

## Blood sampling and shipping instructions

1. Ask your veterinarian to take a blood sample of your dog.
2. Collect 0.5 - 1 ml of blood to a purple-capped **EDTA-tube**. Invert the tube 8-10 times to prevent clotting.
3. Clearly label the tube with the dog's name. Make sure that the sample is packed properly, for example, you can place blood tube into small plastic pack to prevent damage or leakage.
4. Please, fill out the request order form and send it together with the labeled tube with blood to the laboratory by express post (if asked by courier, define the shipment as "canine samples for testing purposes").

