

Reporting Title: Merkel CC (MCPyV) IHC, Tech Only
Performing Location: Rochester

Ordering Guidance:
This test includes only technical performance of the stain (no pathologist interpretation is performed). If diagnostic consultation by a pathologist is required order PATHC / Pathology Consultation.

Shipping Instructions:
Attach the green "Attention Pathology" address label (T498) and the pink Immunostain Technical Only label included in the kit to the outside of the transport container.

Specimen Requirements:
Supplies: Immunostain Technical Only Envelope (T693)
Specimen Type: Tissue
Container/Tube: Immunostains Technical Only Envelope
Preferred: 2 Unstained positively charged glass slide (25- x 75- x 1-mm) per test ordered; sections 4-microns thick.
Acceptable: Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissue block

Forms:
If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a [Immunohistochemical \(IHC\)/In Situ Hybridization \(ISH\) Stains Request](#) (T763) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
TECHONLY	Ambient (preferred)		
	Refrigerated		

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
71542	Merkel CC (MCPyV) IHC, Tech Only	Alphanumeric		Bill only; no result

LOINC® and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:
No

CPT Code Information:
88342-TC, primary
88341-TC, if additional IHC

Reflex Tests:

Test Id	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Available Separately
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IHTOI	IHC Initial, Tech Only	1	88342	No	No
IHTOA	IHC Additional, Tech Only	1	88341	No	No