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CHECKLIST FOR PATHOLOGY CONSULTATION

Below is a checklist to help you submit the appropriate material and document for pathology consultation:

	UNITED STATES	INTERNATIONAL	
1.	Pathology Consultation Demographic	Pathology Consultation Demographic	
	and Billing Form	and Billing Form	
2.	Surgical Pathology Report	Surgical Pathology Report	
	Note: This report must have the same	Note: This report must have the same	
	identifying number as the glass slides	identifying number as the glass slides	
	and/or paraffin blocks. This is the only	and/or paraffin blocks. This is the only	
	way the pathologist can verify that the	way the pathologist can verify that the	
	tissue is yours	tissue is yours	
3.	Glass slides and/or paraffin blocks or	Glass slides and/or paraffin blocks or	
	other materials	other materials	
4.	Return of pathology materials will be	Return of pathology materials will be	
	by US Postal Service unless a FedEx or	by US Postal Service unless a FedEx or	
	UPS account number is provided	UPS account number is provided	
5.	n/a	Letter to US Customs	

SEND PACKAGE (S) TO:

MD Anderson Cancer Center OUTSIDE CONSULTATION SERVICE Department of Pathology, Unit 0085 1515 Holcombe Blvd., Room G1.3669 Houston, TX 77030

Phone: 713-792-3112 / Fax: 713-745-2745



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DATE:

PATIENT:

TO: OFFICER IN CHARGE, CUSTOMS SERVICE, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

To Whom It May Concern:

The package that is in your custody, relating to the above patient, contains biopsies of human tissues that are fixed in paraffin (some may be stained). These specimens are sent in the form of slides or blocks and are <u>neither infectious nor contagious</u>. This pathology material plays an important role with cancer treatment and its' use for the confirmation of diagnosis is essential.

We would appreciate these materials being expedited. Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

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PATHOLOGY CONSULTATION REQUEST Patient Demographics

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Please use one form per case and accompany with (1) a copy of the surgical pathology report, even if incomplete and (2) completed financial information form with billing instructions:

MDACC OUTSIDE CONSULTATION SERVICES	FROM: DATE:
Department of Pathology, Unit 0085 1515 Holcombe Blvd.	Name:
Houston, Texas 77030	ADDRESS:
	PHONE:
Phone: 713-792-3112 / Fax: 713-745-2745	FAX:

PATIENT LEGAL NAME

LAST:	FIRST:	MI:					
PATIENT ADDRESS:							
CITY:	STATE:						
COUNTRY:							
PATIENT DOB:	SEX:						
SS#:	#: PATIENT PHONE:						
CONSULT REQUESTED BY: Pathologist Clinician Patient Other							
REQUESTOR NAME:							
REQUESTOR PHONE:	REQUESTOR	REQUESTOR EMAIL:					
PATIENT CLINICAL HISTORY / DIAGNOSIS:							

MATERIAL SUBMITTED

	Path#	# of slides	Wet Fixed Tissue	Fresh Frozen Tissue
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BLOCKS				
	# OF X-RAYS			
X-RAYS				
OTHER				

Which material can be retained by us?_____

Which material needs to be returned to you?

NOTE: International reports must be submitted and received with an English translation.

Disclosure of your social security number (SSN) is requested in order for The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center to process your consultation. No statute or other authority requires that you disclose your SSN for this purpose and we may not deny services if you choose not to disclose it. Failure to provide your SSN, however, may result in the creation of a duplicate patient number being issued, which may lead to multiple medical records. Further disclosure of your SSN is governed by the Texas Public Information Act and other applicable law.