

Pack your box: PACKING CATEGORY A SPECIMENS

UN2814 CATEGORY A INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE, AFFECTING HUMANS



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The following information describes Mayo Clinic Laboratories' methods of packaging and shipping [Category A Infectious Substances](#).

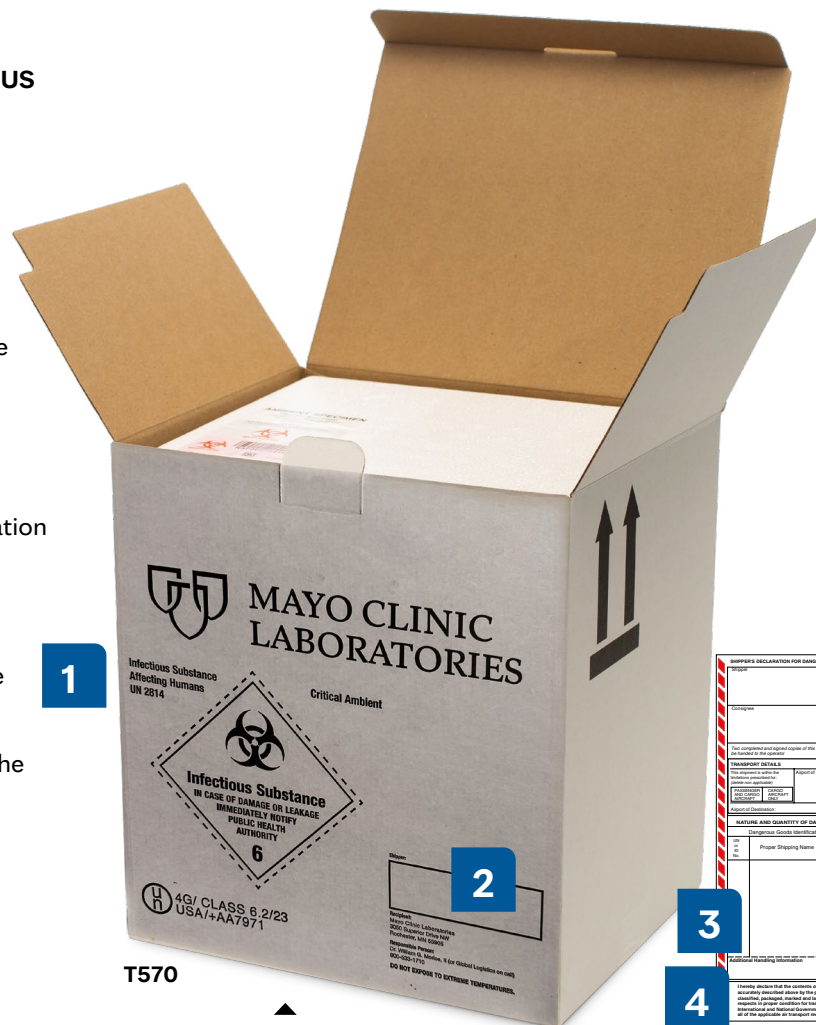
The packaging certified to transport infectious specimens legally and safely is a combination package consisting of inner and outer containers that have passed all tests required by IATA and Department of Transportation (DOT). Mayo Clinic Laboratories provides a certified shipping container, which includes the infectious container kit.

This combination package is certified to transport Category A Infectious Substances only if it is used properly. The box and the inner container by themselves are not considered certified.

LABELING CATEGORY A INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE SHIPMENTS

Before shipping a Category A Infectious Substance package, be sure to remember the following:

- 1 The UN2814 marking must be on all boxes shipped by air and containing Infectious Substance Affecting Humans, Category A.
- 2 Write or attach sticker with complete shipper information.
- 3 Complete the Shipper's Declaration document as shown on the following page.
- 4 Complete four copies of the Shipper's Declaration. Keep one on file for two years and place the other three inside a plastic pouch attached to the box, so the paperwork will arrive safely to the destination.



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Properly labeled, certified Category A Infectious Substance package

SHIPPER'S DECLARATION FOR DANGEROUS GOODS		(Provide at least three copies to the airline.)	
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SHIPPER'S INFORMATION		SHIPPER'S INFORMATION	
This shipper's declaration was prepared using a FedEx Express template. It must be used for all shipments.		This shipper's declaration was prepared using a FedEx Express template. It must be used for all shipments.	
I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the contents of this declaration are true and correct.		I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the contents of this declaration are true and correct.	
Signature of Shipper		Signature of Shipper	
Date		Date	
Address of Shipper		Address of Shipper	
Telephone		Telephone	
Fax		Fax	
E-mail		E-mail	
Nature and Quantity of Dangerous Goods		Nature and Quantity of Dangerous Goods	
UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name
Class	Type of Packaging	Class	Type of Packaging
Quantity	and Type of Packaging	Quantity	and Type of Packaging
Packing	Instructions	Packing	Instructions
Authorization		Authorization	
I hereby declare that the contents of this declaration are true and correct.		I hereby declare that the contents of this declaration are true and correct.	
Signature of Shipper		Signature of Shipper	
Date		Date	
Address of Shipper		Address of Shipper	
Telephone		Telephone	
Fax		Fax	
E-mail		E-mail	

Shipper's declaration

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