



## Advanced Intestinal Barrier (Plasma) - Kit

### Collection & Contents

#### Collection Requirements

**FASTING** -Do not consume any food for 12 hours prior to the blood draw.

#### Shipping Requirements

Only Ship samples Monday - Wednesday

#### Kit Contents

Contact Us if any items are damaged or missing.

| Quantity | Item Description             |
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| 1        | Cold pack                    |
| 1        | Requisition form             |
| 1        | Biohazard bag with gauze pad |
| 1        | Silver insulated envelope    |
| 1        | Prepaid shipping label       |
| 1        | Laboratory shipping pack     |
| 2        | Lavender top EDTA tube       |
| 1        | Transfer pipette             |
| 1        | Green Top 5mL transfer tube  |

#### Sample Stability

**Must freeze** sample until shipment & notate specimens are frozen in the sample collection section of the requisition. We ask that samples are shipped within 7 days of collection.

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### Specimen Collection Instructions

1. Collect the blood in the two (2) EDTA tubes provided, gently invert 8 times.
2. Allow the blood to sit for 30 minutes.
3. Centrifuge the blood for 15-20 minutes.
4. Transfer the plasma from the EDTA tubes to the Green Top transfer tube.
5. Using a permanent marker, write the patients first and last name, date of birth, and date of collection on each sample tube.
6. Store the sample & cold pack in a freezer and until ready to ship. **(Minimum of 4-6 hours in freezer before shipping.)**

### Shipping Instructions

1. Make sure the specimen tubes are properly labeled.  
**Improperly labeled tubes cannot be processed.**
2. Place the tube(s) inside of the biohazard bag and seal the bag. Do not remove gauze pad.
3. Complete the Test Requisition Form, fold and place the form within the outer pocket of the biohazard bag.
4. Place the biohazard bag into the silver insulated envelope.
5. Place the cold pack inside the silver insulated envelope.
6. Seal the envelope and place it inside the kit box.
7. Place the kit box inside the lab mailing pack.
8. Attach prepaid shipping label.
9. Take the package to the shipping carrier's storefront location or call the carrier to schedule a pickup.

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