

LOCATING A LAB to collect a specimen for the Autoimmune Brain Panel™

(formerly known as the Cunningham Panel™)

Suggestions/resources to help you locate a laboratory for the blood collection.

Please read the information below before attempting to obtain a specimen for the Autoimmune Brain Panel (formerly known as the Cunningham Panel™).

Some labs require an appointment and/or may be unable to do the blood draw for this panel.

To avoid disappointment and frustration, the most important point is to CALL THE LAB FIRST!

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- 1. Does the patient have other blood tests to be drawn in addition to the Autoimmune Brain Panel™?
 If yes, please call your 'usual' laboratory. If there are other tests that will be performed by that lab, they may be able to draw the Autoimmune Brain Panel™ for you at the same time.
- 2. If your usual lab is unable to perform the specimen collection, we suggest that you contact:
 - Your family doctor's office or clinic
 - Your local hospital outpatient laboratory
 - o An urgent care clinic
 - A small local clinical laboratory (Perform an internet search for "clinical laboratories" in your city or county)
- A company that specializes in providing blood draw services, such as Any Lab Test Now® (<u>www.anylabtestnow.com</u>) or ARCPoint Labs (<u>www.arcpointlabs.com</u>)
- A mobile phlebotomy service in your area
- A home healthcare company in your area
- 3. When you call, use the following wording to ask your question:

"Will you perform a <u>kit draw for a specialty test?"</u> Many labs will not be familiar with the Autoimmune Brain $Panel^{\mathbb{M}}$ (formerly known as the Cunningham $Panel^{\mathbb{M}}$).

4. If you are <u>unable to locate a laboratory</u> to provide specimen collection for you, please call Moleculera Customer Service at 405-239-5250.

We can arrange a blood draw at Quest Diagnostics for you. We have negotiated a special rate of \$65 that must be paid to Moleculera in advance. (This is a separate charge and is not included in the cost of the Autoimmune Brain Panel™). Appointments are required and we must provide special paperwork to you that authorizes the blood draw.

Helpful information regarding the blood draw:

- It is a standard blood draw.
- No fasting required!
- The specimen collection supplies contain all the necessary materials, including a pre-paid overnight return label.
- VERY IMPORTANT: It is critical that your specimen arrives at Moleculera on a <u>US Business Day</u> or your specimen could be rejected. Draw and ship specimens Monday Thursday for <u>weekday delivery only</u> as transport kit will ship via FedEx Priority Overnight to arrive in our laboratory on the next <u>business day</u>.
 DO NOT DRAW OR SHIP ON FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY, OR THE DAY BEFORE A HOLIDAY.