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APPENDIX I

SEROLOGY TEST SCHEDULE

EBV Serology.....	Thursday
HBsAg	daily
HBsAg confirmation	when needed
HBsAb	daily
HBcAb-Total	daily
HBcAb-IgM.....	when needed
HAV-IgM	daily
HBeAg / HBeAb	daily
Monospot IM heterophile Ab	same day
Rubella Ab.....	daily
Varicella-Zoster Ab.....	STAT or Thursday
RPR for Syphilis.....	Wednesday
HCV Ab.....	daily
CMV IgG Ab.....	daily
HIV Ab	daily
HTLV Ab.....	Thursday
Chlamydia PCR.....	daily
HCV RNA PCR	once or twice per week
HBVDNA.....	Daily

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* Stat testing may be required where clinically justified.

All routine pre-Bone Marrow Transplant serology screening will be completed by Friday afternoon weekly (except RPR for Syphilis for samples received Thurs. pm or Fri.) Friday afternoon print an LIS report for 8TSC template. For all BMT patients/donors appearing on the 8TSC printout, check that they were faxed successfully. To maintain confidentiality, results for HIV testing will be reported using "Transplant Screen". These results will be printed in-lab and sent to the PMH BMT office daily by hospital mail in an envelope marked "CONFIDENTIAL".(FAX number 926-6585).

Occasionally a pre-BMT serology screen will be STAT. The microbiologist will inform the laboratory in addition to the requisition being clearly marked STAT. Such specimens will be processed within 24 hours of receipt and results will be FAXed back to the BMT office as soon as they are available.