

BEST PRACTICE SUBMISSION GUIDELINES CONTAINERS



Serum

- Snap cap
- Serum separator tube (spun)
 - > bovine, swine, equine
- Red top tube
 - > all other species



Whole Blood

- EDTA
- Heparin
- Citrate



Blood Swabs

- Snap cap
- Microcentrifuge tube



Oral Fluids

- Snap cap
- Conical tube



Feces

- Swab
- Conical tube



Bovine Ear Notches

- Red top tube
- Snap cap tube



Poultry Environmentals

- Whirlpak bags



Avian Influenza

- BHI tube (glass)
- Snap cap tube