Blood Collection Protocol

Please try to collect blood from your moose. This is optional but the blood sample will help us monitor for brainworm and other diseases. Thank you!

Blood collection instructions:

- While field dressing your moose, collect two tubes of <u>pure blood</u>. Avoid blood mixed with body cavity fluid.
- Best places to collect blood: vessels at base of neck or around the heart.
- Keep the blood cool, avoid shaking it, and bring it to the registration station.

Supplies:

- -10 mL red top test tubes
- -plastic bag for storing the sample
- -disposable gloves
- -paper towel

Example blood collection video.

Datasheet and mailing info do not apply. https://wgfd.wyo.gov/Wildlife-in-Wyoming/More-Wildlife/Wildlife-Disease/Brucellosis/Brucellosis-Blood-Collection

