

ZYGOSITY (FOR  
MEDICAL  
INDICATIONS  
ONLY)

## Orderable – E-order/Requisition

Turnaround Time: 6 months

### Specimen:

Whole blood-1 x 4 mL Lavender EDTA top Vacutainer tube

### Collection Information:

**ONLY** for medical indications.

Approval by Laboratory Director is required.

Blood samples must be maintained at room temperature.

**or**

If prior arrangements have been made with the lab, other tissue samples may be accepted for DNA extraction (i.e. CVS, amniotic fluid, skin etc.).

### Reference Ranges:

See report

### Interpretive Comments:

A series of polymorphic VNTR's are analyzed on two twins and assessed to determine if they are identical.

### Comments:

This test will be available for medical indications only usually to aid in linkage analysis or to clarify prenatal diagnosis and must be referred from the Genetics Clinic.

### Storage and Shipment:



**Laboratory:**  
Molecular Diagnostics Lab



**Requisition:**  
[MOLECULAR  
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**Method of Analysis:**  
PCR



**Test Schedule:**  
As required,  
Monday to Friday 0800-  
1600 hours

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Must be received in testing laboratory within 5 days of collection, shipped at room temperature by courier/overnight delivery.