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Specimen Acquisition: (512) 776-7598

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1 FORM = 1 SAMPLE

Please complete a separate form
for each specimen submitted

SPECIMEN BARCODE

This Space for DSHS Laboratory Use Only

G-1B Specimen Submission Form

Submission Form Guidance

- All dates must be entered in **mm/dd/yyyy** format.
- Please complete a separate form for **each** specimen submitted.
- Details of test and specimen requirements can be found in the Laboratory Testing Services Manual. Visit our website at <https://www.dshs.texas.gov/lab>

For assistance or questions, email
ClinicalChemistry@dshs.texas.gov

SECTION 1. SUBMITTER

** REQUIRED	Submitter/TPI Number **	Submitter Name**		
	NPI Number **	Address **		
	City **	State **	Zip Code **	
	Phone Number **	Fax **	Contact Name and/or Email Address	

SECTION 2. PATIENT

NOTE: Patient name on specimen MUST match name on this form **exactly**.
Name mismatches will be rejected. e.g., Partial name on specimen label but full name is provided on form.
Specimen container must have **two (2) unique identifiers** that match this form exactly. e.g., DOB, Unique ID#.

** REQUIRED	Last Name **	First Name **	MI
	Address **		Phone Number
	City **	State **	Zip Code **
	DOB (mm/dd/yyyy) **	Sex**	Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic

Race: ☐ White ☐ American Indian / Native Alaskan ☐ Asian ☐ Black or African American ☐ Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander ☐ Other

Diagnosis / Symptoms ☐ Risk ☐ Inpatient ☐ Outpatient

Date of Onset ☐ Outbreak Association ☐ Country of Origin / Bi-National ID ☐ Surveillance ☐

ICD Diagnosis Code † (1) ICD Diagnosis Code † (2) ICD Diagnosis Code † (3)

† Indicates the diagnosis code that would help in processing, identifying and billing of this specimen.

SECTION 3. SPECIMEN

NOTE: If the 'Date of Collection' field is not completed, the specimen will be rejected.

** REQUIRED	Date of Collection (mm/dd/yyyy) **	Time of Collection **	Collected by:
	Unique Identification Number ** e.g., MRN / Alien # / Accession ID	Comments or Additional ID: e.g., CDC ID, Previous DSHS Specimen Lab Number	
	Specimen Source or Type (Select One Only) **		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blood: Capillary <input type="checkbox"/> Blood: Venous <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Blood: Filter Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Serum		

SECTION 4. HEMOGLOBIN AND LEAD (HL)

<input type="checkbox"/> Hemoglobin	If this is a follow-up due to a previous elevated lead result, mark "Yes" below and provide previous DSHS specimen lab number in Section 3.
<input type="checkbox"/> Lead	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	

SECTION 5. HEMOGLOBIN TYPE

<input type="checkbox"/> Hemoglobin Electrophoresis (Accepted on Snap and Card Only)	PKU Dietary Monitoring is a stand-alone test, not associated with the Newborn Screening Panel. <input type="checkbox"/> Phenylalanine/Tyrosine
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SECTION 7. CHEMISTRIES

NOTE: DO NOT FREEZE Serum Separator Tube (SST) collectors (i.e. Gold Top tubes)
If stored in an appliance prior to shipping, document date & time specimens were removed from FREEZER / REFRIGERATOR in the box to the bottom right.

<input type="checkbox"/> Cholesterol ▲ <input type="checkbox"/> High-density lipoprotein (HDL) ▲ <input type="checkbox"/> Lipid Panel ▲ (Includes cholesterol, triglycerides, HDL, and calculated low-density lipoprotein (LDL))	Diabetes: <input type="checkbox"/> Glucose, Random ▲ <input type="checkbox"/> Glucose, Fasting ▲ _____. Hrs. Time since last meal
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SECTION 8. ORDERING PHYSICIAN

** REQUIRED	
Physician's NPI Number**	Physician's Name**

SECTION 9. PAYOR SOURCE

- Reflex testing will be performed when necessary and the appropriate party will be billed.
- If the patient does not meet program eligibility requirements for the test requested and no third-party payor will cover the testing, the submitter will be billed.
- Medicare generally does not pay for screening tests-please refer to applicable Third-party payor guidelines for instructions regarding covered tests, benefit limitations, medical necessity determinations and Advanced Beneficiary Notice (ABN) requirements.
- If Medicaid or Medicare is indicated, the Medicaid/Medicare number is required. Please write it in the space provided.
- If private insurance is indicated, the required billing information below is designated with an asterisk (*).
- Check only one box below to indicate whether we should bill the submitter, Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance, or DSHS Program.

<input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid (2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Medicare (8)
Medicaid/Medicare #:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Submitter (3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Insurance* (4)
<input type="checkbox"/> BIDS (1720)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> TB Elimination (1619)	

HMO / Managed Care / Insurance Company Name *	
Address*	
City *	State * Zip Code *
Responsible Party / Subscriber *	
Insurance Phone Number *	Insurance ID Number *
Group Name	Group Number
Signature of Patient or Responsible Party "I hereby authorize the release of information related to the services described here and hereby assign any benefits to which I am entitled to the Texas Department of State Health Services, Public Health Laboratory Division."	
Signature *	Date *

SECTION 10. DNA ANALYSIS

<input type="checkbox"/> Galactosemia: Common Mutation Panel	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cystic Fibrosis: Mutation Panel	
<input type="checkbox"/> MCAD: Mutation Panel	
<input type="checkbox"/> VLCAD: Gene Sequencing	
<input type="checkbox"/> X-ALD: Targeted Sequencing	
<input type="checkbox"/> X-ALD: Full Gene Sequencing	
Hemoglobin DNA Test:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hb S, C, E, D, or O-Arab	
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Beta-Thalassemia Mutation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Beta-Globin Gene Sequencing	

▲ REQUIRED for cold shipments, if stored in an appliance prior to shipping.	
Indicate REMOVAL from:	
<input type="checkbox"/> FREEZER	<input type="checkbox"/> REFRIGERATOR
DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)	TIME (hh:mm)
	<input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM

FOR DSHS LABORATORY USE ONLY:

Specimen Received: ☐ Room Temp. ☐ Cold ☐ Frozen