

**Mismatch Repair (MMR) Protein
Immunohistochemistry Only, Tumor**

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Result Summary

LOSS OF MSH2/MSH6

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Result

Provided diagnosis: colorectal adenocarcinoma
IHC: Loss of MSH2 and MSH6 expression; Retention of MLH1 and PMS2 expression

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Interpretation

These results indicate loss of normal DNA mismatch repair function within the tumor. Loss of MSH2/MSH6 protein expression is frequently associated with the presence of a germline (heritable) mutation in MSH2 and less frequently in MSH6. Thus, this individual and other family members are at increased risk for having an inherited colon cancer syndrome due to defective DNA mismatch repair (HNPCC/Lynch syndrome).

It is important to note that these results do not distinguish between somatic and germline mutations. Germline testing of MSH2 (MSH2Z / MSH2 Gene, Full Gene Analysis) and MSH6 (MSH6Z / MSH6 Gene, Full Gene Analysis) on an additional blood sample would be required to distinguish between these two possibilities and provide the opportunity for predictive testing for at risk family members.

These data should be interpreted in the context of the histopathologic findings. A surgical pathology consult may be ordered separately.

A genetic consultation may be of benefit.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Immunohistochemical staining (IHC) is used to determine the presence or absence of protein expression for one or more of the following: MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, and PMS2. Lymphocytes and

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normal epithelium exhibit strong nuclear staining to serve as positive internal controls for staining of these proteins. Test results should be interpreted in the context of clinical findings, family history, and other laboratory data. If results obtained do not match other clinical or laboratory findings, please contact the laboratory for possible interpretation. Misinterpretation of results may occur if the information provided is inaccurate or incomplete.

Specimen

Tissue, Tumor

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Tissue ID

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MLH1 IHC

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PMS2 IHC

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Laboratory Notes

- 1 This test was developed and its performance characteristics determined by Mayo Clinic in a manner consistent with CLIA requirements. This test has not been cleared or approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

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