



For Labeling

Thoracentesis/Pleural Fluid
Paracentesis/Ascitic Fluid
Joint Aspiration/synovial fluid

1: Place an order for the test you want done (Eg. Pleural fluid) in Soarian

Soarian[®]
Clinicals

2: Base on the order entered in Soarian, a number of labels will print off (Use guide below to help with approved labeling and sample delivery).

Hematology

Cell count,



Chemistry

LDH, Total Protein, Glucose,



Microbiology

Culture



3: All labels with the barcodes must be placed on the samples as indicated above. To avoid test delay and ensure the barcode is readable, place labels on container vertically as demonstrated below.



4: A manual requisition is required for Cytology specimens and all other tests where the order is not found in Soarian. The requisition must contain the patient's demographics (MRN, D.O.B, Date & Time of Collection, fluid source and type)

5: Ensure sample is tightly capped

- Place Specimen inside bag.
- Place requisition inside pocket



6: Hand-deliver all fluid samples to the appropriate labs listed below

i.e cell count, biochemistry

i.e Cytology

i.e Cultures, Viral PCR

Core Lab

2ndFL RM 2005 CC-N
Wing. Ext 5082

Cytology Lab

2ndFL RM 2050 CC-N
Wing. Ext 5850

Microbiology Lab

2ndFL RM 2044 CC-N
Wing. Ext 5381