



Test Catalog

Diagnostic. Prognostic. Predictive. Predisposition.



Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma (NHL) FISH Panel

Alternative Name

NHL FISH

Methodology

FISH

Test Description

Probes: ALK (2p23) | BCL6 (3q27) | MYC (8q24) | CCND1/IgH t(11;14) | IgH (14q32) | IgH/BCL2 t(14;18) | MALT1 (18q21)
Probes may be ordered separately.

Disease(s): NHL

Clinical Significance

The NHL FISH panel is used for the detection of chromosome aberrations observed in lymphoma.

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 Touch Preparation Slides:** minimum 7 slides 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:** H&E slide (required) plus paraffin block. Circle H&E for tech-only.
- **Cut Slide:** H&E slide (required) plus 12 unstained slides cut at 4 microns for panel, or 2 unstained slides cut at 4 microns for single abnormalities. Circle H&E for tech-only.
- **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

Refrigerate specimen. Do not freeze. Use cold pack for transport, making sure cold pack is not in direct contact with specimen. For fresh samples: ship same day as drawn whenever possible; specimens <72 hours old preferred.

CPT Code(s)*

88374x7 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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