To be completed at Charles River

LTM Order Number:

Date Received:

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Serology Submission Form

Customer Information * = required

LTM Customer ID#* _____

Institution* _____

Address 1* _____

Address 2 _____

City* _____

State* _____ Zip Code* _____

Contact* _____

Phone* _____

Email* _____

Bill To Information ☐ Same as Customer

Institution* _____

Address 1* _____

Address 2 _____

City* _____

State* _____ Zip Code* _____

Contact* _____

Phone* _____

Email* _____

Payment information required at the time of submission.

☐ Pay by PO

PO # _____

☐ Pay by Credit Card (CC)

Contact _____

Phone _____

To pay with a CC on file, indicate the last four (4) digits and expiration date. For CC security, do not write the full CC number.

CC Last 4 Digits _____

CC Exp Date _____

Sample Information

To the best of my knowledge these samples and/or specimens do not contain any infectious agent or material which might pose a threat to human health. If this is not the case, please call Charles River before sending samples.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Total Number of Samples: _____ Ship Date: _____ Species (please use one form per species): _____

Are these animals immunocompetent? _____ Strain: _____ Are these animals younger than six months in age? (See notes on page 2 for further details) _____

Vial #	Customer Sample ID	Sample Type	Requested Assay	Heat Inactivated? [Serum only]	Other Treatment
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					
9					
10					

PLEASE NOTE: If you generate summarized health reports from LTM, orders must be created directly in LTM for your samples to be associated with specific colonies. If you have questions or need help getting started, please contact LTM@crl.com.

Notes:

Institution:

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Vial #	Customer Sample ID	Sample Type	Requested Assay	Heat Inactivated? [Serum only]	Other Treatment
11					
12					
13					
14					
15					
16					
17					
18					
19					
20					
21					
22					
23					
24					
25					

Shipping Instructions

Print Form

Questions? LabServices@crl.com www.criver.com/info/dx

Sample Collection:

EZ-Spot: Collect whole blood from the mouse, rat or nonhuman primate using the method with which you are most comfortable. Spot blood onto the provided EZ-Spot card, filling the entire circle (approximately 25uL). Up to four (4) blood samples can be submitted per card, one sample per circle. For hamster, rabbit, guinea pig and gerbil, serum is the recommended sample type.

Serum: Submit at least 200uL of serum diluted 1 part serum into 4 parts phosphate buffered saline (PBS) with antimicrobial agent, or submit at least 40uL undiluted serum. Sample should not be heat inactivated; please indicate if heat inactivation or another treatment has occurred.

Notes: *The age-related increase in serum immunoglobulin levels may contribute to background in today's solid-phase immunoassays such as MFIA, ELISA and IFA. Thus, to reduce the percentage of nonspecific serologic results, we recommend that you submit serum samples from rodents 6 months of age or younger. Serology assays are only valid when performed on immunocompetent animals.*

Storage and Sample Submission:

Store at 4 degrees Celsius. Place a copy of pages 1 and 2 (if used) in the container with your samples. Ship overnight at ambient temperature following International Air Transport Association (IATA) guidelines. Charles River provides sample collection and IATA-compliant shipping materials free of charge; visit www.criver.com/shippingmaterials to request shipping materials online. Submit your samples to Charles River:

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Serology Laboratory
261 Ballardvale Street
Building 22 Loading Dock
Wilmington, MA 01887
USA

Charles River
RADS
West Coast Laboratory
10788 Roselle Street
San Diego, CA 92121
USA

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Domaine des Oncins
69210 SAINT GERMAIN NUELLES
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