

To ensure sufficient quantity for testing, please fill tube(s) completely. If you are drawing for multiple tests in multiple tube types, please draw in the following order.

- 1st tube: SST tube (PHI)
- 2nd tube: PPT tube (BreastSentry)
- 3rd tube: K2-EDTA tube (Aristotle)
- 4th tube: Paxgene tube (Colonsentry)

<p><b>Step 1</b></p>  <p>Prep the patient as you would with any normal venipuncture. Attempt to draw as much blood as possible to ensure adequate RNA quantity.</p>	<p><b>Step 2</b></p>  <p>Allow at least 10 seconds for a complete blood draw to take place. Ensure that the blood has stopped flowing into the tube before removing the tube from the holder.</p>	<p><b>Step 3</b></p>  <p>Gently invert the K2-EDTA tube 8 to 10 times. This step is key for accurate results.</p>	<p><b>Step 4</b></p>  <p><b>DO NOT</b> open or centrifuge K2-EDTA tube, Keep cold after draw.</p>	<p><b>Step 5</b></p>  <p>Label the tube with two patient identifiers (name and date of birth). Confirm with patient. Please list date and time of collection.</p>	<p><b>Step 6</b></p>  <p>Place tube in the biohazard bag provided with absorbent material. Keep cold and deliver immediately to processing lab as instructed.</p>
<p><b>Step 7</b></p>  <p>Insert two <b>FROZEN</b> ice packs between the foam inserts. <b>Do not place ice packs outside of foam inserts.</b></p>	<p><b>Step 8</b></p>  <p>Place samples in biohazard bags and put them in between the ice packs in the pouch. If requisition is provided, put in the document pouch on the back of the biohazard bag.</p>	<p><b>Step 9</b></p>  <p>Once all of your samples are in the pouch, remove covering from adhesive strip on the top of the mailer and seal.</p>	<p><b>Step 10</b></p>  <p>Puncture the bullseye on both sides of the mailer with a pen or something similar.</p>	<p><b>Step 11</b></p>  <p>Wait for mailer to inflate. It should double in size.</p>	<p><b>Step 12</b></p>  <p>Place inflated kangaroo pack inside the StageZero box and seal.</p>



### Important Delivery Instructions

Questions?  
Contact Client Relations  
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**Aristotle Specimens Need to be Dropped at a Local Lab Immediately following the draw. Specimens should be kept cold for transport as indicated in above instructions.**

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