

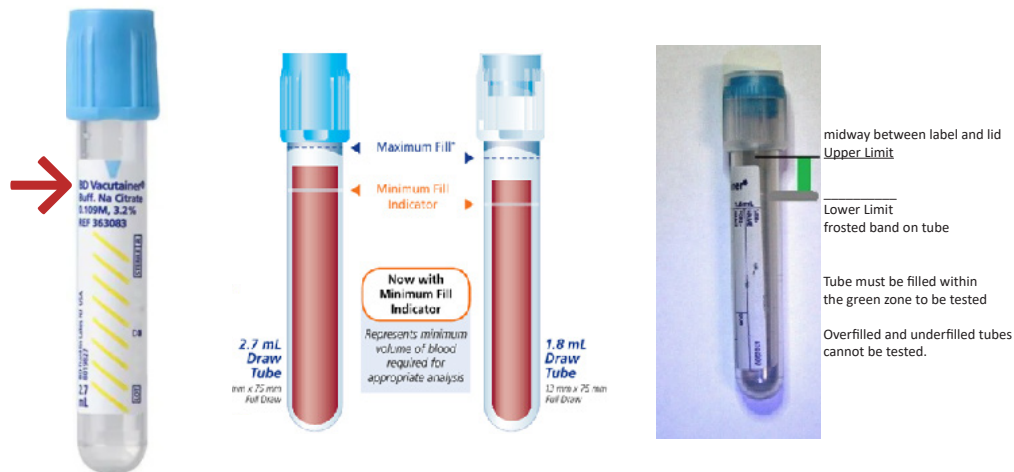
UPDATE

The shortage of sodium citrate (blue top) evacuated blood tubes required for ALL coagulation testing continues and supplies from both major vendors, BD and Greiner, will be limited for the foreseeable future. Please maintain your conservation measures. Contact TriCore Client Engagement (505.938.8922 | 800.245.3296) to make accommodations for very urgent clinical needs.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING GUIDANCE

- TriCore accepts BD and Greiner sodium citrate tubes.
- Do not use off-brands as these tubes are not FDA-approved and may cause incorrect results that may adversely affect patient care.

BD citrate tubes are labeled Vacutainer®. These tubes flag minimum volume fill via a frosted band on the tube.



Greiner citrate tubes are labeled VACUETTE®. These tubes flag minimum and maximum fill levels for the various citrate tubes via the black triangle fill indicator at the edge of the tube label.

