STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE							
A Ragon Institute of MGH, MIT and Harvard	Ragon Institute SOP for HLA shipments		SOP #	PL-SOP-009			
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I. PURPOSE:

The purpose of this procedure is to outline the procedure for shipment of HLA samples.

II. PROCEDURE:

- 1) Processing lab Email send to RAGON on 1st business day each month
- 2) Processing Lab- on 5th day after collecting FULL REPORT (HLA SHIPPING MANIFEST_FEB 2015) will send that draft to CIDB (ragoncidb@partners.org)
- 3) IF any of the FULL REPORT columns (HLA SHIPPING MANIFEST) cannot be filled due to lack of information (protocol/grant/origins) the samples will not be send for HLA typing. That issue must be resolved. Only FULL REPORT will be processed by Processing LAB.
- 4) CIDB Team review, assign new RAGON ID if needed (only possible with the FULL REPORT filled completely), and send draft to HLA typing lab Yuko Yuki yukiy@mail.nih.gov and cc: Arman Bashirova
- 5) HLA Typing lab –review information and assign CARRINGTON ID when needed. Once approved HLA Lab will send LABLES to PL for sample preparation.

 arman.bashirova@nih.gov
- 6) HLA Typing lab will send final draft to CIDB Team(Raja Nakka:), Billing Manger (Alex Cusson) and Processing Lab(Ildiko Toth). RNAKKA@mgh.harvard.edu; acusson@mgh.harvard.edu; ITOTH@mgh.harvard.edu
- 7) Processing Lab after receiving labels from HLA Lab will proceed with labeling the special tubes and distribution them to the researchers who order HLA typing.
- 8) Researchers will transfer DNA to specific tubes and bring them to PL for shipment.
- 9) Billing Manager will contact Leidos to obtain Invoice & process payment through AP. Billing manager will provide Processing lab with confirmation of Fedex tracking number for payment, authorizing shipment of samples.
- 10) PL will do final check /match with the manifest and send package to HLA Lab –sending them FedEx tracking number (Yuko Yuki : yukiy@mail.nih.gov)
- 11) HLA Lab will confirm the shipment and accuracy within 7 days
- 12) HLA results will be send to CIDB team who will inform PL that those were received and upload
 - a. will be done in 7 days

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III. REFERENCES/ ADDITIONS/ NOTES:

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