



## LYMPHNODE BIOPSY PROCEDURE

**N.B. Keep sterile N/S in fridge**

**DO AS EARLY IN A.M. AS POSSIBLE (needs to get to HSC by noon)**

1. Call lab on day before or in a.m. of surgery and tell them that we are doing a lymph node excision.  
Arrange taxi/volunteer driver, or family, packing of specimen on ice, and notify HSC cytology @ 1-204-787-1352
2. Put specimen in sterile container and fill with chilled sterile saline.
3. Send a HSC requisition with specimen.
4. Transport specimen immediately to HSC Cytology  
BTHC – Take to Lab  
Altona – Take to Lab  
Carman - OR arrange for transport  
PDGH – OR arrange for transport

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