

SFGH Point of Care Urine Sediment Microscopy Acute Dialysis

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1. Clinical Indications:

- All new patients have a Urine Sediment Microscopic examination.
- Follow-up patients monitored for renal disease activity will also have sediment microscopic examination if needed.

2. Documentations:

- All results, pertinent positives and negatives are recorded in EPIC under POCT test results.
- Verification and documentation for the equipment preventive maintenance routine are the responsibility of biomedical engineering department.
- Verification and documentation of provider competency are maintained with Point of Care under the Provider Performed Microscopy Program.

3. Clinical Actions:

- The performing provider and attending nephrologist review all Urine Sediment Microscopy results at the time the test results are obtained.
- Positive results: Interpreted in relation to the patient's clinical presentation and discussed with the patient.
- Negative Results: No further work up needed; however, may be interpreted in relation to the patient's clinical presentation and discussed with the patient.