

Cortisol Stimulation Drawing Instructions

Have Cosyntropin ready for administration

Draw Baseline sample

- Label with **CORTBASE** label, sign order and send to lab

Administer Cosyntropin **IMMEDIATELY** after drawing the Baseline sample

Draw second specimen at 30 minutes after dose of Cosyntropin

- Label with **CORT30** label, sign order and send to lab

Draw third sample at 60 minutes after dose of Cosyntropin

- Label with **CORT60** label, sign order and send to lab

If requested, draw fourth specimen at 90 minutes after dose of Cosyntropin

- Label with **CORT90** label, sign order and send to lab

NOTE: If PPID is **NOT** used, the date, time and Collector ID **MUST** be handwritten on each tube.

If you have **ANY** question regarding this protocol, please call the lab/chemistry