

# Multi-Shipper with Cold Pack - Blood



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## Supplies Needed for Collection and Packaging



Blood tube or other specimen collection container



Multishipper with Cold Pack

Contents: Tube Shuttle, 95kPa Bag with absorbent, Cold Packs, Styrofoam Cooler and Outer Cardboard Box.



Outreach or Lab Form

## Collection and Labeling of Specimen

- 1) Collect patient specimen in accordance with package insert .
- 2) Make sure two identifiers are on the specimen vial.
- 3) Fill out lab or Outreach form completely.

## Packaging of Specimen

- 1) Place specimen tube(s) into tube shuttle.
- 2) Roll up tube shuttle/specimens and place in 95kPa bag.
- 3) Place barrier (i.e. tube shuttle, paper towels or chux pads) on top of cold pack.
- 4) Place sample bag on top of cold pack and replace styrofoam lid.
- 5) Put Outreach form on top of styrofoam lid and close outer box.  
Place laboratory label on the top of the box.



When possible, send priority overnight using FedEx.

Place box inside FedEx UN3373 Pak.



Refer to 49CFR 173.199 for current regulations on packaging and shipping of Category B infectious substances