

Gynecologic Pathology Grossing Guidelines

Specimen Type: TOTAL VULVECTOMY (for tumor)

Gross Template:

Labeled with the patient's name (***), medical record number (***), designated "****", and received [*fresh/in formalin*] is a [partial/total/simple/radical/subcutaneous] vulvectomy measuring *** x *** cm, and is excised to a depth of *** cm. [*Provide orientation*].

The epidermis is remarkable for [*Describe any lesions – including size, type, borders, color, shape, distance to all margins*]. The specimen is sectioned to reveal [*describe cut surface and depth of invasion and distance of mass to deep margin*].

[*Describe remaining cut surface and presence of satellite lesion(s)*]. The specimen is entirely submitted/Representative sections are submitted [*describe cassette submission*]. A gross photograph is taken.

Cassette Submission: 15-20 cassettes

- At least 3 sections of tumor, including sections showing deepest area of invasion and relationship to closest margin of resection.
- Sections of entire lateral margin of resection.
- Section of entire vaginal margin of resection.
- Sections of any skin surface with altered coloration and texture.
- Sections of uninvolved skin from right and left labia majora and minora, and clitoris.
- Sections of lymph nodes, separately labeled.
- **Take gross photograph**

