STANDARD USE OF THE FROZEN SPECIMEN KEEPER

Preparation in advance
- Freeze silver gel packs at least 8 hours prior to use.
- Freeze specimens in bags with request documents.

Assembly of container
1. Place one frozen silver gel pack in bottom of container.
2. Fold each specimen bag with paperwork as shown and place specimen bag(s) in the container, stacking in as space allows.
3. Place the second frozen silver gel pack on top of specimens.
4. Close the lid, engaging the Velcro latch.
   Ensure that the lid closes completely.

Submission
5. Place the container in your lockbox.
   • Courier will transfer the frozen specimens to dry ice and leave the Frozen Keeper for re-use.
   • Place reusable silver gel packs in freezer for next use.

Ensure that in addition to writing the Patient Name on the frozen tube, it is also labeled with the label from the requisition.

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For questions, or to obtain a replacement keeper, contact your LabCorp representative.
Use of the Frozen Specimen Keeper for Larger Numbers of Specimens

Preparation in advance
- Freeze silver gel packs at least 8 hours prior to use.
- Place specimens, clearly labeled with the requisition form number and patient name, together in a single specimen bag and freeze.
- Assemble the requisition forms for these specimens in a stack and clip or band together.

Assembly of container

1. Place one frozen silver gel pack in bottom of container.
2. Place the bag of frozen specimens flat as shown.
3. Place the second frozen silver gel pack on top of the specimens.
4. Close the lid, engaging the Velcro latch. Ensure that the lid closes completely.

Submission

5. Place the container in your lockbox.
- Courier will transfer the frozen specimens to dry ice and leave the Frozen Keeper for re-use.
- Place reusable silver gel packs in freezer for next use.

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