



VPDS Histopathology

IHC Submission Request Requirements

- Block(s) sent – preferred - rather than slides. We will return block(s) to you. Please include return address.
- If the blocks are too important and you would prefer to send slides, please ensure the slides reach us within 3 days from cut (max of 5 days) as staining decreases with time, compromising diagnosis. Please note there is an extra day to two days extra in our internal postage before they reach us.
- 5-6 Superfrost or silane slides per block at 4um, or two to three slides per antibody.
- Please ensure sections are cut towards the mid to bottom half of slide(s) (away from label) for automation of staining.

We do batch IHC staining (currently Tuesday) so if possible please get the blocks/slides to us by Monday morning as we need to cut control slide(s) before staining the next day.

Please attach history so we can determine if it is amelanotic so we can adjust chromogen accordingly.

For calicivirus which can be a panel of 3 clones, please attach history especially with feline cases of virulent systemic infection in skin.

Please address to

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Or for samples other than histo/IHC

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Please don't hesitate to contact us if you require further information.

Thank you.