







Lab	Container	Sample Requirements
<p>Surgical Pathology</p>	 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core Biopsy- delivered to Hematopathology in fixative • Touch prep slides made from core biopsy prior to fixation • Aspirate in EDTA tube for smear review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal volume: 2 mL (up to fill mark)
<p>Flow Cytometry</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal sample: Aspirate in EDTA tube • Optimal volume: 2 mL (up to fill mark) • Minimum required volume: 0.5 mL
<p>Cytogenetics</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal sample: Aspirate in a glass Sodium-Heparin tube • Acceptable substitute: Bone marrow aspirate in EDTA • Optimal volume: 2 mL • Minimum required volume: 0.5 mL <p>Note: Aspirates in EDTA yield poor growth, and aspirates in Lithium-Heparin will not yield any growth.</p>
<p>Center for Personalized Diagnostics</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal sample: Aspirate in EDTA tube • Optimal volume: 2 mL (up to fill mark) • Minimum required volume: 0.5 mL
<p>Molecular Pathology</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal sample: Aspirate in EDTA tube • Optimal volume: 2 mL (up to fill mark) • Minimum required volume: 0.5 mL