

## NEW TEST

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### 11Q Aberrations by FISH

3019126, 11Q FISH

#### Specimen Requirements:

##### Patient Preparation:

**Collect:** Tumor tissue.

**Specimen Preparation:** Formalin fix (10 percent neutral buffered formalin) and paraffin-embed specimen. Protect paraffin block from excessive heat. Transport tissue block or 6 unstained (3-micron thick sections) positively charged slides in a tissue transport kit (ARUP supply #47808) available online through eSupply using ARUP Connect™ or contact ARUP Client Services at 800-522-2787 (kit is recommended but not necessary). (Min: 3 slides)

**Transport Temperature:** Room temperature or refrigerated. Ship in cooled container during summer months.

**Unacceptable Conditions:** Specimens fixed or processed in alternative fixatives (alcohol, Prefer) or heavy metal fixatives (B-4 or B-5). No tumor in tissue. Decalcified specimens.

**Remarks:** Include surgical pathology report. If multiple specimens (blocks or slides) are sent to ARUP, they must be accompanied by one of the following: an order comment indicating that the ARUP pathologist should choose the specimen most appropriate for testing (e.g., "Choose best block"), or individual orders for each sample submitted. A Pathologist Block Selection Fee (ARUP test code 3002076) will be added to orders that utilize the first option. If multiple specimens are sent to ARUP without a request for pathologist block/slide selection or individual orders, they will be held until clarification is provided.

**Stability:** Ambient: Indefinitely; Refrigerated: Indefinitely; Frozen: Unacceptable

**Methodology:** Fluorescence in situ Hybridization (FISH)

**Performed:** Mon-Fri

**Reported:** 3-7 days

**Note:**

CPT Codes: 88377

New York DOH Approval Status: Specimens from New York clients will be sent out to a New York DOH approved laboratory, if possible.

Interpretive Data:

Refer to report.

Reference Interval:

By report

**HOTLINE NOTE: Refer to the Hotline Test Mix for interface build information.**