

Oxford Testing Criteria:

Hereditary forms of Pheochromocytoma and Paraganglioma (PGL)

Gene testing available: RET, VHL, SDHB, SDHC, SDHD, SDHAF2, TMEM127, MAX SDHA, FH	OMIM number(s): (Pheochromocytoma 171300) (Paraganglioma 1 168000) (Carney Complex Type 1 – 160980) OMIM number(s): 164761, 608537, 185470, 602413, 602690, 613019, 613403, 154950
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Patient name:	Date of birth:
Patient postcode:	NHS number:
Name of referrer:	
Title/Position:	

Referrals will only be accepted from one of the following:	
Referrer	Tick if this refers to you.
Consultant Clinical Geneticist	
Consultant Endocrinologist	

Criteria	One of the following:	Tick if this patient meets criteria
PGL in neck or elsewhere		
PHEO with family history of PGL		
PHEO <45 yrs of age		
PHEO over 45yrs of age*		
PHEO with other syndromic features [#] e.g. MEN2, VHL – specify		
Malignant PHEO over 45yrs of age		
Bilateral PHEO / Multiple tumours		
Confirmation of affected status in a family with known mutation		
Predictive test for known familial mutation		

- indicates testing for genes specific to stated syndrome

*Indicates testing for only *TMEM127* and *SDHB* as patients with a later age of diagnosis are more likely to have mutations in these genes than mutations in the other genes (Yao *et al* 2010, Jafri *et al*, 2012)

Gene Tests required	Tick if required or specify**
ALL genes (VHL, RET (exons 10-11), SDHB, SDHC, SDHD, SDHA, SDHAF2, MAX, TMEM127) FH	
Selected genes (Please specify)	

If the sample does not fulfil the clinical criteria or you are not one of the specified types of referrer and you feel testing should be performed please contact the laboratory to discuss.

Please refer to our website for further referral information: www.ouh.nhs.uk/geneticslab

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