Updated nongynecological cytology specimens standard, 2/15

February 2014—The Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute has released Nongynecological Cytology Specimens: Preexamination, Examination, and Postexamination Processes; Approved Guideline—Second Edition (GP23-A2). This document provides recommendations for cytology laboratories to use in developing preexamination, examination, and postexamination processes and procedures for nongynecological cytology specimens to ensure suitable specimens for diagnosis of cancer, infectious diseases, and other inflammatory conditions.

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