

# REPORTING CHANGE

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

# PDGFB, 22q13, FOR DERMATOFIBROSARCOMA PROTUBERANS/GIANT CELL FIBROBLASTOMA, FISH TEST ID: 88905

**EXPLANATION:** Test #88905, PDGFB, 22q13, FISH, 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 #88905.

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

## **ADDITIONAL TESTS:**

<b>Unit Code</b>	Reporting Name	<b>Available Separately</b>	<b>Always Performed</b>
60254	AP Special Studies Review	No	Yes

#### **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 determined to be more appropriate.

**LIST FEE:** \$696.60

### **CPT CODES:**

88271-DNA probe, each 88275-Interphase in situ hybridization 88291-Interpretation and report