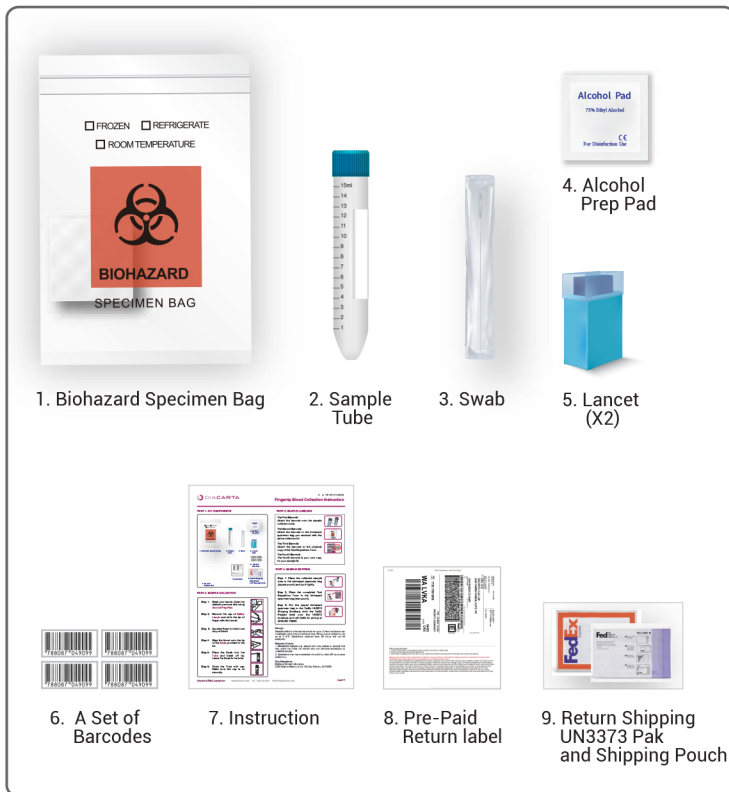


Fingertip Blood Collection Instruction

PART 1. KIT COMPONENTS



PART 2. SAMPLE COLLECTION

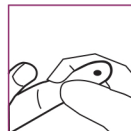
Step 1. Wash your hands. Clean the desired puncture site using **Alcohol Prep Pad**.



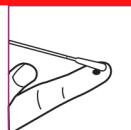
Step 2. Remove the cap of **Safety Lancet** and stick the tip of finger with the Lancet.



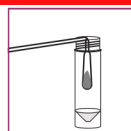
Step 3. Squeeze finger to allow blood to flow.



Step 4. Wipe blood onto the **Swab** until saturated and completely red.



Step 5. Place the **Swab** into the **Sample Tube** and break off tip. Leave the **Swab** in the tube.



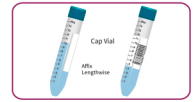
Step 6. Close the **Sample Tube** with cap. Make sure the cap is on securely.



PART 3. SAMPLE LABELING

The First Barcode:

Attach the barcode onto the sample collection tube.



The Second Barcode:

Attach the barcode to the biohazard specimen bag you received with the saliva collection kit.



The Remaining Barcodes:

The remaining barcodes are your own copy for your sample ID.

PART 4. SAMPLE SHIPPING

Step 1: Place the collected sample tube in the biohazard specimen bag (zipped pouch) and zip it tightly.



Step 2. Put the zipped biohazard specimen bag in the FedEx UN3373 Shipping Envelope, stick the FedEx Prepaid label onto the UN3373 envelope, and call FedEx for pickup at (800) GO-FEDEX.



Important: Register your kit before ship it out

1. Scan the QR code on the box to access the registration web page.



2. Use the barcode number as your activation



Storage:

Sample collection kits can be stored for up to 12 months before use. If samples need to be stored more than 48 hours after collection, do so at 2°-8°C. Specimens received after 96 hours will not be accepted.

Rejection Criteria:

- Mislabeled sample (e.g. sample with two names or sample that has name that does not match with the identifier/accession) or unlabeled sample.
- Specimens that have exceeded the stability time (96 hours after collection).

Ship Samples to:

DiaCarta Clinical Laboratory
2420 Camino Ramon, Suite 105, San Ramon, CA 94583