Reminder: Genetic Test Request Guidelines for Patients with HAP Plans

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Effective June 1, 2017, all genetic testing for HAP members must be sent to the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics. Prior authorization for genetic testing is required. Any genetic testing services that don't follow these guidelines may result in claims denial.

To assist you in efficiently obtaining genetic testing services for HAP members, follow the guidelines below.

Member eligibility

Prior to specimen collection, verify genetic testing is a covered benefit for HAP members. You can verify benefits by:

- Calling HAP's Provider Automated Services at (800) 801-1766
- Logging in at **hap.org** and selecting the *Member Eligibility* application

Prior authorization

The Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics will not process any test without an approved authorization from HAP. The prior authorization process can take up to 14 days. Please factor this into your specimen collection. To obtain authorization:

1. Log in at **hap.org.**
2. Go to *Procedure Reference Lists* and review *Services that Require Prior Authorization* to ensure the test is covered. If it's covered, you can submit the request.
3. Click on *Authorizations*
    - Use *Request Type* of OPOTHER.
    - Use the NPI number in the ***Servicing Facility*** field: 1851410005: Henry Ford Pathology.
4. Complete the request and include clinical history and medical necessity.

The genetic tests below may not require an authorization because they're based on national guidelines**.** **Important:** You must confirm the procedure code doesn't require prior authorization. Log in at **hap.org** and select *Procedure Reference Lists,* then *Services that Require Prior Authorization.*

Hemato-lymphoid neoplasia	**Solid tumor neoplasia**
• B Cell (IGH) Gene Rearrangement • BCR-ABL t(9;22), p190 kD, m-bcr (minor breakpoint) • BCR-ABL t(9;22), p210 kD, M-bcr (major breakpoint) • BRAF Mutation Detection • Calreticulin (CALR) Mutation Analysis • CBFb-MYH11 inv(16) • Epstein-Barr Virus (EBV) detection by in-situ hybridization • Hematolymphoid Neoplasm or Disorder Sequencing Panel (51 Genes) • JAK2 Mutation Analysis • Kappa/Lambda detection by in-situ hybridization • Myeloproliferative Neoplasm (MPN) Panel • NPM1 Mutation Analysis • PML-RARA t(15;17) • T Cell Receptor Gene Rearrangement (gamma and beta) **Hereditary disorders** • Cystic Fibrosis **Other** • Gestational Disease Profile • Tissue/Patient Identification by DNA Analysis (Non-paternity)	• 1p/19q Loss of Heterozygosity • Chromosome (Karyotype) Analysis for Solid Tumor & Bone Marrow Disorders • Colorectal Cancer Panel • EGFR TKI Sensitivity and Resistance Mutations • EGFRvIII Mutation in Gliomas • FISH (Fluorescence in Situ Hybridization) Analysis • FLT3 Mutation Analysis • Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumors Panel • IDH 1/2 Mutation Detection • Immunohistochemistry for MLH1, MSH2, MSH6 & PMS2 protein expression • KRAS Mutation Detection for Codons 12, 13, 61 & 146 • Lung Cancer Panel • Melanoma Panel • MGMT Promoter Methylation in Gliomas • Microsatellite Instability (MSI) Testing by PCR • MLH1 Promoter Methylation Detection • NRAS Mutation Detection for Codons 12, 13 & 61 • Solid Tumor Sequencing Panel (48 Genes)

Proprietary genomic tests

Proprietary genomic testing requires prior authorization. If you need guidance on the appropriateness of proprietary genomic testing compared to the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics broad test menu coverage, you may consult with a molecular pathologist expert at (313) 916-4DNA (4362). Oncotype DX-Breast (Genomic Health), Cologuard (Exact Sciences) and MateriniT21 PLUS (Sequenom) should be sent directly to the vendor.

About the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics

Visit the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics at **henryford.com/HFCPD** where you'll find comprehensive information on:

- Commonly ordered CPT and Test Codes
- Our professional staff
- Genomic test menu
- Cytogenetic test menu
- Test request forms
- Accreditation and certificates
- Specimen Submission Requirements
- Specimen Transport Kit Request Forms*
- Frequently Asked Questions

The complete genetic test catalog can be found in the Henry Ford Lab User's Guide at **https://lug.hfhs.org.** It includes:

- Next generation sequencing (NGS) of hundreds of genes associated with solid tumor and hematopoietic cancers
- Next generation sequencing (NGS) of genes associated with hereditary cancer risk
- Simple single gene testing for common and unusual hereditary disorders
- Chromosomal (karyotype) analysis, Microarray and Fluorescence In-Situ Hybridization (FISH) analysis

Testing results

As a lean laboratory service, molecular NGS testing is rapidly reported between two and seven business days. Clients without access to Henry Ford EPIC EMR can obtain results via fax or the Henry Ford Medical Laboratories outreach portal, which provides online inquiry and printed reporting.

Consultation

Given the complex nature of this testing, you may consult directly with our board-certified molecular pathologists at 313-916-4DNA (4362) about:

- Ordering advice for test indications and appropriateness
- Professional interpretation and advice regarding test results

Service centers

Henry Ford offers 17 Lab Service Centers for patient blood draws that are conveniently located across southeast Michigan. Addresses, maps and driving directions can be found under *Laboratory and Pathology Medicine Locations* at **henryford.com/HFCPD**.

Potential patient financial responsibility

Many patients have high deductibles and copays with their health plans. Personal financial liability should be discussed with the patient prior to specimen collection as the patient may be billed to the limit of their deductible or copay. If the patient doesn't have insurance coverage for genetic testing or if prior authorization has been denied, the patient may pay out-of-pocket for genetic testing available through Henry Ford Laboratories. Contact (313) 916-4DNA (4362) for an estimate of associated costs and complete the Patent Financial Responsibility Form found under *Test Request Forms* at **henryford.com/HFCPD.**

If you have questions about the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics, call (313) 916-4362 or visit **henryford.com/HFCPD.**

*For your convenience, Specimen Transport Kits with a pre-paid FedEx return shipping mailer can be ordered by contacting the Henry Ford Center for Precision Diagnostics at (855) 916-4DNA (4362). Customer Service Representatives are available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.