**Finger Stick**

**blood collection instructions**

- **Collection kit supplied by Oncimmune®**

1. Complete and sign *EarlyCDT—Lung* test requisition
2. Patient should wash and warm hands
3. Identify puncture site (red). Clean thoroughly with alcohol wipe & air dry
4. Twist off tab on lancet
5. Press firmly against puncture site until click is heard
6. Return with sample for proper disposal
7. Wipe away first drop of blood. Remove yellow cap of Microtainer® tube
8. Touch collector end of tube to drop of blood, apply intermittent pressure along finger*
9. Fill tube to the 400 mark or above. Replace cap and label tube with barcode sticker

**Prepare for shipment:**
- Place sample in bubble wrap provided.
- Place sample and lancets in biohazard bag.
- Place bag and requisition in collection kit box.
- Place box in FedEx® Clinical Pak with prepaid waybill affixed.

*Do not scrape skin surface to collect blood; blood will freely flow to bottom of tube.

**Traditional**

**blood draw instructions**

- **Collection kit supplied by Oncimmune®**

1. Complete and sign *EarlyCDT—Lung* test requisition
2. Blood specimen drawn into a red-top serum tube or serum-separator tube (SST)
3. If SST, centrifuge specimen per manufacturer’s recommended procedures.
4. If sending red-top serum tube, send specimen without processing
5. Label tube with 2 unique patient identifiers and/or barcode label
6. Note: minimum of 0.5 mL of serum or 1.0 mL of whole blood
7. Keep refrigerated (not frozen) until ready to ship, unless shipped same day

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