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LIFESOUTH Community Blood Centers

Request for COVID-19 Antibody Testing

LifeSouth Community Blood Centers

Requesting Facility:	**Requested by:**
Send Results to (email address):	

Sample ID	Sample Collection Date & Time	Sample Type	COVID-19 Antibody Test	Sample Aliquot/Freeze Date & Time	HLA Antibody Testing Requested?
		☐ Plasma ☐ Serum	☐ Total ☐ IgG		☐ Yes ☐ No
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Specimen Requirements

Total: 2 EDTA tubes, liquid (6 mL preferred) **IgG:** 2 red-top or serum separator tubes

- Samples may be stored for up to 24 hours at room temperature (up to 30°C), 7 days at 2 to 8°C, or frozen at ≤ -20°C indefinitely.
- Optimally, samples should arrive at the testing laboratory within 72 hours of collection. Refrigerated liquid samples are strongly preferred.
- If frozen samples are sent, samples must be aliquoted. Frozen samples must be stored at ≤ -20°C (≤ -4°F) and may be subjected to only 1 freeze-thaw cycle.

HLA: Plasma or serum samples are acceptable.

- Samples may be kept at room temperature up to 4 days.
- Separated serum (from clotted samples) or plasma (in ACD or K-EDTA) may be refrigerated up to 7 days, or aliquots may be frozen at -20 to -80°C for up to 3 years.

Specimen Transport

- Ship refrigerated samples at 2 to 8°C. Ship frozen samples on dry ice.
- Please include a packing list that includes testing requested.
- **Ship to:**
  Attn: IRL
  4039 Newberry Road
  Gainesville, Florida 32607

Please fax request form to 1-888-286-0179 and place a copy of the request form into to the box with the samples.

LifeSouth Laboratory Use Only:

Samples Acceptable Upon Receipt? ☐ Yes ☐ No	Received by:	Date Received:

Effective: 10 Sep 2020