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| **Miscellaneous Brushings (Renal,**  **Gastric, Common Bile Duct, Endocervical Cytobrush, etc): Day(s) / Time(s) Performed:** | **Monday-Friday**  **8am - 5pm** |
| **Turn Around Time\*\*:** | **24 hours** |
| **Specimen Collection Supplies:** | **• Brush**  **• CytoLyt Solution**  **• Specimen Container** |
| **Specimen Collection:** | **1. Obtain specimen on brush by brushing lesion. For endocervical brushings, the cytobrush is passed into the endocervical canal and rotated 360° five times.**  **2. Cut off brush end and place in CytoLyt solution immediately.**  **3. Tighten cap ensuring black lines align.** |
| **Specimen Handling:** | **Room temperature if specimen is delivered upon collection.** |
| **Specimen Requirements:** | **• Labeled with two (2) patient identifiers**  **• Completed Cytology Specimen Requisition**  **• All specimens should be placed in a secondary “Biohazard Safety Bag”.** |
| **Transportation:** | **Immediately Deliver / Send to Laboratory or Teton Pathology** |
| **Comments / Special Instructions:** | **Do not fix specimen in formalin, pap fixative, or let dry.**  **CytoLyt Solution can be obtained from Teton Pathology** |
| **Rejection Criteria:** | **• Inadequate Information / Missing Requisition**  **• Unlabeled / Mislabeled Specimen**  **• Specimen received in inappropriate fixative** |
| **Retention Time of Specimen:** | **One (1) Week After Final Report is Issued** |
| **Laboratory Testing Performed:** | **Cytopathology – Teton Pathology** |