



**PROCEDURE NOTES:**

1. Drain staining rack/slides after each step to prevent solution carry over.
2. Do not allow sections to dry out at any point during staining procedure.
3. If using a xylene substitute, closely follow the manufacturer's recommendations for deparaffinization and clearing steps.

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