

TransFix[®] Fine Needle Aspirate Protocol

Sample preparation

1. Mince fresh material in BioWhittaker™ X-Vivo balanced salt solution.
2. Mix 0.2ml of TransFix[®] to 1ml of the cell suspension
3. Mix well by inversion - at least 25 times
4. Store at 4-8°C for up to 7 days prior to analysis

Flow Cytometry analysis

1. Instrument Procedure. Follow instrument manufacturers instructions for instrument alignment and sample analysis
2. Fluorescent antibody procedure. Use fluorescent antibodies according to manufacturers instructions for patient and control samples
3. RBC lysing procedure. Follow manufacturers lysing reagent instructions