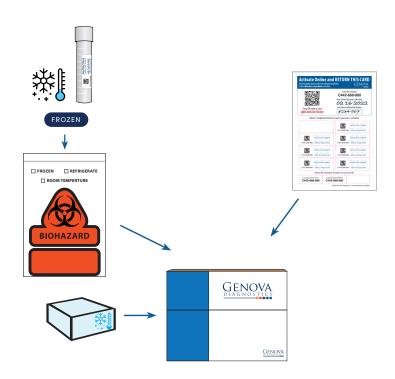
#### STEP 3

### **Return Collection Pack**

- 1. Confirm that the tube has a **completed label attached** with patient's date of birth and the date of collection. Place the freezer brick and biohazard bag with **frozen tube** inside the cardboard box.
- 2. Visit **gdx.net/activate** to enter the date of your final collection and receive your **confirmation code**. Write the date of collection and your confirmation code on the activation label card.
- 3. Retain a copy of the activation number for future reference using one of the three labels provided on the bottom of the activation label card. Place the activation card inside the box.
- 4. Close the cardboard box and place inside the FedEx shipping bag. Follow the shipping instructions provided.





Additional resources are available online. Visit gdx.net/activate and enter your requisition number.

# Provider Guide



Comprehensive Thyroid Assessment #4400

#### **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

# **Ordering Physicians**

Visit gdx.net/mygdx to order and activate this test using the activation number on the included label card.

#### STEP 1

## **Help Patients** Plan for Collection

Ship Monday thru Friday and avoid US holidays which may cause delays. Review full clinical guidelines at gdx.net/tests/prep.

#### 2 Days Before Collection

It is recommended that high dose biotin is discontinued as it is a direct interferent and may result in false high or low findings.

#### **Night Before Collection**

Patients must fast overnight prior to the blood draw.

Freeze freezer brick at least 8 hours.



Discuss any medications with your physician as they may impact results.

#### STEP 2

# **Specimen Collection**

 Write patient's date of birth (DOB) and the date of collection on a label provided. Attach the completed label to the tube being returned to the lab.



## **Blood Draw and Processing**

- 2. **Clean the skin** thoroughly with isopropyl alcohol before venipuncture.
- 3. Draw blood.
- 4. **Prepare blood** using benchchart.

### **Bench Chart**

TUBES	PROCESS	LABEL AND RETURN
<u> </u>		
Red SST Tiger-top Tube	Clot for 15 min. while standing in a rack	<b>1</b>
	Centrifuge 15 min. at 3000 RPM	04/07/34-0- 24 C44-06-80 3217-97(31):C10
	<b>Transfer</b> at least 3ml of serum to clear transfer tube	***
Clear Transfer Tube	Freeze at least 2 hours prior to shipping and keep frozen until ready to ship	*A: 8
	DISCARD USED TUBE	FREEZE

# **Activate Online and RETURN THIS CARD**

Genova cannot process this test without completed online clinician and patient activation.



Scan OR code or visit gdx.net/activate

**Activation Number:** C312-374-507

Date of Final Specimen Collection: MM/DD/YYYY

**Activation Confirmation Number** 

Attach completed labels to each specimen container.



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Retain this Activation Number for your records.

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