Specimen Required: Collect: Lavender (EDTA) OR Bone Marrow (EDTA).
Specimen Preparation: Do not freeze. Transport 5 mL whole blood. (Min: 1 mL) OR Transport 3 mL bone marrow. (Min: 1 mL).
Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.
Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.
Unacceptable Conditions: Serum, plasma or tissue. Specimens collected in anticoagulants other than EDTA. Clotted or grossly hemolyzed specimens.
Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 24 hours; Refrigerated: 5 days; Frozen: Unacceptable