

BONE AND SOFT TISSUE PATHOLOGY GROSSING GUIDELINES

- NOTE: Document in your cassette summary which cassettes (for each specimen part) are submitted for decal
 - Ex: Representative sections are submitted (A1, A3; B2-B4; C3-C4 following decalcification).
 - Ex: Representative sections are submitted:
 - A1- bone (decal)
 - A2- skin resection margin, perpendicular
 - B2- tibia shave (decal)

MModal Command: "INSERT LIPOMA"

Specimen Type: LIPOMA

Gross Template:

It consists of a [*measure in three dimensions****] cm yellow-tan soft tissue fragment. Sectioning reveals a yellow-tan and homogenous cut surface. [*The specimen is entirely submitted/Representative sections are submitted****].

Cassette Submission: 5-6 cassettes

- DO NOT ink these specimens
- Submit one section per 1 cm of the mass/lesion

- Note: **For cord lipomas**, submit as follows:
 - 2 cassettes for 2 cm lipoma (2 sections)
 - 4 cassettes for a 4 cm lipoma (4 sections)