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## **Laboratory Technical Bulletin**

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Title:

Transport of Light Sensitive Specimens

Tests:

The tests in the following grid must be transported in amber light shielding specimen

transport bags.

Place a patient label with the patient's name and date of birth, or an aliquot label on the

exterior of the bag for tracking and accessioning.

Test Name	Test Code
Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin C), Plasma	VITC
Beta-Carotene, Serum	BCARO
Bilirubin, Body Fluid	BFBL
Chlordiazepoxide, Serum	CDP
Methotrexate, Serum	MTHX
Niacin (Vitamin B3)	FNIAC
Riboflavin (Vitamin B2), Plasma	VITB2
Porphyrins, Total, Plasma	PTP
Thiamin (Vitamin B1), Whole Blood	TDP
Vitamin B6 profile (PLP and PA), Plasma	B6PRO

Amber light shielding specimen transport bag. Dr. Daniel Sudilovsky, Laboratory Medical Director trin Buran 7-10-15 Toni Burger, Laboratory Administrative Director