

HOTLINE: Effective February 22, 2022

2005545 MPL Mutation Detection by Capillary Electrophoresis

Specimen Required: <u>Collect:</u> Whole blood or bone marrow (EDTA).

Specimen Preparation: Whole Blood: Do not freeze. Transport 5 mL whole blood. (Min: 1 mL)

Bone Marrow: Transport 3 mL bone marrow. (Min: 1 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

<u>Unacceptable Conditions:</u> Plasma, serum, FFPE tissue blocks/slides, or frozen tissue. Specimens collected in anticoagulants other than EDTA. Clotted or grossly hemolyzed specimens.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 24 hours; Refrigerated: 5 days; Frozen: Unacceptable

Extracted DNA: Ambient: 1 month; Refrigerate: Indefinitely; Frozen: Indefinitely