

# EndoCDx-Esophageal Brush Biopsy

## Summary of Instructions for Use\*



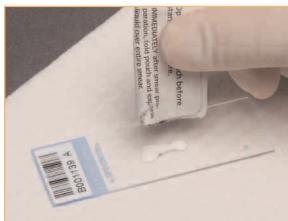
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Retract brush tip into its surrounding sheath and pass brush down biopsy channel. While maintaining firm pressure, brush tip should be rotated and repeatedly passed back and forth over abnormality and/ or squamocolumnar junction **until pinpoint bleeding is observed.**



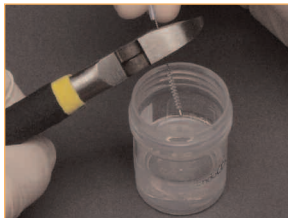
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Retract brush tip into surrounding sheath and remove brush from channel. Evenly **spread cellular material** from brush onto bar-coded side of the enclosed glass slide.



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**Within one minute**, empty contents of a complete fixative packet onto the slide, saturating all cellular material. Set slide to dry for 15 minutes.



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**Clip off bristle portion of brush** into enclosed vial. Place closed vial into resealable bag with supplied absorbent padding.



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Place **dry slide** in slide holder and securely shut.

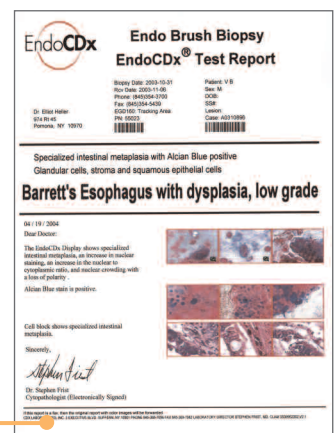


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The **completed mailer** should include:

1. test requisition form
  2. slide in slide holder
  3. brush tip in vial in resealable bag
- Place in prepaid mailer for overnight delivery to CDx Laboratories.

At CDx Laboratories, the specimen will be analyzed by specially-trained pathologists assisted by computer analysis. A report will be faxed and mailed to your office.



**EndoCDx** Endo Brush Biopsy  
**EndoCDx® Test Report**

Report Date: 2013-10-31 Patient: V B  
Site Code: 2013-1-100 Site: M  
Phone: (866)244-6239 Fax: (866)244-6423 Site: SSM  
CDx Lab, Tuckersville, Ohio 43081 Clear: 43139990  
Site: 10022 Clear: 43139990

Specialized intestinal metaplasia with Alcian Blue positive  
Glandular cells, stroma and squamous epithelial cells  
**Barrett's Esophagus with dysplasia, low grade**

10/11/2013  
Dear Doctor:  
The EndoCDx Display shows specialized  
intestinal metaplasia, an increase in nuclear  
size, an increase in the number of  
cytoplasmic cells, and nuclear crowding with  
a loss of polarity.  
Alcian Blue stain is positive.

Cell block shows specialized intestinal  
metaplasia.

Sincerely,  
*Stephen F. Fox*  
Dr. Stephen Fox  
Chief Pathologist (Electronically Signed)

Please Report to the Office the original report and this report when requested.  
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\* For detailed instructions, please refer to the complete instruction sheet provided in each test kit.

