

## **Gynecologic Pathology Grossing Guidelines**

**Specimen Type:** OMENTECTOMY for staging of GYN MALIGNANCIES

**Procedure:**

Omentum must be examined grossly and carefully searched for small (0.4–0.5 cm) foci by the naked eye, palpation, and/or dissection.

**Gross Template:**

**MMODAL COMMAND:** "INSERT OMENTUM"

It consists of a [*measure in three dimensions\*\*\**] cm portion of omentum. Sectioning reveals [*describe color, texture and any relevant nodules\*\*\**] cut surfaces. No additional lesions or masses are identified. Representative sections are submitted in [*for gyn staging must submit 3-5 cassettes of tissue if no gross tumor seen, or one cassette if tumor is grossly seen\*\*\**].

**Cassette Submission:**     3 - 5 cassettes if no grossly identifiable tumor  
  1 – 2 cassettes if grossly identifiable tumor