



Sender's address:	Patients name and social security number:
Invoice address:	Vat. number:

Physician: _____

Date of sampling: ___/___/20___ (DD/MM/YY)

At time of sampling:

- Diagnosis (e.g. RRMS, progressive MS, NMO, RA, MG): _____
- Total number of previous Mabthera infusions: _____
- Date of first Mabthera infusion: ___/___/20___ (DD/MM/YY)
- Date of most recent Mabthera infusion: ___/___/20___ (DD/MM/YY)

Mabthera dose regime:

- 1000 mg IV
- 500 mg IV
- 375 mg/m² IV
- Other _____
- IgG levels prior to this infusion: _____ g/L
- CD19+ count prior to this infusion: _____ x10⁹/L

Adverse effects

- Perceived adverse effects during this infusion: YES/ NO _____
- Adverse effects after the previous infusion YES/ NO. What type? _____
- Increased susceptibility to infections after the previous infusion? YES/ NO.
Which infections? _____

The serum sample will be stored in a biobank and might be used for future research, validation and education. If the patient **does not** want their sample to be stored in the biobank, then tick here

For instructions on how to take the serum samples, see the back page!

Serum samples for analysis of antibodies against Mabthera (rituximab)

Serum

- Take sample directly **before** next Mabthera infusion.
- Take 10 ml of blood is taken as vein puncture in serum tubes. The tube should be inverted 5-10 times and remain upright for 30 minutes at room temperature.
- Centrifuge the sample at 2000xg for 10 min (within 3 hours of sampling).
- After centrifuging, transfer 1-2 mL of serum to **sterile** polypropylene tubes and store in the refrigerator while waiting for transport. If the shipment is delayed more than a week, the sample needs to be stored at -20°C.

Transport

- The samples must be sent frozen if they have been frozen (to avoid freeze-thawing). When stored in a refrigerator send the sample in room temperature.
- The laboratory can only receive samples from Monday to Friday and not on weekends, so please make sure that the samples arrive within office hours
- Send to: Provinlämningen L7:00
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