

All specimens should be labeled with **AT LEAST TWO** patient identifiers (name, date of birth or Myriad Genetics barcode), **AND** the collection date. Each patient should have their own kit for their sample and corresponding paperwork. Multiple Foresight® and Prequel® kits may be packed in one FedEx envelope when sent to Myriad Genetics.

All samples require a signed requisition form from the patient's healthcare provider before any tests can be processed or results can be issued.

All collection tubes must not be expired at time of sample collection. Blood kits are still usable if the expiration date is the same as the collection date.

	Blood samples
Sample container	One 10 mL Streck tube (provided in kit)
Quantity required	10 mL optimal 7 mL minimum Minimum volume must be available in one sample tube
Storage and stability	Sample should be sent right away Do not refrigerate Stable up to 7 days at room temperature (includes transport time) Samples must be received and extracted within 7 days of collection
Shipping instructions	Ship at room temperature in provided kits with 1-day FedEx envelope
Special instructions	Two patient identifiers and collection date must be visible on the tube Estimated due date and pregnancy type (singleton or twin) are both required on the requisition Labels/stickers should not obstruct view of sample volume in tube

Samples not meeting these requirements may still be sequenced and the results reported if they meet quality control standards. We reserve the right to discard samples that do not meet our quality control standards.

Special considerations for Prequel

- Myriad Genetics cannot accept Prequel samples from patients with any active malignancies or polycythemia vera.
- Myriad Genetics cannot accept Prequel samples from patients who have received a whole blood transfusion within four (4) weeks of sample collection.
 - This waiting period does not apply for packed red blood cells (pRBC), fresh frozen plasma (FFP), platelets, Rhogam, or IVIG infusion.
- Patients who have had an allogenic (non-self donor) bone marrow transplant, stem cell transplant, or organ transplant may submit Prequel samples; however, the sex of the donor should be indicated on the requisition.
 - Sex Chromosome Analysis is not available when the sex of the donor is male (at birth) or unknown.
- While transplanted porcine heart valves may interfere with cfDNA analysis, we are happy to offer Prequel for these patients.
- Patients who have had a stem cell injection/infusion for a non-cancer condition are eligible for Prequel under the following conditions:
 - If the stem cell injection/infusion was autologous (self donor), Myriad can proceed with Prequel analysis as normal.
 - If the stem cell injection/infusion was allogenic (non-self donor), the patient must be at least four (4) weeks post-injection/infusion to proceed with Prequel analysis as normal.