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RE: ER/PR stained slides

Dear Dr. Cook:

As discussed with Dr. Watters, Department of Pathology MGH, please find enclosed ER/PR stained slides you requested on the following cases:

⊕	SS6652 02 (2A)	ER/PR	F 50% / E 5%	intact	ed artifact
⊕	SS5577 02 (A)	MS	MS		
⊕	SS9097 02 (B)	-	1 -		
⊕	SS8749 02 (A)	-	1 -		
⊕	SU9848 02 (J)	-	1 -		
⊕	SU11314 02 (B)	-	1 -		
⊕	SU5464 02 (J)	F 5%	M 10%		ed artifact

Also enclosed is an invoice for the Department of Pathology services.

If there are any further inquired, please do not hesitate to contact myself or Dr. Watters.

Thanking you in advance.

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encl.

Recard July 29, 2005
2002 cases

and present, to Aug 1 2005 meeting with ~~Steve~~ Gray
Dako ~~Original~~ Ventana MS 14

* ①	ER	PR	ER	PR	ER	PR
	-	-	10%	56%*	1%	1%
②	-	-	15%	5%	2%	1%
③	-	-	5%	10%*	2%	2%
* ④	-	-	-	5%	0%	0%
⑤	-	2%	100%	100%*	78%	5%
* ⑥	-	-	-	-	-	-
⑦	-	-	-	-	-	-
⑧	-	30%	100%	100%	60%	90%
⑨	-	-	80%	60%*	20%	5%
⑩	-	-	-	-	-	-
⑪	-	-	100%	10%*	* 90	0

8/11

2/11 converted
63%

5/11 = 54%
4%
converted

just a difference in
PR
one case of ER.

Cases from Montreal - received Aug 11, 2005

- Cases read by Dr Carter (blinded)

- No standardization of Ventra System

- Montreal +ve controls OK, internal control on known are neg

Montreal slides
(Same quality as
Dako slide)

M = moderate
S = strong
F = faint

#	Name	Dako St Johns	Ventana St John's	Semi automated Montreal Ventana
SS-6652-02 (2A)		ER < 10% PR < 5-10%	ER(S) 80% PR M 50%	ER(F) 5% PR(F) 5%
SS-5577-02 (A)		ER - PR -	ER(S) 15% PR -	ER(M) 5% PR(M) 5%
SS-9097-02 (B)		ER - PR -	ER(M+S) 30% PR(M+S) 30%	ER - PR -
SS-8749-02 (A)		ER - PR -	ER (10%) PR (10%)	ER - PR -
SS-9848-02 (C)		ER - PR -	ER (-) PR (-)	ER - PR -
SS-11314 02 (B)		ER - PR -	ER (-) PR (-)	ER - PR -
SS-5464 02 (J)		ER - PR 20%	ER(S) 70% PR(S) 70%	ER(F) 5% PR(M) 10%

Find out for Barry - what antibodies are
used on all these?

(Notice a lot of staining on Montreal slides
on the edge)

Inform Mr Terry Sullivan, Dr Bob Williams, Dr Karen Lamm. Mother of
Sullivan web contact Ventana regarding the

Aug 12, 2005

Done on Ventana Nexus
Saulomedi system as
Automated system at
capacity