





SAMPLE TUBE AND CONTAINER

Tube	Purpose(s)	Sample Type
EDTA (Purple cap) or ACD (Yellow cap) 	Pathogen Identification, Species Identification, Bird Sexing, DNA Typing, Parentage Test	Blood
Heparin (Green Cap) or ACD (Yellow cap) 	Lymphocytes Culture, Chromosome Analysis	Blood
Sterile Specimen Containers 	Pathogen Identification, RNA virus (add RNA Later)	Body Fluids Culture Faeces Organ/Tissue Milk Semen Urine Water
Swab Container 	Pathogen Identification	Fecal Swab Cloacal Swab
Plastic Bag 	Bird Sexing, DNA Typing, Parentage Test (only Hair, Feather, and Egg shell)	Hair Feather Egg shell