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Biospecimen Collection Kit Directions For Use

Collection Protocol Title: A Phase 3 Study of Androgen Annihilation in High-Risk Biochemically Relapsed Prostate Cancer

Collection Protocol Short Title: AFT-19

Collection Protocol PI: AFT Administrator

Collection Time Points:	Screening	End of Treatment	PSA Progression
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Biospecimen Collection Kit Components:

1. Components for Shipping Ambient Specimens:

QTY	Description
1	Cardboard box with Biological Substance, Category B, UN3373 markings
1	Styrofoam container
1	Outer Secondary Pressure Vessel (Tyvek)
1	Leak proof Biohazard bag (for ambient specimens)
1	100 mL absorbant strip
2	Saf-T-Rap® Sticky Side Bubble Wrap
1	Saf-T-Temp controlled room temperature (CRT) PCM pack - 500G (DO NOT FREEZE OR REFRIGERATE)
1	Completed FedEx Return airbill (Do not interchange FedEx air-bills between kits)

2. Components for Specimen Collection:

Description	Time Points / QTY		
	Screening	End of Treatment	PSA Progression
Black marking pen	1	1	1
PAXgene® Blood RNA Tube (2.5 mL)		1	1
5-slide mailer	2		
4"x6" Minigrip bag	1		
4"x4" gauze	1		

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Specimen Processing

1. Refer to the Correlative Science Procedure Manual (CSPM) for instructions regarding specimen collection and processing.
2. All research biospecimens **MUST** be labeled with the Participant study number and Participant initials (Last, First, Middle) using the permanent marker provided with the kit. Blood tubes must also be labeled with date and time of collection.

Specimen Packaging—Ambient Shipping

1. Wrap the PAXgene® tube with bubble wrap and place inside the leak proof biohazard bag, along with the 100 mL absorbant strip. Seal the biohazard bag by removing the red tape place inside the white Tyvek® envelope and seal the Tyvek® envelope. Place inside shipping container.
2. Wrap the FFPE block with gauze and place in the 4"x6" Minigrip bag. Seal the bag and place inside shipping container.
3. Secure lids of each 5-slot slide holder with tape, wrap with bubble-wrap and place inside the shipping container.

Packaging Instructions

1. Follow packaging instructions to ensure kit's ambient specimens remain at appropriate temperatures for up to 24hr.
2. Register specimen collection information in the AFT BioMS tracking database (<https://alliancefoundationtrials.org>). Place a copy of the AFT BioMS packing slip inside of the shipping container.
3. If applicable, include a de-identified copy of the institutional surgical pathology report pertaining to the slides or FFPE block enclosed.
4. Close the outer corrugated box and secure with packaging tape.
5. Ship to: AFT Biorepository at Washington University, c/o Siteman Cancer Center Tissue Procurement Core, 425 S. Euclid Ave., Rm 5120, St. Louis MO, 63110-1005; Phone (314-454-7615).
6. **Do not ship on Friday, Saturday, Sunday or day before a nationally recognized holiday.**

Requesting Additional Biospecimen Collection Kits

1. All Biospecimen Collection Kits provided by the AFT Biorepository must be requested through the AFT Biospecimen Management System (AFT BioMS); **do not call, email or fax the biorepository**. Refer to the CSPM for instructions on how to order additional kits.
2. In the event a kit has expired components, the entire kit must be returned to the AFT Biorepository.

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Collection Time Points:

Cycle 3 Day 1

Biospecimen Collection Kit contents:

1. Components for Shipping Frozen Specimens:

QTY	Description
1	Cardboard box with Biological Substance, Category B, UN3373 markings
1	Styrofoam container
1	Dry Ice label
1	6"x9" Biohazard bag (for frozen specimens)
1	Completed FedEx Return airbill (Do not interchange FedEx air-bills between kits)

2. Components for Specimen Collection:

	Time Points / QTY
Description	Cycle 3 Day 1
Black marking pen	1
Vacutainer® No Additive Tube (Red top, 10 mL)	1
Transfer pipette	1
Corning® Cryovials with cap inserts (2.0mL)	3

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2. All research biospecimens **MUST** be labeled with the Participant study number and Participant initials (Last, First, Middle) using the permanent marker provided with the kit. Cryovials **MUST** also be labeled with **Serum**.

Specimen Packaging—Frozen Shipping

1. Place the 3 frozen serum aliquots inside the 6"x9" biohazard bag. Place the bag inside the shipping container and fill container immediately with dry ice.

Packaging Instructions

1. Follow packaging instructions to ensure kit's frozen specimens remain at appropriate temperatures for up to 24hr and IATA Packaging instructions are followed for biological specimens shipped on dry ice.
2. Register specimen collection information in the AFT BioMS tracking database (<https://alliancefoundationtrials.org>). Place a copy of the AFT BioMS packing slip inside of the shipping container.
3. Close the outer corrugated box and secure with packaging tape.
4. If shipping frozen specimens, complete the Dry Ice label. Include name and address for shipper/recipient on the upper left and right side of the Dry Ice label. Dry ice weight = 3 Kg. Apply to one side of the shipping container. See Figure 1.
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Figure 1

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Collection Time Points:

Biospecimen Collection Kit Contents:

1. Components for Shipping Specimens:

QTY	Description
1	Corrugated cardboard box (holds two Styrofoam containers)
1	Small Styrofoam container for ambient specimens
2	Gel packs (DO NOT FREEZE OR REFRIGERATE)
1	Absorbant sleeve for blood tubes
1	Pressure Biohazard bag with adhesive strip (for ambient specimens)
1	Large Styrofoam container for frozen specimens
1	Dry ice label
1	Completed FedEx Return airbill (Do not interchange FedEx air-bills between kits)

2. Components for Specimen Collection:

Description	Time Point / QTY
	Cycle 1 Day 1
Black marking pen	1
6"x9" Biohazard bag (for frozen specimens)	1
PAXgene® Blood RNA Tube (2.5 mL)	1
Vacutainer® No Additive Tube (Red top, 10mL)	1
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Specimen Packaging

1. Transfer serum aliquots into the 6"x9" Biohazard bag and place into the frozen specimen compartment of the shipper, immediately cover with at least 2 inches (3 Kg or ~6 lbs) of dry ice, and replace the lid.
2. Insert the PAXgene® Blood RNA Tube tubes into the slots in the absorbant sleeve and place the sleeve into the Pressure Biohazard bag. Seal the bag, place the bag between the two gel packs and place into the ambient container. Place ambient container on top of frozen container and cover with the lid. See Figure 1.

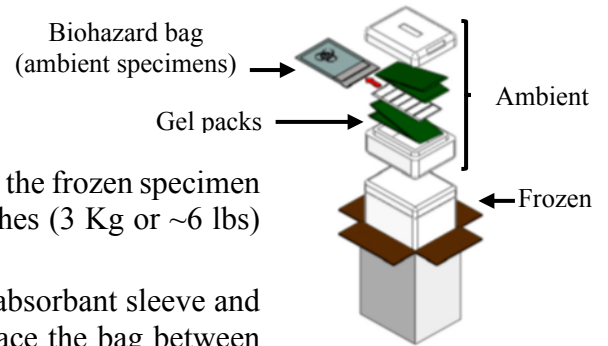


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3. Close carton and secure lid with packaging tape.
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