BETHESDA SYSTEM CASCADE 2018

SPECIMEN ADEQUACY

Satisfactory for evaluation

endocervical/transformation zone component present

endocervical/transformation zone component absent/insufficient

borderline squamous cellularity

partially obscuring inflammation

partially obscuring blood

partial poor preservation

incomplete history - no LMP provided

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Unsatisfactory for evaluation due to:

Insufficient squamous cellularity

Obscuring inflammation

Obscuring blood

Poor preservation

Extensive air-drying

Slides irreparably broken

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INTERPRETATION/RESULTS

NEGATIVE FOR INTRAEPITHELIAL LESION OR MALIGNANCY

Negative for intraepithelial lesion or malignancy

Reactive cellular changes

Reactive cellular changes associated with inflammation/repair

Reactive cellular changes associated with inflammation

Reactive cellular changes associated with repair

Reactive cellular changes associated with treatment effect (Radiation/Chemotherapy)

Reactive cellular changes associated with IUD

Glandular cells status post hysterectomy

Tubal metaplasia

Atrophy

Atrophic vaginitis

Atrophic pattern

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NEGATIVE FOR SQUAMOUS INTRAEPITHELIAL LESION

Negative for squamous intraepithelial lesion

Endometrial cells present in a woman ≥ 45 years of age

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COMMENT: Endometrial cells in women 45 years or older may be associated with benign endometrium, hormonal alterations, and less commonly, endometrial or uterine abnormalities.

Endometrial evaluation is recommended in postmenopausal women.

COMMENT: Endometrial cells correlate with the menstrual history provided.

ASCUS

Atypical squamous cells of undetermined significance (ASC-US)

Atypical squamous cells, cannot exclude high-grade squamous intraepithelial lesion (ASC-H)

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COMMENT: The College of American Pathologists requires cytopathology laboratories to do follow up on gynecologic cases. We are officially requesting clinical and/or pathologic follow up on this patient. HPV testing will be performed and findings will be reported in a separate report.

GLANDULAR CELL ATYPIA

Atypical endocervical cells, not otherwise specified

Atypical endometrial cells, not otherwise specified

Atypical glandular cells, not otherwise specified

Atypical endocervical cells, favor neoplastic

Atypical glandular cells, favor neoplastic

Endocervical adenocarcinoma in situ

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SIL

Squamous intraepithelial lesion

Low-grade squamous intraepithelial lesion

High-grade squamous intraepithelial lesion

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MALIGNANCY

Adenocarcinoma

Adenocarcinoma, favor endocervical origin

Adenocarcinoma, favor endometrial origin

Squamous cell carcinoma

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HORMONAL

Atrophy

Hormonal pattern incompatible with age and history

Hormonal pattern incompatible with age and history; an increased estrogen effect is noted

Hormonal pattern incompatible with age and history; a decreased estrogen effect is noted

Hormonal pattern compatible with age and history

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INFECTION

Trichomonas vaginalis

Fungal organisms morphologically consistent with Candida species

Shift in flora suggestive of bacterial vaginosis

Bacteria morphologically consistent with Actinomyces species

Cellular changes consistent with Herpes simplex virus

Cellular changes consistent with Cytomegalovirus

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