

# Test Catalog

Diagnostic. Prognostic. Predictive. Predisposition.





## TFE3

## Methodology

Immunohistochemistry (IHC)

## **Test Description**

Overexpression of TFE3 is a sensitive and specific marker of Xp11 translocation in renal cell carcinomas. TFE3 is also expressed in alveolar soft part sarcoma the hallmark of which is a chromosomal rearrangement at 17q25 and Xp11.2 engendering an *ASPSCR1–TFE3* fusion gene. Use of this antibody is an aid in the recognition of Xp11 translocation renal cell carcinoma and alveolar soft part sarcoma within the context of an antibody panel.

## **Specimen Requirements**

- A formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue block is preferred specimen type or
- One (1) unbaked, unstained slide for H&E staining (required) and two to three (2-3) positively charged unstained slides (all cut at 4-5 microns) for each test/antibody ordered
- Block and slide identifiers should be clearly written and match exactly with the specimen ID and specimen labeling as noted on the requisition.

## **Storage & Transportation**

Use cold pack for transport. Make sure cold pack is not in direct contact with specimen.

### CPT Code(s)\*

88342 x 1 or 88341 x 1

### **New York Approved**

Yes

#### **Level of Service**

Stain Only

### **Turnaround Time**

24 hours

Please direct any questions regarding coding to the payor being billed.

<sup>\*</sup>The CPT codes provided with our test descriptions are based on AMA guidelines and are for informational purposes only. Correct CPT coding is the sole responsibility of the billing party.

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