

Specimen Requirements And Collection Instructions- Blood

Kit components

- 1 Test requisition form
- 1 Specimen instructions
- 1 EDTA 3mL tube
- 1 Biohazard plastic bag
- 1 Padded bag
- 1 FedEx® ClinPak with “Exempt Human Specimen” label

Specimen requirements



Blood sample

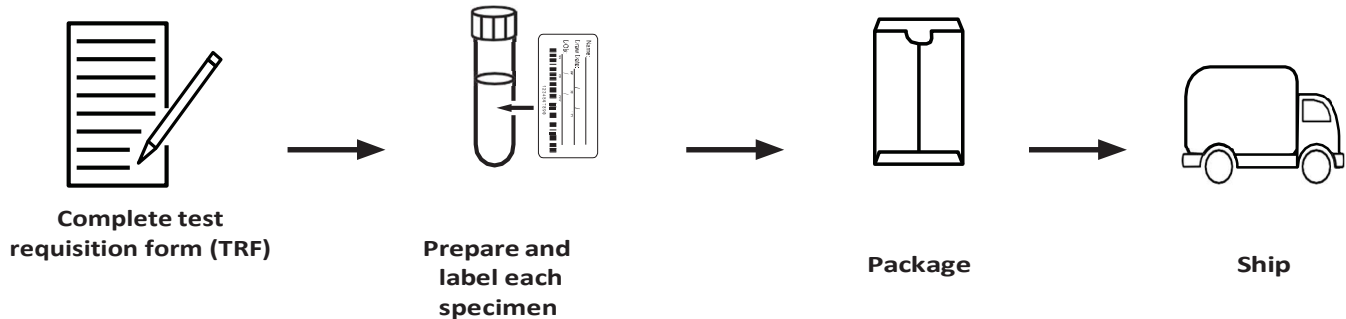
- Size : Whole blood 3 mL
- Quantity : 1 EDTA tube
- Storage : Room temperature (15-25°C)
- Shipping : FedEx ClinPak and Specimen Kit

**To be shipped within 4 days*

Prepare sample

1. After collecting blood, mix immediately by gently inverting the tube 10 times.
2. Label specimen: label each specimen with two unique identifiers specific to the patient (e.g., specimen ID, DOB), and collection date.

Collection and shipping instructions



1. Place completed test requisition form (TRF), and any other attachments into the Genome Insight Specimen Shipping Kit.
2. Place the specimen shipping kit (including samples and paperwork) into the provided clinical shipping pack, first ensuring that primary specimen containers (e.g. EDTA tube) is labeled with two patient-specific identifiers. Seal the shipping pack. Confirm “Exempt human specimen” label checked on FedEx® ClinPak. Genome Insight’s FedEx Account Number is 685142600.
3. Call 800.463.3339 to request a pick-up or drop the package at your site’s designated FedEx pick-up location and ship sealed shipping pack.

Checklist and list of items

Before you ship your specimens, please ensure that you have prepared all the items listed below. For additional kits, please contact support@genomeinsight.net

- Test requisition form (TRF) – 1 sheet
- Blood specimen tube (*to be shipped within 4 days of collection*) – 1 tube
- Previous molecular diagnostic records (*optional*)

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