

Just-in-time Packaging Solutions

TNT delivers the right packaging material, right at the moment you need it: just in time.

Packaging for the transport of chilled and frozen samples can be expensive. Most central laboratories employ single-use packaging material. Because packaging material is often sent to the site weeks or months before it is needed, many hidden costs may be incurred – including the upfront investment, the possible loss of or damage to the material, and the need for considerable storage space.

When you use TNT's Just-In-Time Packaging Solutions, we provide our Medpak Thermo I packaging material exactly when and where you need it. Medpak Thermo I is provided with cooling elements for products that need to be chilled, and we provide dry ice and/or gel packs for the transportation of frozen samples.



We take care of the complete management process, including

- storage
- fulfilment
- appropriate lay out of chilled packaging with summer or winter profile
- dry ice fulfilment
- tracking
- administration
- distribution and shipping documentation.



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How it works

- The site calls the local TNT Healthcare Centre2 to order the packaging material and coolants.
- TNT fulfils the order and delivers the packaging and related materials, together with the shipping documentation, on the next working day.
- The sample is prepared for return to the central laboratory and picked up that same afternoon.
- Or if you use the exclusive service the prepared packaging will be delivered to the site, the samples will be placed in the box and shipped directly to the right destination.
- TNT delivers the sample to the laboratory early the next morning.

Benefits

- No upfront investment
- No loss or wastage
- No storage space required
- One single phone call to activate the service
- Ease of use for the doctor
- High visibility of shipments

...and because we lease the packaging material rather than sell it, you save money too.

Ordering and collection of samples just takes one phone call to your TNT Healthcare Centre, where our staff are trained to support your organisation in the distribution of biomedical samples, drugs and medical equipment.

Using our Just-In-Time Packaging Solutions eliminates the need to make arrangements with multiple suppliers with differing minimum order quantities, service levels and invoicing procedures.

TNT also offers other sizes and validations of packaging. Please contact the Healthcare Centre in your country for more information.

