



Dermatopathology Services



For dermatology practices, a trusted and reliable pathology partner with subspecialty expertise is essential. Oculus Pathology shares your goal of delivering excellent patient care. And, we share your goal of clinically appropriate, judicious testing.

The Oculus Pathology Lab Provides:

- Standard histological processing, embedding, serial section microtomy, staining and labeling of dermatology specimens with hematoxylin and eosin (H&E) staining for dermatopathology interpretation and diagnosis.
- Special stain processing as requested by the diagnosing dermatopathologist. The lab performs 20 different special stains, including staining for a wide variety of microorganisms.
- More than 100 different immunohistochemistry (IHC) stains in support of the diagnostic efficiency of our dermatopathologists. This includes numerous IHC stains specific for diagnosing dermatology specimens, such as HMB-45; MART-1; S-100; SOX-10, Spirochetes, HSV types I and II, HV-8, and PRAME.
- Michel's media and processing for Direct Immunofluorescence (DIF) staining. All Oculus dermatopathologists are experienced in the interpretation of DIF stains for immunobullous diseases, lichen planus, lupus, vasculitis, and other connective tissue diseases.
- Direct transport of specimens by Oculus-employed or contracted couriers. All specimens transported to the lab are verified by manifest for maximum accountability.
- Interpretation of dermatology specimens by Oculus Pathology dermatopathologists.

The Oculus Difference

The Oculus Pathology lab has more than 26 years of experience providing dermatopathology histology services to dermatology practices.

In addition, since 2019, we have been the exclusive provider of dermatological histology, special staining, immunohistochemistry, and direct immunofluorescence slide staining for many dermatologists.

Our Promise



Collegial, collaborative partnerships



Readily accessible part of the clinical team



Available and responsive to questions and consultation requests



Rapid turnaround times



Integration with your EMR



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