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The Prostate Cancer Biorepository Network (PCBN) is a Department of Defense (DOD)/Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program (CDMRP) bioresource that provides high quality, well-annotated tissue and other biospecimens to all prostate cancer investigators. Specimens are linked to clinical follow-up and other metadata. This biorepository is a collaboration of network sites at five academic institutions.

**Available Specimens**

To find a full listing of specimens available through the PCBN please visit: prostatebiorepository.org/specimens

- Tissue Microarrays (TMAs)
- Prostatectomy Tissues
- Body Fluids
- Derived Specimens (DNA, RNA and protein)

**Other Specimen Types**

- Derivatives
  - DNA
  - RNA
  - Protein

- Body Fluids
  - Serum
  - Plasma
  - Buffy Coat
  - Prostatic Fluid
  - Seminal Vesicle (SV) Fluid

**Currently Accruing Important Research Specimens Including:**

- Metastatic tissue from rapid autopsy
- Serum or plasma (pre- and/or post-treatment) from CRPC patients
- Post-neoadjuvant therapy prostatectomy frozen and FFPE tissue
- Longitudinal samples from men on active surveillance

**PCBN also Performs:**

Biospecimen science research such as determining optimal methods for RNA extraction, influence of slides storage temperature on RNA quality