

The Center for
**PERSONALIZED
DIAGNOSTICS**

Precision Diagnostics for Personalized Medicine



A joint initiative between

The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine &
The Abramson Cancer Center

The Center for Personalized Diagnostics (CPD) is a joint initiative between Penn Medicine's Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine and the Abramson Cancer Center. The Center integrates molecular genetics, pathology informatics and genomic pathology to develop personalized diagnostic profiles for individuals with cancer. The CPD offers the highest volume of genome testing in the region. In clinical cases, disease-associated mutations have been reported in 75% of patient tests revealing results with therapeutic significance.

PENN MEDICINE CPD SERVICES

Using customized computational methods, including large-scale, massively parallel DNA sequencing and chromosomal analysis, the CPD identifies personal mutation signatures for distinct tumor subtypes.

Penn's Center for Personalized Diagnostics is a CAP/CLIA certified laboratory and offers the following precise cancer gene-sequencing panels:

- **Hematologic malignancy panel**, containing 68 genes and focused primarily on AML, MDS and CLL
- **Comprehensive solid tumor panel**, containing 47 genes known to be mutated in a wide range of tumor types
- **Penn Precision Panel**, with a subset of 20 genes if sample is not adequate for full panel
- **Optional standalone/addon tests** for EGFRvIII screening and gene sequencing panel for BRCA1, BRCA2, estrogen receptor

CUSTOM HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCIES PANEL						
ABL1	CEBPA**	GATA2	MAP2K1	NPM1	RUNX1	TP53
ASXL1	CSF1R	GNAS	MAPK1	NRAS	SETBP1	TPMT
ATM	CSF3R	HNRNPK	MIR142	PDGFRA	SF1	U2AF1
BCOR	DDX3X	IDH1	MPL	PHF6	SF3A1	U2AF2
BCORL1	DNMT3A	IDH2	MYC	POT1	SF3B1	WT1
BIRC3	ETV6	IL7R	MYCN	PRPF40B	SMC1A	XPO1
BRAF	EZH2	JAK2	MYD88	PTEN	SRSF2	ZMYM3
CALR	FAM5C	KIT	NF1	PTPN11	STAG2	ZRSR2
CBL	FBXW7	KLHL6	NOTCH1	RAD21	TBL1XR1	

**CEBPA will be analyzed only when a diagnosis of AML is provided

SOLID TUMOR PANEL						
ABL1	CSF1R	FGFR2	HRAS	MET	PIK3CA	SMO
AKT1	CTNNB1	FGFR3	IDH1	MLH1	PTEN	SRC
ALK	EGFR	FLT3	JAK2	MPL	PTPN11	STK
APC	ERBB2	GNA11	JAK3	NOTCH1	RB1	TP53
ATM	ERBB4	GNAQ	KDR	NPM1	RET	VHL
BRAF	FBXW7	GNAS	KIT	NRAS	SMAD4	
CDH1	FGFR1	HNF1A	KRAS	PDGFRA	SMARCB1	

PENN PRECISION PANEL						
AKT1	EGFR	HRAS	KIT	MET	PDGFRA	RET
ALK	ERBB2	IDH1	KRAS	NRAS	PIK3CA	TP53
BRAF	CSF1R	IDH2	MAP2K1	NOTCH1	PTEN	

TEST SPECIFICATIONS

Sensitivity & Specificity*	>99% at Allele frequencies >5%
Limit of Detection	5% Allele frequency (i.e., 10% tumor with a heterozygous mutation)
Data Analyzed	Minimum of 250 reads, mean panel depth between 1000x and 2000x
Turnaround Time**	21 days or less, average 10-14 days (including review by sub-specialized pathologists)

** On DNA meeting laboratory quality control standards for degradation and quantification*

*** From receipt of acceptable specimen by the laboratory*

REPORTS

Reports include all variants found in the tested specimen that are not supported by the literature as germline population variants. These variants are classified into one of two categories: 1) disease-associated mutations (DAMS) or 2) variants of unclear significance (VUS). Benign population variants are not reported.

Report categories include Abnormal, Variant, Normal, or No Result based upon the types of variants detected. The evidence of wild-type and variant reads supporting each of the reported variants is included in the interpretation to aid in understanding the relative proportions of different variants seen in the specimen.

RESULTS

Validation of each panel includes hundreds of tumor samples representing a wide array of different tumor types. Results from these studies and clinical testing demonstrate the utility of using multi-analyte approaches to identify mutations across a wide range of tumor types.

Using a targeted next-generation sequencing test looking across multiple known cancer-related genes, many different mutation types can be simultaneously detected. Across each major tumor type, disease-associated mutations impacting diagnosis, prognosis and therapy-related treatment decisions are found in approximately 75% of patients tested.

CYTOPATHOLOGY

For cytology samples, FNA rinses, body fluids, and cell blocks can be used. FNA rinses can yield better-quality DNA for the full solid tumor panel as well as quicker turnaround times. For any specimen type where a full solid tumor panel cannot be performed, the Penn Precision Panel (PPP) will be attempted as determined by CPD. The PPP will test for 20 commonly mutated genes in many solid tumors even in samples of frequent low or

poor quality DNA yield. This extremely targeted panel can be used to reflex samples that have insufficient DNA yield, to run on larger panels with as little as 250 picogram input DNA and can be performed on a range of cytology specimens, including FNA rinse specimens, as well as limited biopsy specimens. PPP results show the same rate of abnormal results as the larger, full panel with high-quality DNA.

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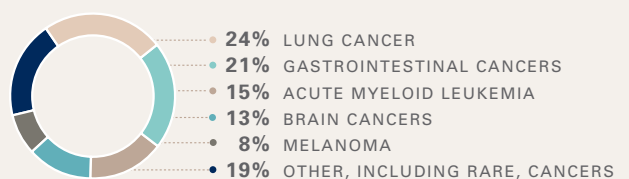
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"The CPD's tests reveal the genetic blueprint of each patient's tumor. This genetic data empowers clinical oncologists to take an individualized approach to cancer care, giving them the tools to refine diagnosis, provide better prognostication, adjust treatment plans according to the genetic makeup of the cancer, and identify a more appropriate selection of targeted therapies—saving lives and spending health resources more wisely."

— **DAVID B. ROTH, MD, PHD**

Simon Flexner Professor and
Chair of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
Director, Penn Medicine Precision Medicine Program

DATA FROM 5,000 PATIENTS ANALYZED



SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

	Bone Marrow	Leukemic Blood	Isolated Genomic DNA	FFPE Tissue	FNA Rinse
Hematologic Malignancies	X	X	X		X
Solid Tumor Sequencing Panel			X	X	X

Given the analytical sensitivity of the assay, specimens must contain a minimum of 15% tumor nuclei across the entire tissue. Submitted specimens must contain a copy of the corresponding pathology report.

Specimen Type: Bone Marrow

Requirements: 2-4 cc drawn in an EDTA (purple-top) tube.

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C / 64-77°F) in an insulated container. Specimens should arrive in the laboratory within 48 hours of collection. Do not freeze.

Specimen Type: Formalin Fixed, Paraffin Embedded Tissue (FFPE Tissue)

Requirements: Less than 50% tumor nuclei in sample: 10-15 unstained 5 µm FFPE slides containing adequate amounts of tumor to be analyzed. Areas containing tumor must be marked on an adjacent H & E slide (outside cases). Greater than 50% tumor nuclei in sample: 6 to 9 rolls cut at 10 µm and placed in a 1.5 ml tube. All samples must come with a corresponding H&E slide from the top and bottom of the sample. All samples must include a copy of the surgical pathology report. Specimens fixed or processed with alternative fixatives will result in DNA that fails QC and therefore will be rejected. Specimens containing less than 15% total tumor nuclei will also be rejected.

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C / 64-77°F) in an insulated container by overnight courier. Do not heat or freeze. Avoid direct exposure to light.

Specimen Type: Leukemic Blood

Requirements: 3-5 cc drawn in an EDTA (purple-top) tube. (White blood cell count > 10,000 cells/mL with at least 15% circulating blasts or malignant cells.)

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C / 64-77°F) in an insulated container. Specimens should arrive in the laboratory within 48 hours of collection. Do not freeze.

Specimen Type: Isolated Genomic DNA

Requirements: 20 µL at a minimum of 35 ng/µL determined by a fluorescent based assay (i.e. Qubit, picogreen). All DNA received by the laboratory not meeting our quality control standards will not be tested and an inadequate specimen report will be generated.

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C / 64-77°F) in an insulated container by overnight courier. Specimen should arrive in the laboratory within 48 hrs of collection.

Specimen Type: Fine Needle Aspirate Rinse Material containing Malignancy (confirmed with on-site evaluation by Penn Medicine cytopathology or final interpretation)

Requirements: Greater than 10% tumor nuclei in sample (on smears or liquid-based cytology slide or cell block slides). PreservCyt vial prepared for potential molecular testing from Cytopathology sent directly to CPD within three weeks of original collection date. (Note, FNA cell blocks if adequate can be utilized longer than 3 weeks).

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C/64-77°F). Do not freeze. Specimens can only be used within three weeks of original collection date.

Specimen Type: Malignant Effusions, Liquid

Requirements: Greater than 10% tumor nuclei in sample confirmed by a Penn Medicine cytopathology evaluation (on liquid based cytology slide or cell block slides). PreservCyt vial prepared for potential molecular testing from Cytopathology sent directly to CPD within three weeks of original collection date. (Note, a malignant effusion cell block if adequate can be utilized longer than 3 weeks; follow formalin fixed, paraffin embedded tissue specimen type).

Transport Conditions: Transport at ambient temperature (18-25°C/64-77°F). Do not freeze. Specimens can only be used within three weeks of original collection date.

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