



REQUIREMENTS OF SAMPLES SENT TO REFERENCE LABORATORY FOR NON INVASIVE SCREENING STUDIES (Test code: 16200 - 16203).

USAGE INSTRUCTIONS FOR STRECK CELL-FREE DNA TUBES (1 TUBE OF 10 mL FOR EACH PATIENT)

EXTRACTION OF THE SAMPLE:

- **1**. Extraction of the sample using venepuncture, following standard procedures.
- 2. Completely fill the tube.
- 3. Gently turn the tube upside down straight away 8 to 10 times to mix the liquid. Delayed or inadequate mixing could result in unreliable test results.



4. After extraction the sample must be refrigirated or kept at room temperature. Do not freeze.

REMEMBER THAT...

- It is vital to label the tubes correctly with the date of birth and the name or code of the patient and record the date and time of the extraction of the blood sample. Sample must be sent refrigerated or at room temperature.
- The sample must be sent to Reference without delay. Don't forget to attach the analysis request document and informed consent correctly filled in and signed.

BEFORE EXTRACTING THE SAMPLE IT'S BEST TO INFORM THE LABORATORY

PLEASE KINDLY VERIFY THE VERIREF DETERMINATION CODE WHEN REQUESTING IT (16200 VERIREF /16203 VERIREF GOLD).

ONLY SEND THE CONSENT CORRESPONDING TO EACH DETERMINATION.