Reflectance confocal microscopy (RCM) and melanocyte-specific immunostaining of histologic skin sections.


ABSTRACT
To the Editor: In vivo reflectance confocal microscopy (RCM) represents a new imaging technique that offers the possibility to examine noninvasively superficial layers of the skin at a cellular resolution. The main endogenous contrast agents on RCM are melanin (refractive index $n = 1.72$) and keratin ($n = 1.51$).