

RUSH
REQUESTS FOR
SURGICAL
PATHOLOGY
SPECIMENS

Orderable - Surgical Pathology Request

Turnaround Time: 24-72 hours specimen dependent

STAT: 12 hours

Specimen:

Tissue

Collection Information:

Rush Request Surgical Pathology is available by contacting Pathology at ext. 32956.

You will need to provide:

1. Patient name and PIN
2. Procedure date
3. Specimen type
4. Requestor name
5. MRP (most responsible person) Contact Name
MRP Contact #
6. Date results needed or follow up visit, if inpatient or outpatient

This information is used to determine the most appropriate processing of the specimen.

Requests for same day processing:

Requests for same day processing are considered under the most urgent clinical circumstances and are **ONLY** available after consultation with the appropriate Pathologist, by contacting Pathology at ext. 32956.
Only specimens containing tissue fragments of less than 0.5cm will be considered.

See our policy on [Submission of Specimens to Pathology](#).

Reference Ranges:

See report

Critical Information Required:

Clinical history is **crucial** to an accurate diagnosis.



Laboratory:
Pathology Lab



Requisition:
PowerChart: E-order
choosing appropriate
specimen.
See [Identification of
Clinical Specimens](#).



Method of Analysis:
Examination and analysis



Test Schedule:
Weekdays