Special Testing Laboratory Available Testing Reference Document

This document lists the available testing for the Special Testing Laboratory.

Flow Cytometry							
Assay	Test Description	Minimum Sample Volume	Sample Age	Sample Type	Shipping	Turnaround Time	How to Order
CD34/45	 Provides viable CD45 cells (cells/µL), viable CD34 cell count (cells/µL), total CD45 cells (cells/µL), total CD34 cell count (cells/µL), CD34 viability (%), CD45 viability (%), and percentage of viable CD34 cells out of viable CD45 cells (%) Includes viability 	500 μL	< 48 hours	 Cord blood Whole blood (pre collection) Leukopak Mobilized HPC Isolated Cells 	 Fresh: Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C) Frozen: Dry ice 	Routine: 24 hours from receipt STAT: 2 hours from receipt	Email the completed Request for Flow Cytometry Testing and shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.
TBNK	 Provides cell count of CD45, CD19, CD3, CD4, CD8, CD19 and CD56 cells (cells/µL) Provides percentage out of CD45 cells (%) Does not include viability 	500 μL	< 48 hours	 Cord blood Whole blood (pre collection) Leukopak Mobilized HPC Isolated Cells 	 Fresh: Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C) Frozen: Dry ice 	24 hours from receipt	
Viability only	Provides percentage of viable CD45 cells (%)	500 μL	< 48 hours	 Cord blood Whole blood (pre collection) Leukopak Mobilized HPC Isolated Cells 	 Fresh: Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C) Frozen: Dry ice 	Routine: 24 hours from receipt STAT: 2 hours from receipt	

5	Genotyping								
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	ABO Genotyping	Predicted ABO blood grouping based on SNP analysis, including some of the more commonly encountered subtypes	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	Routine: 7 daysSTAT: 3 days	Email the completed Request for Special Testing Laboratory Services along with the shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.	
	Genotyping for assorted blood group systems	 Genotype/phenotype prediction for an extended variety of RBC and platelet antigens 	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	7 days		
		Able to target most ISBT-listed groups and molecular variants, subject to prior validation							
ווסוור	RBC Genotyping (IDCORE XT)	IVD assay that provides predicted genotype/phenotype of common RBC antigens, including MNS, RHCE, Kell, Kidd, Duffy, Diego, Dombrock, Colton, Cartwright, and Lutheran systems	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	Routine: 7 daysSTAT: 3 days		
	RH Genotyping	Genotype/phenotype characterization of RHD and RHCE system, including commonly encountered weak and partial antigen expressing variants	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	Routine: 7 daysSTAT: 3 days		

	HLA/Platelet Refractory Workups								
	Assay	Test Description	Minimum Sample Volume	Sample Age	Sample Type	Shipping	Turnaround Time	How to Order	
	Donor HLA Antibody Screen (Class I and II)	Detection of HLA class I and II antibodies	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	Serum tube or EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	2 days	Email the completed Request for Special Testing Laboratory Services along with	
5	Donor HLA Typing High Resolution (Send out)	High-resolution typing of A, B, C, DRB1, DRB345, DQB1, and DPB1	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA or ACD tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	• 14 to 30 days	the shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop	
	HLA Antibody Identification Class I	Identification of HLA Class I antibodies, including cPRA calculations	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	Serum tube or EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	Routine: 7 daysSTAT: 3 days	off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.	
ノ 11 10	Patient HLA Antibody Class I Screen	Detection of HLA class I antibodies	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	Serum tube or EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	• Routine: 7 days • STAT: 3 days		
	Patient HLA Class 1 Low Resolution	Low resolution (serological equivalent) for A and B loci for platelet matching	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	EDTA or ACD tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	• Routine: 7 days • STAT: 3 days		
5 0	Platelet Antibody Identification	Detection and identification of HPA1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 antibodies	≥ 3 mL	< 10 days	Serum tube or EDTA tube	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	7 days		

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	Deionized Water QC	 Detection of bacteria/ organisms in clinical laboratory reagent water Reported as acceptable (≤10CFU/mL) or unacceptable (>10 CFU/mL) 	50 mL	Must be received within 24 hours of collection	Sterile container	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	2 weeks	Email the completed External Deionized Water QC Worksheet along with the shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.		
	Hemoglobinopathy Testing	 Testing by Capillary electrophoresis Detection of abnormal hemoglobin 	≥ 3 mL	<7 days at 2 to 8°C	EDTA	Cold packs/wet ice (2 to 8°C)	7 days	Email the completed Request for Special Testing Laboratory Services along with the shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.		

	Product Quality Control								
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Cryoprecipitated Components - Normal Cryo QC	Factor VIII and Fibrinogen testing on Cryo units	NA	NA	Frozen Units	Dry ice	2 weeks	Email the completed Sample Submission for Cryoprecipitated		
Cryoprecipitated Components - Normal Cryo QC	Fibrinogen testing on PRCFC/IFC units	NA	NA	Frozen Units	Dry ice	2 weeks	Components - External Customers along with the shipping tracking number/expected time of sample drop off (if local) to qc@lifesouth.org.		

Sysmex XN-10 Alternative Assessment for Transfusion-Related Cell Counts (Platelet Count and WBC in Platelet/RBC Products): Email Kelly Anderson for more details at klanderson@lifesouth.org.