



Bernese Mountain Dog DNA and Tissue Repository
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KIT CONTENTS AND PRICING INFORMATION

Blood sample sent with ice packs to Repository:

Insulated kit (blood): SINGLE SUBMISSIONS \$10.00 (shipping not included)

- 1 outer box
- 1 styrofoam box including foam pad and ice pack
- 1 EDTA tube, ziplock, absorbancy
- 1 return address card addressed to the Repository
- 1 Exempt Animal Specimen label

Insulated kit (blood): MULTIPLE SUBMISSIONS \$15.00 (shipping not included)

- 1 outer box (7x10x10")
- 1 styrofoam box (7x10x10")
- EDTA tubes (# requested), ziplocks, absorbancies
- 1 return address card addressed to the Repository
- 1 Exempt Animal Specimen label
- 2-3 gel/ice packs

Tumor sample sent frozen with dry ice to Repository:

Insulated kit (fresh frozen): \$15.00 (shipping and dry ice not included)

- 1 outer box (7x10x10")
- 1 styrofoam box (7x10x10")
- 1 return address card addressed to the Repository
- 1 UN1845 label
- 1 Exempt Animal Specimen label

Tumor sample sent in formalin to DCPAH for diagnostics:

Kits from DCPAH: \$7.00 (USPS shipping included)

- 2 biopsy jars
- Submission form for the Diagnostic Center

Kits from DCPAH: \$8.00 (shipping not included)

- 4 biopsy jars
- Submission form for the Diagnostic Center

Check swab samples to Repository

Swab kits: \$7.50 (shipping not included)

- 3 cytology brushes
- 3 labels for cytology brushes
- 1 return address label to Repository
- 1 white envelope for storing cytology brushes
- 1 bubble envelope for mailing samples
- 1 pair of latex gloves for use while acquiring sample
- Instructions on how to obtain samples

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

You can make your payment in the form of a check made out to Michigan State University. This payment can be submitted with the samples that are being shipped to the Repository or you can send your payment separately to the following address:

Sharon Laird, LVT
(C/O Dr. Vilma Yuzbasiyan-Gurkan)
D208 Veterinary Medical Center
Small Animal Clinical Sciences
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East Lansing, MI 48824

Please notify us at Berners@cvm.msu.edu with your kit request and contact information.
Thank you!