

HOTLINE: Effective May 17, 2021

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<b>2013664</b>	<b>Cystic Fibrosis (<i>CFTR</i>) 165 Pathogenic Variants with Reflex to Sequencing and Reflex to Deletion/Duplication</b>	<b>CFVAR COMP</b>
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**Specimen Required:** Collect: Lavender (K<sub>2</sub>EDTA), pink (K<sub>2</sub>EDTA), or yellow (ACD Solution A or B).

Specimen Preparation: Transport 5 mL whole blood. (Min: 3 mL)

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions: Plasma or serum. Specimens collected in sodium heparin or lithium heparin tubes. **Frozen specimens in glass collection tubes.**

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 72 hours; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: 1 month