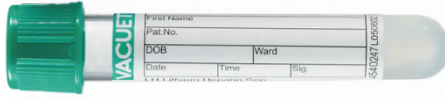




OSPHL QuantiFERON® Specimen Collection¹ Fact Sheet

	Four-Tube Collection	Single-Tube Collection
Test Menu Details	QuantiFERON®-TB Gold Plus (QFT) - Four Tube Collection²	QuantiFERON®-TB Gold Plus (QFT) - Single Tube Collection³
Collection Container	Four QFT collection tubes 	One lithium heparin tube 
Collection	0.8 to 1.2 mL blood in all four QFT tubes Gently invert all four tubes 10 times	5.0 mL blood into one lithium heparin tube Gently invert to dissolve heparin
Specimen Labeling	On each tube: at least two complete patient identifiers (first and last name; date of birth; medical record number) and date and time of collection.	
Storage before Transport	Room temperature (17-27°C) Do not centrifuge	Refrigerated temperatures (2-8°C) Do not centrifuge
Courier Pick Up* “Testing Requested”	QuantiFERON – Four Tube	QuantiFERON – Single Tube
Transport Temperature	Ambient temperatures	Refrigerated temperatures
Delivery Timeline	Arrive to OSPHL within 16 hours of specimen collection	Arrive to OSPHL within 44 hours of specimen collection

*Request courier pick-up using the online [OSPHL Courier Order Request Form](#), available from www.bitly.com/phl-courier.

¹ This page is a summary of specimen acceptance criteria for QuantiFERON® testing. For complete details, access the Test Menu Details linked on this page.

² <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/LABORATORYSERVICES/Pages/zQFTPlus.aspx>

³ <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/LABORATORYSERVICES/Pages/zQFTPlusSingle.aspx>