

Scope of Tests: NIOH Laboratories

Section	Test Name	Collection Requirements	Time of Collection	Turn-around-time (TAT)	Sample Stability	Contact
Analytical Services	2-Phenyl Phenol	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Acetone in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice		20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Aluminium in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Aluminium in serum	5.0 mls clotted blood plastic tube	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Aluminium in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine acid washed bottle	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Aluminium in water	Water sample in metal free container	Not critical	10 Working days	Indefinitely when stored in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Alumium in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Aniline in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Antimony in urine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Arsenic in blood	5.0mls EDTA or Li-Hep tubes	EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Arsenic in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Arsenic in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Arsenic in urine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Arsenic in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Barium in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Benzene (in blood)	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice		20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Benzene (t,t muconic acid)			20 Working days		011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Benzene (measured as total phenol in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Berylium in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Berylium in urine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Butoxyacetic Acid in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice		20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in blood	5.0 mls blood in EDTA tube	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in paint	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cadmium in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium hexavalent in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Chromium hexavalent in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	2 weeks at room temp.	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium hexavalent in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in bulk	Collect in clean container	Not critical	10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in erythrocytes	5.0 mls blood in EDTA tube	ES	10 Working days	Contact Laboratory for Instructions	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in paint	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in urine + creatinine (total chromium)	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Chromium in urine + creatinine (water soluble fume)	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	PPS	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in blood	5.0 mls blood in EDTA tube	ES EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in tissue	Liver or Lung tissue		10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Cobalt in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Copper in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Copper in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Copper in liver biopsy	Liver tissue	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Copper in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Copper in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Creatinine in urine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Dichloromethane in blood	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Dichloromethane in Urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Ethyl benzene (in blood)	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice		20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Ethyl benzene(measured as total mandelic acid in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Ethylene oxide in air	Specially treated charcoal tubes		20 Working days	17 days at room temp. in the dark and 3 months at -	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Formic Acid in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PLS EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Furoic Acid in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Hexane (measured as hexanedione in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Hydroxy pyrene for PAH exposure	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Iron in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Isocyanates in urine (Hexamethylene diisocyanate HDI)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Isocyanates in urine (Isophrone diisocyanate IPDII)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Isocyanates in urine (Methylene diphenyl isocyanate MDI)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Isocyanates in urine (Toluene diisocyanateTDI)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in blood	5.0mls EDTA or Li-Hep tubes	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in paint	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in teeth	Saline+ thymol preservative		10 Working days	1 month at 2-8 degrees and 1 year at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Not critical	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lead in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Lindane in plasma	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in blood	5.0mls EDTA or Li-Hep tubes	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Manganese in paint	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in soil and dust	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Manganese in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in blood	5.0mls EDTA or Li-Hep tubes	ES EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in filters	Specially treated charcoal tubes		10 Working days	3 weeks at room temp. and 3 months at -20	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in paint	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in soil and dust	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	Pre shift	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Mercury in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Methanol in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Methyl chloroform (measured asTCA in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Methyl Ethyl Ketone in urine (MEK)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Methyl Hippuric Acid	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Methyl Iso Butyl Ketone in urine (MIBK)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Molybdenum in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Molybdenum in urine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers		10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	N,N Dimethylformamide(measured N methylformamide)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Naphol	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nickel in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nickel in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nickel in soil	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nickel in tissue	Liver or Lung tissue		10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nickel in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES EW	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Nitrobenzene (measured as total p-nitrophenol in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Parathione (measured as p-nitrophenol in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Pentachlorophenol in plasma	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Pentachlorophenol in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PLS EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Perchloroethylene in blood	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	Pre shift EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Phenol in urine	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Styrene (measured as mandelic acid in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	PNS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Styrene in blood	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	PNS	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414

Analytical Services	Toluene in blood	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Toluene in urine (measured as o'cresol)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	ES	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Trichloroethylene (TCA+TCE in urine)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Trichloroethylene (TCA)	25 mls urine frozen transported on ice	EW	20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Vanadium in bulk	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Vanadium in filters	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Vanadium in urine + creatinine	25 mls urine in sterile urine containers	ES	10 Working days	14 days at 2-8 degrees and transport in Cooler Bag	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Xylene (in blood)	5.0 mls. EDTA tube transported on ice		20 Working days	Indefinitely when kept at -20 degrees	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Zinc in filter	Suitable filter		10 Working days	Indefinitely away from direct sunlight	011-712-6414
Analytical Services	Zinc in water	Collect in clean container		10 Working days	Indefinitely when store in fridge	011-712-6414

Pesticide Laboratory

Metabolites	3-(2,2-Dichlorovinyl)-2,2-dimethyl (1-cyclopropane)carboxylic acid (Cis-DCVA)	Urine				011-712-6414
Metabolites	3-(2,2-Dibromovinyl)-2,2-dimethyl (1-cyclopropane)carboxylic acid (Cis-DBVA)	Urine				011-712-6414
Metabolites	4-Fluoro – 3-3 –Phenoxybenzoic acid (4-FPBA)	Urine				011-712-6414
Metabolites	3 – Phenoxybenzoic acid (3-PBA)	Urine				011-712-6414
Metabolites	4 – Phenoxybenzoic acid (4-PBA)	Urine				011-712-6414

Organophosphate - Metabolites	Dimethyl phosphate (DMP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	Dimethyl thiophosphate (DMTP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	Dimethyldithio phosphate (DMDTP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	Diethyl phosphate (DEP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	Diethylthio phosphate(DETP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	Diethyldithio phosphate(DEDTP)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organophosphate - Metabolites	3,5,6 Trichloropyridinol (TCPY)	Urine				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	DDT (dichlorodiphenyl trichloroethane),	Plasma				011-712-6414
Metabolites	DDE	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	DDD	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	Chlordane	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	Endosulfan	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	Cis nonachlor	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	Trans nonachlor	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	α HCH β HCH γ HCH	Plasma				011-712-6414
Organochlorine Metabolites	Hexachlorobenzene (HCB)	Plasma				011-712-6414

Time of Collection

ES EW: End of Shift End of Work week

ES: End of Shift

IPE: immediately post shift

PLS EW: Prior to the Last Shift of Work week

PNS: Prior to next shift

PPS: Pre and Post Shift

PS: Post shift

Section	Test Name	Collection Requirements	Time of Colelction	TAT	Sample Stability	Contact
Immunology and Microbiology	Air monitoring using MAS-100 sampler	Air+ agar plates		As requested	1 day	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	Culture, enumeration and identification of Gram negative bacteria	Air and agar plate		As requested	5 days	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	LAL Chromogenic assay (QCL-1000)	Air and Water		As requested	3 days	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	Legionella Identification and Enumeration	500-1000 ml water	Phone laboratory to book sample and obtain Sampling Protocol	As requested	21 days	011-712-6404
Immunology and Microbiology	Patch test	Patient		Make appointment 011 712 6424	7 days	011 712 6424
Immunology and Microbiology	Procedure for extraction of latex proteins	Air filter; rubber devices		Research	1 day	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	Protein estimation	Workplace samples		As requested	N/A	011-712-6475
Immunology and Microbiology	Quantitative determination of latex allergens	Air (filters)	ELISA (FitKit)	Research	2-4 days	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	Air Monitoring Using Settle plates	Air (agar plates)		As requested	1-7 days	011-712-6475/6487
Immunology and Microbiology	Skin prick test	Patient	Patient to not take antihistamine for 48 hrs prior to testing	Make appointment 011 712 6538	2 days	011 712 6538
Immunology and Microbiology	Specific IgE test	10ml clotted blood	Transport to the lab at temperatures between 2 and 8C	As requested	2 days	011-712-6475/6448
Immunology and Microbiology	Yeast and moulds culture, enumeration and ID	Air (agar plates) Microscopy and LPB stain		As requested	7-21 days	011-712-6475/6487

Section	Test Name	Collection Requirements	Time of Colelction	TAT	Sample Stability	Contact
Toxicology	Mycoplasma Detection test	Cultured Cells	Anytime	1 hour	5 days at 4°C	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	ATP Viability tests	Cells or blood and test chemical		5 working days	2 hours	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	XTT Viability tests	Cells or blood and test chemical		5 working days	2 hours	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	LDH Cytotoxicity tests	Cells or blood and test chemical		5 working days	2 hours	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Comet assay (DNA damage)	Cells or blood and test chemical		10 working days	2 hours	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	CytoViva (Cellular uptake and localization)	Adherent cells in appropriate media	Dependent on cell type	10 working days	Should be immediately used for test	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	xCelligence Real Time Monitoring of cell viability	Adherent cells in appropriate media	Dependent on cell type	10 working days	Should be immediately used for test	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology						011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Global methylation analysis	DNA	Anytime	5 working days	6 months at -20°C	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Methyl qPCR Assay	DNA	Anytime	5 working days	6 months at -20°C	011-712-6455/6438
Toxicology						011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Determination of intracellular GSH	cell culture supernatant	Anytime	5 working days	Sample Stored at 4-8°C	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Apoptosis detection-flow cytometer	cell culture supernatant	Anytime	5 working days	samples stored at 4-8°C	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology						011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Particle Size Distribution	Dry dust samples	Not critical	5 working days	Indefinite	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Particle Size Distribution	Particles suspended in non-volatile	Not critical	5 working days	Substance specific	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Particle Aerodynamic Diameter	Dry dust samples	Not critical	5 working days	Indefinite	011-712-6455/6428
Toxicology	Particle Aerodynamic Diameter	Particles suspended in non-volatile	Not critical	5 working days	Substance specific	011-712-6455/6428

Section	Test Name	Collection Requirements	Time of Colelction	TAT	Sample Stability	Contact
Pathology	Surgical Anatomical Pathology	In formalin fixative	as soon as possible	2 working days	Indefinitely when fixed in formalin	011-712-6425/6473
Pathology	Autopsies Anatomical Pathology	In formalin fixative	not crytical	3 months	Indefinitely when fixed in formalin	011-712-6595
Pathology	Asbestos in bulk samples	In double plastic bag	as soon as possible	5 working days	Stable when container is sealed	011-712-6425/6473
Pathology	Asbestos in air samples	In air sample cassett	as soon as possible	5 working days	Stable when container is sealed	011-712-6425/6473

Pathology	Cytology smears	In slide carrier	as soon as possible	2 working days	Degenerates quickly	011-712-6595
Pathology	Cytology bronchial washings	In bronchial washing tube	as soon as possible	2 working days	Degenerates quickly	011-712-6595
Pathology	Cytology pleural effusions	Green top bottle	as soon as possible	2 working days	Degenerates quickly	011-712-6595
Pathology	Cytology sputum	Green top specimen bottle	as soon as possible	2 working days	Degenerates quickly	011-712-6595
Pathology	Asbestos fibres autopsy lungs	In formalin from 2	not crytical	10 working days	Indefinitely when fixed in formalin	011-712-6425/6473