



Shipping BioPRYN Blood Samples



Procedures for Shipping BioPRYN® Blood Samples

BioTracking and all of its affiliate labs are diligent in informing producers how to properly ship samples. The following guidelines should be used if you ship blood via the Post Office, UPS, FedEx, DHL or another carrier.

1. Bundle tubes together in groups of 1-10 tubes with a rubber band.
2. Place inside a leak proof Ziploc bag or baggie.
3. Wrap the bundle with absorbent paper towel or newspaper (enough to absorb all fluid if tubes break).
4. Place a Biohazard symbol downloaded from the website-[http://pe.usps.com/text/DMM300/ 601.HTM#wp1096434](http://pe.usps.com/text/DMM300/601.HTM#wp1096434)
5. Or write Biohazard on the plastic of the bag with a marker or pen.

DO NOT PUT BIOHAZARD ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE BOX!!

6. Pack the bags with bubble wrap or absorbent newspaper inside a box (we do not suggest using padded envelopes) and seal the box.
7. Address the box.
8. If you have packaged using this procedure, write the following on the outside of the box: **“Exempt Animal Specimen”**

If you have questions, please consult with your local post office or other carrier. If you're still unclear, please contact BioTracking or the affiliate laboratory to which you are sending the samples.

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