

# Test Catalog

Diagnostic. Prognostic. Predictive. Predisposition.





# MUM<sub>1</sub>

#### Methodology

Immunohistochemistry (IHC)

## **Test Description**

The MUM1 antibody is specific for the MUM1/IRF4 protein that is overexpressed in late plasma-cell-directed stages of B-cell differentiation. MUM1 is a powerful tool for understanding the histogenesis of B-cell lymphomas. MUM1 protein is an excellent marker for Hodgkin and Reed-Sternberg cells of classical Hodgkin lymphoma in combination with CD30. Furthermore, MUM1 seems to be a marker of prognostic value since it has been found that the expression of MUM1 is associated with the poor prognosis of patients with diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL).

## **Specimen Requirements**

- A formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue block is preferred specimen type or
- One (1) unbaked, unstained slide for H&E staining (required) and two to three (2-3) positively charged unstained slides (all cut at 4-5 microns) for each test/antibody ordered
- Block and slide identifiers should be clearly written and match exactly with the specimen ID and specimen labeling as noted on the requisition.

## **Storage & Transportation**

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

#### CPT Code(s)\*

88342 x 1 or 88341 x 1

#### **New York Approved**

Yes

#### Level of Service

Stain Only

#### **Turnaround Time**

24 hours

Please direct any questions regarding coding to the payor being billed.

<sup>\*</sup>The CPT codes provided with our test descriptions are based on AMA guidelines and are for informational purposes only. Correct CPT coding is the sole responsibility of the billing party.

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