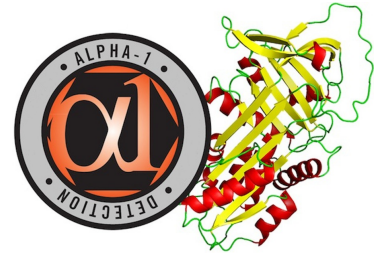


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Confirmation tests to be performed:
Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Level, plasma
Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Level, genotype and PI type

Instructions for drawing and sending blood:

1. Complete all paperwork provided. Incomplete information will delay results.
2. Fill one purple top EDTA or one green top sodium heparin tube and gently mix by inverting it several times. If tubes have been sitting in your office, please ensure they have not expired before use.
3. Tape the plastic vial to secure against spilling.
4. **Label the blood tube with the patient's name, DOB, and blood draw date. Improperly labeled sample tubes will be rejected.**
5. Place the blood tube in the shipping tube provided. Place the cap on the shipping tube.
6. Place the shipping tube with paper towels as an absorbent into the biohazard press-lock plastic bag.
7. Fold the paperwork and insert it into the rear pocket of the biohazard bag.
8. Place the specimen in the orange FedEx clinical bag. Please be sure to fill out Section 1 of the enclosed FedEx slip for shipment. Section 2 is pre printed with our information (2 day shipping). Attach the slip to the top of the bag as indicated. Be sure to keep the sender's copy for tracking. Call FedEx at (800) 463-3339 to schedule a pick-up. The laboratory will absorb all shipping costs.
9. For best results and to avoid sample rejection, the blood must arrive within 72 hours of the draw date. Please mail the specimen as close to the draw date as possible. Do not store at extreme temperatures (hot or cold).
10. Please call or email with any questions regarding transport or collection.

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