



## Buffy Coat

<b>Alternate Name:</b>	Wright Stain
<b>Performing Lab:</b>	New Hanover
<b>Specimen Container:</b>	2.5 mL lavender tube with EDTA
<b>Minimum Volume Required:</b>	1.0 mL
<b>Testing Availability</b>	<b>Routine:</b> 24 hours/day <b>Stat:</b> No
<b>Turnaround Time:</b>	4 hours
<b>Special Handling:</b>	None
<b>Patient Preparation:</b>	None
<b>Specimen Stability:</b>	
<b>Reference Range:</b>	See CBC with Differential
<b>Critical Value:</b>	None
<b>CPT Code:</b>	85009
<b>Testing Methodology:</b>	Microscopic
<b>Causes for Specimen Rejection:</b>	Improper labeling
<b>Other Comments:</b>	
<b>Clinical Significance:</b>	N/A