



June 2026

**Re: July 4 holiday schedule changes**

Dear Valued Client,

In observance of Independence Day, please note the following scheduling changes regarding testing at ViroMed:

- FedEx courier service will **not** be available Saturday, July 4, 2026
- FedEx will **not** pick up or deliver packages on Saturday, July 4, 2026

In addition, FedEx will have a modified pick up schedule on Friday, July 3, 2026. Please check with your local FedEx location for pick-up schedule on this day as some will have earlier cut-offs.

If you have any donor collections scheduled for Friday, July 3, 2026, please prepare your samples as noted below to retain sample viability and schedule pick up for Monday, July 6, 2026.

- Separate plasma and serum by centrifuging the lavender top EDTA tube and red-top tubes, pour off plasma or serum (depending on tube type) into separate tubes labeled appropriately (plasma or serum) and refrigerate. Send all tubes to ViroMed (original EDTA and red-top tubes **and** poured off serum and plasma)
- The process above will retain sample viability for five days; poured off plasma and serum should be frozen if it will be more than five days before sample will be received at ViroMed (do **not** freeze the original EDTA and red-top tubes)
- Document the centrifuge/pour-off date and time and the stored refrigerated/frozen date and time on the test request form

If you have questions, please contact ViroMed Account Management at [ViroMed\\_acctmgmt@labcorp.com](mailto:ViroMed_acctmgmt@labcorp.com) or 1-800-582-0077.