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