

Lab use:

Barcode

Date:

Specimen(s) received:

IHC and ISH Request Form – Technical Staining Only (no reporting)

Referrer Information		Patient Information	
Referring clinician		Surname	
Position		First Name	
Hospital		Date of Birth	
Department		Gender	
Departmental email for results		Hospital number	
Telephone number		NHS number	
☐ NHS ☐ Private		Address	Postcode:

Priority ☐ Urgent ☐ Cancer pathway ☐ Routine	Please notify the laboratory if clinically urgent
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Sample details	
Histology number	
Block ID	
Specimen date	
Tissue type	

Cellular Pathology test request(s) Queries to: CellPath@uhs.nhs.uk and/or 02381206443	
<i>Please send:</i> <i>Please send two unstained sections for each test. Unstained sections should be 4µm thick, unbaked, and mounted on positively-charged glass slides. Recently cut slides are preferable as antigenicity of cut tissue sections may diminish over time. Non-decalcified tissues should be sent if possible as decalcified tissue can generate false negative results.</i> <i>Unstained sections on standard microscope glass slides will <u>not</u> be processed and will result in delays.</i>	

By submitting this request the sender confirms that they have reviewed the UHS Cellular Pathology UKAS schedule/website and are aware of which tests are within the laboratory scope. If interpretation is required, please download, and complete the UHS IHC and ISH Request form – Staining and Reporting, available from the website <https://www.uhs.nhs.uk/health-professionals/pathology-services/handbook/cellular-pathology>

Requester			
Name		Signature	Date
Contact details			/ /

Sample transport	Please send samples to:
<i>The referring laboratory is responsible for the safe transfer of tissue and it is thus recommended that Royal Mail Recorded Delivery or an equivalent tracked postal service is used.</i>	Cellular Pathology Department Level E, Mail Point 002 Southampton General Hospital Southampton SO16 6YD
Transport tracking ID	