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Locations covered by the organisation and their relevant activities

Laboratory locations:

Location details		Activity	Location code
Address Cellular Pathology Conquest Hospital The Ridge St Leonards on sea TN37 7RD	Local contact See above	Histology examinations Diagnostic Cytology Frozen sections Mortuary services Body store	A
Cellular Pathology Eastbourne District General Hospital King's drive Eastbourne BN21 2UD	See above	Histology Cut Up Frozen Sections Mortuary services Body store	В

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HUMAN BODY TISSUE AND FLUIDS	Histopathological examination activities for the purposes of clinical diagnosis	Macroscopic and Microscopic examination using in house procedures in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions for the following methods (where relevant):	
Fixed, fresh and frozen tissue.	Examination of tissues to identify or exclude morphological and cytological abnormalities for the purpose of clinical diagnosis	Specimen macroanalysis, dissection & decalcification In-house procedures: SOP: HIJ-SOP-2 HIJ-SOP-6	A, B
		Cryotomy In-house procedures: SOP HIJ-SOP-27 in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions using: Shandon HM525NX cryostat	A, B
		Tissue processing In-house procedures in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions for: Shandon Excelsior tissue processors, SOP HIJ-SOP-21	A

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		Tissue Embedding In-house procedures: SOP HIJ- SOP-31 in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions for Thermo Shandon Histocentres embedding centres	А
		Tissue Sectioning & Slide Production In-house procedures: SOP: HIJ- SOP-32 in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions using Leica RM2235 microtome	A
Paraffin fixed tissues to include:. Benign soft tissue tumour. Malignant soft tissue tumour. Excisional and incisional biopsies. Surgical resection specimens. Other soft tissue. Bone. Bone tumours.	Identification of nuclei, cell cytoplasm and connective tissues in cells and tissues for the purposes of clinical diagnosis using Haematoxylin & Eosin.	Routine Haemotoxylin and Eosin (H&E) staining & coverslipping Automated (A only) procedures: SOP HIJ-SOP-22 In conjunction with manufacturer's instructions using Sakura Tissue Tek Prisma	A
Fresh tissue	As above	Manual H&E staining and coverslipping using HIJ-SOP-44	A, B
Fresh Skin, oral mucosa	Identification of antibodies to IgA, IgG, IgM, C3 and fibrinogen for the purposes of clinical diagnosis using immunofluorescence	Routine manual staining with antibodies followed by fluorescent microscopy using Olympus microscope SOP: HIJ-SOP-26	A, B

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Fixed, fresh tissue, excisional and incisional biopsies and surgical resection specimens	Special staining of histopathology examinations to assist in detection of clinical abnormalities:	Special staining In-house documented procedures based on manufacturers' manuals as relevant	A
	Connective tissue fibres, elastic fibres Fine elastic fibres Mast Cells, Helicobacter Gram +/- organisms Melanin and argentaffin granules Demonstration of melanin, by its removal Elastin Simple Lipids Hep B viral inclusions / Copper –associated protein Metachromatic substances, H.Pylori Collagen	Manual methods using SOP HIJ-SOP-34-63 and stains: Elastic Van Gieson Elastic Van Gieson HE Giemsa Stain Gram stain Masson's Fontana Melanin Bleach Millers Elastin HE Oil Red O Orcein Toluidine Blue Van Gieson	

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Fixed, fresh tissue, excisional and incisional biopsies and surgical resection specimens (cont'd)	Special staining of histopathology examinations to assist in detection of clinical abnormalities: (cont'd)	Special staining In-house manual documented procedures based on manufacturers' manuals as relevant Automated methods using Roche Benchmark Special Stainsand stains: SOP HIJ-SOP-73	A
	Neutral mucins and carbohydrates Neutral mucins / fungi Haemosiderin Reticulin Fibres Amyloid Amyloid Tubercle bacilli Acid and neutral Mucins Fungi	PASD Iron-Perl's Prussian Blue Reticulin Congo Red (highmans) Congo Red (Alkaline) Ziehl Neelsen AB/PAS Grocott	
Fixed, fresh tissue, excisional and incisional biopsies and surgical resection specimens	Immunohistochemistry examination activities for detection of:	Immunohistochemistry In-house procedures SOP HIJ- SOP-33 in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions using the Roche Benchmark Ultra and Sakura Tissue Tek prisma and antibodies:	A
	Cytokeratins Glial cell, pericytes Epithelial cells, and tumours Trophoblasts/ Choriocarcinoma	AE1AE3 Alk1 BerEP4 BHCG	
	Lymphocytes in mantle and Tcell area Germinal centre B cells T lymphocytes T cells, B cells, Dendritic cells Normal kidney	BCL2 BCL6 CD3 CD5 CD10	

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	Neutrophils, eosinophils, macrophages, R-S cell in Hodgkins lymphoma Germinal mantle zone B	CD15	
	Lymphocytes Mature B cells, follicular	CD21	
	dendritic cells	0.000	
	B cells	CD23	
	Activated lymphocytes and plasma cells. R-S cells in	CD30	
	Hodgkins lymphoma	CD31	
	Endothelial cells	CD34	
	Haematolymphoid malignancies	CD43	
	Leucocytes	CD45	
	Peripheral neurons, glia	CD56	
	Macrophages	CD68 (KP1)	
	Mantle zone B cells, germinal B cells and plasma cells	CD79	
	GIST	CD117	
	Immature B cells, Plasma cells	CD138	
	Thyroid endocrine cells	Calcitonin	
	Vascular and visceral smooth muscle cells	Caldesmon	
	Mesothelial cells and mesothelioma	Calretinin	
	Most epithelial tissue	Cam 5.2	
	Carcinoma of GI tract	CEA (Mono)	
	Carcinoid tumour	Chromogranin A	
	Squamous, ductal and other complex epithelia and their	CKH	
	neoplasms Mantle cell lymphoma	Cyclin D1	

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	Squamous epithelium Transitional, ductal &	Cytokeratin 5/6 Cytokeratin 7	
	glandular epithelium Basal layer of prostate and oesophagus	Cytokeratin 14	
	Adenocarcinomas of oesophagus, stomach, colon	Cytokeratin 19	
	Bowel epithelium, carcinoma CMV infected cells	Cytokeratin 20 CMV	
	Adenocarcinoma of the colon, breast carcinoma endometrioid carcinoma of the	Ca125	
	ovary Epithelial cells colon and small bowel	CDX2	
	lymphatic endothelium, ganglion cells and nerve in	D240	
	many normal tissue types Smooth and striated muscle cells	Desmin	
	Gastrointestinal stromal tumours (GIST)	Dog1	
	Epithelial cells of the kidney	EMA	
	Breast cancer and normal gland	ER	
	Variety of tumours	E Cadherin	
	Urothelial/ Breast Carcinoma Epithelial cells of sweat glands Melanoma cells Mesothelial cells	GATA3 GCDFP15 HMB45 HBME1	

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	Hepatocytes Gonadal sex-cord stromal	Hep Par1 Inhibin	
	elements	Kanna	
	Plasma cells, lymphoid cells containing Kappa light chains	Kappa	
	Proliferating cells	Ki67	
	Plasma cells, lymphoid cells containing lambda light chains	Lambda	
	Melanocytes	Melan A	
	Glandular and squamous epithelium	MNF116	
	Small cell lung carcinoma	MOC31	
	Haematolymphoid malignancies	MUM1	
	Neutrophil granulocytes	Myeloperoxidase	
	Myosin filaments	Myosin	
	Lung Adenocarcinoma	NapsinA	
	Thyroid, renal and Thymic tumours	PAX8	
	Cervical epithelium	P16	
	Prostatic carcinoma, prostate	P504S	
	glands	DEO	
	Colon adenocarcinoma	P53	
	Squamous epithelium	P63 PAP	
	Prostate glands Trophoblasts of placenta	PAP PLAP	
	Trophoblasts of placenta Prostate glands	PSA	
	Breast tumours	PR	
	Epithelia of proximal tubules of	RCC	
	kidney		
	Schwann cell and adipocytes	S100	
	Smooth muscle	SMA	

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	Islets of Langerhans of pancreas Mesenchymal cells, Wilm Tumour lymphoblastic leukaemia's Mesothelium Follicular epithelial cells of thyroid Follicular epithelial cells of thyroid and type 2 pneumocytes Mesenchymal cells	Synaptophysin WT1 TdT Thrombomodulin Thyroglobulin TTF1 Vimentin	
Slides produced from processes listed above	Microscopic Examination for the purposes of clinical diagnosis	Interpretive Microscopy (qualitative analysis) Light microscopy microscopy using: Leica Microscope Nikon Microscope CPPJ-SOP 01-06 HIJ-SOP-1	A, B

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	Cytopathological examination activities for the purposes of clinical diagnosis	Macroscopic and Microscopic examination using in house procedures in conjunction with manufacturer's instructions for the following methods (where relevant):	
Serous Fluids	Examination of cellular material in order to identify or exclude morphological and cytological abnormalities	Using Thinprep 2000 and cytospin and stained using Hemacolour Romanowsky and PAP stain SOP: CYJ-SOP-05 and SOP-07	A
Urine, Sputum, endoscopy samples, FNA, brushings, washings	Examination of cellular material in order to identify or exclude morphological and cytological abnormalities	Using Thinprep 2000 and cytospin , stained using a PAP stain, SOP: CYJ-SOP-05 and SOP-07	A
Slides produced from processes listed above	Microscopic Examination for the purposes of clinical diagnosis	Interpretive Microscopy (qualitative analysis) Light microscopy microscopy using: Leica Microscope Nikon Microscope CPPJ-SOP 01-06	A, B
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