

**Mission:**

To protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county, and community efforts.



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**Vision:** To be the Healthiest State in the Nation

## FLDOH – BUREAU OF PUBLIC HEALTH LABS-JACKSONVILLE SEROLOGY DEPARTMENT

### QFT-TB TESTING SPECIMEN SUBMISSION FORM

Tuberculosis is a communicable disease caused by infection with *M. tuberculosis* complex organisms. QFT-TB Plus is an indirect test for *M. tuberculosis* infection. QFT-Plus measures the cell-mediated immune (CMI) responses to peptide antigens that simulate mycobacterial proteins.

***Specimen must be received at the lab within 16 hours of collection for QFT tubes and within 48 hours for LI-HEP tubes.***

Facility Name (CHD, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Collection: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/20\_\_\_\_ Time of Collection: \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM (Circle one)

Temperature of the Room During Collection: \_\_\_\_\_ °C Acceptable Range: 17–25°C (62.6–77°F)

Was the specimen stored prior to delivery to the lab? Yes No (Circle one)

If yes, what temperature was it stored? \_\_\_\_\_

(QFT tubes: 17–25°C max of 16 hours. LI-HEP: 17–25°C max of 12 hours or 2–8°C max of 48 hours)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**IMPORTANT: Submit this form with your shipment to comply with the company's package insert requirements and CMS compliance requirements.**

### Lab Use Only

Date Received: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/20\_\_\_\_ Time Received: \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM (Circle one)

Temperature Upon Arrival: \_\_\_\_\_ °C Collection Tube(s): QFT or LI-HEP (Circle one)

(QFT tubes: 17–25°C max of 16 hours. LI-HEP: 17–25°C max of 12 hours or 2–8°C max of 48 hours)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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