INTRA-OPERATIVE CONSULTATION

Orderable - Surgical Pathology Request

**Alternate Name(s):**

Frozen section

**Specimen:**

Specimens are always STAT, fresh and unfixed

**Collection Information:**

- Do NOT add formalin
- Prior notification needed

On Mondays-Fridays between 0800-1800 **excluding stat holidays**, contact Pathology immediately by pager:

SJH-15924
University Hospital-35719
Victoria Hospital-17917

**NOTE:** After hours, page the Anatomical Pathologist or Resident

**NOTE:** Neuropathologist or Neuropathology Resident do not provide intraoperative consultation after 1800 on weekdays, weekends or public holidays. During working hours Neuropathologist will stay until 1900 for intraoperative consultation if informed by 1800

**Reference Ranges:**

See report

**Interpretive Comments:**

Pathologist will issue a preliminary report upon completion of the frozen section. Final diagnosis will follow.
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**Critical Information Required:**
Clinical history is crucial to an accurate diagnosis.

**Storage and Shipment:**
Send STAT to Pathology Frozen section lab