

KIT Gene Immunohistochemistry (GIST)

Organization	Field Name	ID	Required
KCR	KIT Gene Immunohistochemistry	34061	yes
SEER	KIT Gene Immunohistochemistry	3865	yes

Note 1 Physician statement of KIT IHC can be used to code this data item when no other information is available.

Note 2 KIT Gene Immunohistochemistry (IHC) is the expression of the KIT gene in tumor tissue specimens based on immunohistochemical (IHC) stains. A positive test is a diagnostic and predictive marker for GIST tumors. Do not record secondary or acquired mutations that may have developed because of long-term imatinib treatment.

Note 3 Other names for KIT are CD117 or c-kit.

Note 4 Results from nodal or metastatic tissue may be used for KIT Gene Immunohistochemistry.

Code	Description
0	KIT negative/normal; within normal limits
1	KIT positive
7	Test ordered, results not in chart
8	Not applicable: Information not collected for this case (If this information is required by your standard setter, use of code 8 may result in an edit error.)
9	Not documented in medical record Cannot be determined by pathologist KIT not assessed or unknown if assessed