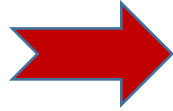
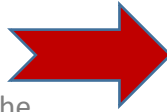


# 1 Prepare

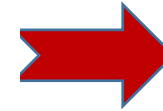
Check donor ID if necessary



Explain to donor the process of testing and the reason behind the test



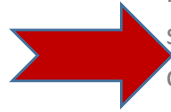
Complete COC Form according to instruction (MATLFOR39)



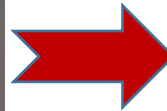
Record patient information and collection date on both A and B security seal and prepare to take sample

# 2 Collect

Ask donor to provide a **specimen** into the collection cup



Dispense 15-30ml into the two specimen containers supplied



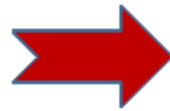
Close specimen bottles and apply the two barcoded seals signed and dated from the COC form



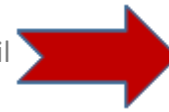
Place specimen bottles in the small pocket at the front of the specimen bag and place the top copy of the form into the large pocket at the back of the bag - SEAL

# 3 Seal & Send

Place specimen bag into the Freepost Mail Bag



Send for testing via Royal Mail



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