

**Reporting Title:** TAU IHC, Tech Only  
**Performing Location:** Mayo Clinic Laboratories - Rochester Main Campus

**Ordering Guidance:**  
This test includes only technical performance of the stain (no pathologist interpretation is performed). If diagnostic consultation by a pathologist is required order PATHC / Pathology Consultation.

**Shipping Instructions:**  
Attach the green "Attention Pathology" address label (T498) and the pink Immunostain Technical Only label included in the kit to the outside of the transport container.

**Specimen Requirements:**  
**Specimen Type:** Tissue  
**Supplies:** Immunostain Technical Only Envelope (T693)  
**Container/Tube:** Immunostain Technical Only Envelope  
**Preferred:**  
-Formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tissue block  
OR  
-2 Unstained, positively charged glass slides (25- x 75- x 1-mm) per test ordered; sections 4-microns thick  
**Acceptable:** None

**Forms:**  
If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send a [Immunohistochemical \(IHC\)/In Situ Hybridization \(ISH\) Stains Request](#) (T763) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
TECHONLY	Ambient (preferred)		
	Refrigerated		

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
70870	TAU IHC, Tech Only	Alphanumeric		Bill only; no result

LOINC® and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**  
No

**CPT Code Information:**  
88342-TC, primary  
88341-TC, if additional IHC

**Reflex Tests:**

Test Id	Reporting Name	CPT Units	CPT Code	Always Performed	Available Separately
IHTOI	IHC Initial, Tech Only	1	88342	No	No
IHTOA	IHC Additional, Tech Only	1	88341	No	No