



Division of Laboratory Services
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<https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/lab.html>

Disease/Agent Suspected or Test Requested:

Respiratory Pathogen Panel [Adenovirus, Parainfluenza virus, Influenza, RSV, Coronavirus (229e, NL63, HKU1, OC43), Rhinovirus, Bocavirus]

Provider Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requested through consultation with epidemiology only. Contact CEDEP prior to submission.
Acceptable Specimen Sources/Type(s) for Submission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nasopharyngeal swab Nasal Swab
TDH Requisition Form Number	PH - 4149 – Contact CEDEP
Media Requirements	Polyester swab in Viral Transport Media. Refrigerate after collection.
Special Instructions	PTBMIS Order Code: RESPV (Influenza PC) StarLIMS Order Code: 5011 (Respiratory Virus Panel)
Shipping Instructions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ship COLD on cold packs Ship on dry ice <i>if already frozen</i>
Laboratory Section Performing Testing	Virology
Lab Location(s) Performing Test	Nashville

All infectious substance shipments must conform to U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR 49 C.F.R Parts 171-180).