

Gynecologic Pathology Grossing Guidelines

Specimen Type: ENDOMETRIAL BIOPSY/CURRETAGE (EMC/EMB)

Gross Template:

Labeled with the patient's name (***), medical record number (***), designated "****", and received [*fresh/in formalin*] is a *** x *** x *** cm aggregate of minute red-tan tissue fragments admixed with [*blood clot/blood-tinged mucus*]. The specimen is entirely submitted [*describe cassette summary*].

Cassette Submission: All tissue submitted

- Note: If received on Teflon or gauze, carefully scrape with a CLEAN blade onto tissue wrap. If free floating in formalin, pour through a nylon biopsy bag
- If curettage is submitted for incomplete abortion, describe recognizable placental tissue (hydropic villi), fetal parts or degenerate decidua. If the microscopic sections do not show products of conception, submit all tissue.