

TO BLOOD DRAWING PERSONNEL

This blood sample is for a study sponsored by the U.S Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS), and the National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences (NCATS). Samples are housed at Indiana University School of Medicine. It will need to be shipped to the address below. Please use the enclosed pre-addressed FedEx Clinical Pak.

**National Cell Repository for Alzheimer's Disease (NCRAD)
980 W. Walnut St, Walther Hall, R3 C158
Indianapolis, IN 46202**

The kit provided contains a vacutainer tube with which to obtain blood from the individual for research purposes. The blood from these tubes will be used to grow cell lines or extract nucleic acids for research purposes. **This is NOT a test to diagnose Alzheimer disease.** Each kit contains 1 green-topped tube and all necessary shipping supplies.

**DO NOT REFRIGERATE; STORE AT ROOM TEMPERATURE.
DO NOT DRAW OR SHIP ON FRIDAY OR SATURDAY.
PLEASE SHIP SAME DAY AS BLOOD IS DRAWN.
IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS CALL 1-800-526-2839**

Instructions for drawing and shipping blood samples:

1. Fill **GREEN TUBE** completely, if possible.
2. Invert (do not shake) tube six to ten times after drawing blood to thoroughly mix additive with sample.
3. **Enclose this form in shipment with sample.**
4. Ship samples by **Federal Express** immediately after drawing. Use the enclosed, pre-paid Federal Express mailer. There will be no cost to you or the patient for the shipping. Consult the enclosed information sheet for packing instructions.

KIT NUMBER (RECORDED ON LABEL): _____

RAVE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (RECORDED ON LABEL): _____

STUDY SITE ID (RECORDED ON LABEL): _____

DATE BLOOD WAS DRAWN: _____

DONOR YEAR OF BIRTH: _____ **DONOR SEX:** _____