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<p>Proficiency Tests provided from the above address only</p>		

### DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products	Scheme Name/Type of Test/Properties Measured	Scheme Protocols/Procedures/ Techniques Used
<p>Laboratory selected archived FFPE blocks and stained slides of human or animal tissue samples, including large block sections &amp; frozen sections</p> <p>Laboratory selected archived FFPE blocks and Haematoxylin and Eosin (H&amp;E) stained slides of human cell samples</p>	<p><b>Slide based schemes</b></p> <p><b>Tissue Diagnostics (Routine Histopathology) and Companion Schemes (Mega Blocks and Frozen sections)</b></p> <p>Quality of tissue processing of blocks and stained cellular preparations</p>	<p>Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a></p> <p>Sections stained using in-house Haematoxylin and Eosin (H&amp;E) methods.</p>
	<p><b>Diagnostic Cytopathology Cell Block</b></p> <p>Quality of preparation and processing of cellular blocks and H&amp;E stained cellular preparations</p>	<p>Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a></p> <p>Samples prepared and sections stained using in-house Haematoxylin and Eosin (H&amp;E) methods</p>
	<p><b>Specialist Techniques</b></p> <p>Quality of stained cellular preparations Presence and correct demonstration of target material</p>	<p>Special A and Special B as designated in UK NEQAS for CPT Schedule (available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a> &amp; accompanying delivery letter issued with each run). Slides stained using in-house methods.</p>



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<p>Unstained slides of human or animal tissue samples including large block sections</p> <p>Laboratory selected archived slides of human or animal tissue samples</p>	<p><b>Neuropathology and Companion Scheme for Mega Blocks and frozen sections</b></p> <p>Presence and correct demonstration of target material</p> <p>Quality of stained cellular preparations</p> <p>Presence and correct demonstration of target material</p>	<p>Special A (same as Specialist Techniques scheme) and Special B (specialist neuropathological) as designated in UK NEQAS for CPT Schedule (available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a> &amp; accompanying delivery letter issued with each run). Slides stained using in-house methods (for Special B this may include immunocytochemical techniques).</p> <p>Sections stained using in-house H&amp;E methods.</p>
<p>Laboratory selected archived slides of human or animal renal biopsy tissue samples</p>	<p><b>Renal Biopsy Pathology</b></p> <p>Quality of stained cellular preparations</p> <p>Presence and correct demonstration of target material</p>	<p>Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a></p> <p>Sections stained using in-house methods for the following stains: H&amp;E Methenamine silver Periodic acid Schiff Elastin / van Geison Masson Trichrome</p>



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Laboratory archived slides of human or animal muscle biopsy tissue samples	<b>Muscle Histochemistry</b>  Quality of stained cellular preparations Presence and correct demonstration of target material	Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a>  Sections stained using in-house methods for the following stains or immunocytochemical techniques: H&E NADH Cytochrome Oxidase Gomori Trichrome Acid Phosphatase Periodic Acid-Schiff Succinate dehydrogenase Demonstration of Primary Fibre typing Lipid Note – this may include immunocytochemical techniques
Laboratory selected archived slides of human or animal bone marrow trephine biopsy tissue samples	<b>Bone Marrow Trephine</b>  Quality of stained cellular preparations Presence and correct demonstration of target material	Sections stained using in-house methods for the following stains: H&E Reticulin Romanowsky
Laboratory selected archived frozen section slides of human skin tissue samples	<b>Mohs Procedure</b>  Quality of stained cellular preparations Presence and correct demonstration of target material	Frozen sections prepared and stained using in-house methods Toluidine blue H&E
Laboratory archived stained preparations of human cells from two distinct cytology specimens as designated in the accompanying delivery letter issued with each run	<b>Diagnostic Cytopathology</b>  Quality of stained cellular preparations Presence and correct demonstration of target material	Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a>  Samples prepared and stained using in-house methods for the following stains: Romanowsky Papanicolaou



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Laboratory selected archived electron micrographs/digital images of human or animal tissue samples	<p><b>Web based schemes</b></p> <p><b>Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM)</b></p> <p>Quality of preparations</p>	<p>Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a></p> <p>Sections stained using in-house methods</p>
Laboratory selected archived digital images of human or animal tissue samples	<p><b>Direct Immunofluorescence (DIF)</b></p> <p>Quality of stained preparations</p>	<p>Full protocols for all schemes available at <a href="http://www.ukneqascpt.org">www.ukneqascpt.org</a></p>
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