

REPORTING CHANGE

NOTIFICATION DATE: May 23, 2012 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 18, 2012

EWING SARCOMA/PRIMITIVE NEUROECTODERMAL TUMORS (ES/PNET) BY REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE PCR (RT-PCR), PARAFFIN TEST ID: 83363

EXPLANATION: Test #83363, Ewing Sarcoma, RT-PCR, Paraffin, is currently performed in conjunction with #5439, Surgical Pathology Consultation, which is charged separately. Effective June 18, 2012, #5439 will no longer be required. A new test #60254, AP Special Studies Review, will now be added in place of #5439 for reporting purposes. There is no fee or CPT code associated with unit code #60254. Fees and CPT codes will be applied to #83363.

Note: #5439 could still be added at an additional charge if request by the ordering client or at the discretion of the reviewing pathologist.

ADDITIONAL TESTS:

Unit Code	Reporting Name	Available Separately	Always Performed
60254	AP Special Studies Review	No	Yes

REFLEX TESTS:

Unit Code	Reporting Name	Available Separately	Always Performed
83656	EWSR1, 22q12, FISH	Yes	No

TESTING ALGORITHM:

This test is performed in conjunction with #60254, AP Special Studies Review. Additional testing may be performed after review by pathologist .Upon approval from the requesting clinician, #60254, AP Special Studies Review, could be changed to #5439, Surgical Pathology Consultation, if they determine this is more appropriate. Test #83656, EWSR1, 22q12, FISH, may be ordered and performed at the reviewing pathologist's discretion at an additional charge.

LIST FEE: \$587.20

The following test(s) may be added per the testing algorithm and charged separately: \$678.60 for #83656 Ewing Sarcoma (EWS), 22q12 (EWSR1) Rearrangement, FISH, Tissue (if appropriate)

CPT CODE:

Ewing Sarcoma/Primitive Neuroectodermal Tumors (ES/PNET) by Reverse Transcriptase PCR (RT-PCR), Paraffin

83891-Isolation or extraction of highly purified nucleic acid

83892-Enzymatic digestion

83894-Separation by gel electrophoresis

83896 x 5-Nucleic acid probe, each

83898 x 2-Amplification of patient nucleic acid

83902-Reverse transcription

83907-Lysis of cells prior to nucleic acid extraction

83912-Interpretation and report

Ewing Sarcoma (EWS), 22q12 (EWSR1) Rearrangement, FISH, Tissue

88271 x 2-DNA probe, each (if appropriate)

88275-Interphase in situ hybridization, 100-300 cells (if appropriate)

88291-Interpretation and report (if appropriate)