



The Christie

Pathology Partnership

A joint venture with SYNLAB

ONCOLOGY CYTOGENETICS REQUEST

CYTOGENETICS
Lab. No.

ONCOLOGY CYTOGENETICS,
THE CHRISTIE PATHOLOGY PARTNERSHIP, MANCHESTER M20 4BX

STICK PATIENTS IDENTITY LABEL HERE OR GIVE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:

HOSPITAL		CONSULTANT	SURNAME							
DATE TAKEN	TIME TAKEN	SPECIMEN	FIRST NAME							
CLINICAL DIAGNOSIS & RELEVANT DETAILS			ADDRESS							
			POSTCODE							
Current treatment:			NHS No.							
<input type="checkbox"/> DIAGNOSIS/PRESENTATION	<input type="checkbox"/> REMISSION/FOLLOW UP		DATE OF BIRTH							
<input type="checkbox"/> ?RELAPSE	<input type="checkbox"/> STAGING					HOSPITAL NUMBER				
<input type="checkbox"/> PROGRESSION	<input type="checkbox"/> TRIAL									
HIGH INFECTION RISK?			PLEASE SEND SAMPLES IN TRANSPORT BOTTLES PROVIDED							
DETAILS:			OR LITHIUM HEPARIN ONLY. NOT EDTA							
DOCTORS SIGNATURE			PRINT DOCTORS NAME			OTHER REFERENCE No. (e.g. Path No)		SEX	NHS	
									PRIVATE Please tick	

MANDATORY INFORMATION

LF - CG - CPP - Request Form v5.0

In submitting this sample, the clinician confirms that consent has been obtained for testing and storage of the patient material

- **Hours of Operation:** Monday to - Friday 8.30am to 5.00pm. There is no routine service at weekends or bank holidays.
- **HIGH RISK samples should be arranged in advance.**
- Please use Cytogenetics Transport Bottles, supplied to regular referrers, for bone marrow and blood collection.
In an emergency, a blood tube containing lithium heparin can be used
Please DO NOT use other anticoagulants such as EDTA.
- Samples should be sent to the laboratory as soon as possible, within 24 hours.
Samples not for immediate dispatch should be refrigerated.
- **All Friday samples need to arrive by 4pm on the day of collection. For Myeloma samples 3pm to allow for cell separation.**
- **It is necessary to telephone about any samples that could arrive to the laboratory out of hours.**
- **Enquiries:** 0161 446 3165/8608
- **For full details see website for Oncology Cytogenetics User Guide**
<https://www.christie.nhs.uk/services/i-to-q/pathology/oncology-cytogenetics/>

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DATE REC	TIME REC	CULTURES REQUESTED	PRIORITY	DUTY SCIENTIST
VOLUME	CELL COUNT	CULTURES SET UP	SET UP BY	TESTS REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> CYTO <input type="checkbox"/> CYTO FISH <input type="checkbox"/> FISH ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> PET FISH
CD138 date set up:	C culture/s set up by:	TRANSPORT BOTTLE EXPIRY DATE	COMMENTS	
Set up by:	Pour off volume:			
CD138 volume:	Cell count: Volume per culture:			