



Sample Packing Instructions

In addition to a shipping container, you will receive bubble wrap, ice bags, secondary containment bags, plastic ties, absorbent pads, custody seals, cardboard dividers and a temp bottle for use in packing your samples.

- Chill samples and temp bottle prior to sending them to the Lab.
- Place secondary containment bag in shipping container.
- Place absorbent pad in bottom (inside bag).
- Place one bag of ice on bottom, above absorbent pad.
- Place cardboard insert on top of bag of ice.
- Place samples into the cardboard dividers.

- Make sure there is no glass on glass contact inside sample container.
- Place temp bottle on top of samples (make sure it is in contact with the bag of ice that will be placed on top)
- Place one bag of ice on top of samples.
- Place bubble wrap on top of ice.
- Secure and tie secondary containment bag.
- Tape and seal outside of shipping container with custody seal.

The below diagram shows how the containers should be packed. Secondary containment bags and absorbent pads are only provided for containers being shipped back by commercial couriers.

