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NPM1/RARA Short Fusion Gene

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A fusion gene (~1.9 kb) that results from a chromosomal translocation t(5;17)(q35;q21) which fuses the first 442 nucleotides of the NPM1 gene to exon 3 of the RARA gene. This rearrangement is rare and is associated with acute myeloid leukemia.