What happens to the blood samples you give?

Give blood at a partner pathology centre or at an OurDNA event

OR

After you sign up and give your consent on the OurDNA app, you can give blood by:



Attending an OurDNA event



Going to your local partner pathology centre

Transport to a partner laboratory

Your blood sample will be sent by overnight shipment to a laboratory in your state.



We process samples quickly to make sure that every sample given stays at high quality and can help in research.



Processing and storing your blood sample



Your blood sample is stored as:

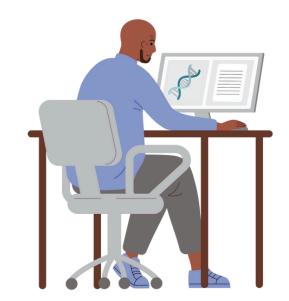
- Blood
- Blood cells
- Plasma
- DNA



If you choose, your blood cells can be saved for future research. They are carefully stored to grow more cells, study single cells, or explore new treatments.



Use of your samples in further research



Information from all of the stored samples can be studied by researchers who have been approved by OurDNA to understand more about health and different health conditions.

Your samples will be kept securely in controlled storage.

Your samples are labelled with unique codes and your date of birth.

Researchers studying your samples will only see the codes, not your personal details.

