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# M.A.Z.E. Setting

## **Cord Blood Banking: Helps You Plan for the Future**

This is an exciting time for you and we are delighted that you are considering M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories to collect, process, and store your child's cord blood. M.A.Z.E. provides the highest possible standards of scientific and medical expertise at a fraction of the cost of the large, commercial labs.

## **M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories Offers State-of-the-Art Cord Blood Banking**

M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories uses the latest proven testing and processing techniques, performed by some of the most highly-trained cord blood professionals in the country. M.A.Z.E. is licensed by the New York, New Jersey, Maryland, and California departments of health and is registered with the FDA. The laboratory that processes our specimens is AABB accredited and uses the latest technology to extract the maximum stem cells. Simply stated, our processing sets the industry standard.



# the Industry **STANDARD**

## **Fewer Risks**

All of our specimens are personally carried by one local courier service. There is no mailing and no time lag. We can track your baby's cord blood from the moment it is picked up at the hospital until it is placed in the freezer for its final storage.

## **Lower Cost**

M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories doesn't advertise in expensive, glossy magazines or offer silly promotions, saving the company tens of millions of dollars every year. We pass all these savings on to our clientele. This allows M.A.Z.E. to offer the most affordable 20-year program available. In some cases, our entire package costs less than the processing alone at other labs. Cord blood banking offers a rare opportunity for a baby's future and we want to make it as accessible as possible.



# M.A.Z.E. Once in

## Why Should I Consider Banking My Child's Cord Blood?

When your child is born, you have a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to harvest the blood from the placenta and umbilical cord. This blood is rich in stem cells. The procedure is completely safe and painless since the cord is no longer attached to you or your baby and the entire process takes less than 15 minutes. We hope your family will never have to use your child's cord blood, but if someone in the family is faced with a disease treated by stem cells, Your baby's stored cord blood will allow for a close genetic match and may be able to save their life.



The list of diseases that cord blood treats has expanded fourfold in the past 5 years and emerging evidence suggests that this blood might be used for serious and common conditions throughout a person's life. There are currently clinical trials underway using cord blood for the treatment of breast cancer, multiple sclerosis, and heart disease.



# a lifetime OPPORTUNITY

**C**ord blood stem cells are currently used to treat a number of different diseases. In addition, new cord blood transplant treatments are being discovered all the time. The research is going on worldwide; therefore, the field is always expanding. Cord blood banking is becoming increasingly important for the protection of your family. Some of the diseases where cord blood stem cells are standard treatment are listed below.

## *Leukemias*

- *Acute Leukemia*
- *Chronic Leukemia*

## *Myelodysplastic Syndromes: Sometimes called Pre-Leukemia*

## *Lymphomas*

## *Inherited Red Cell (Erythrocyte)*

## *Abnormalities*

## *Other Disorders of Blood Cell Proliferation*

- *Anemias*
- *Inherited Platelet Abnormalities*
- *Myeloproliferative Disorders*
- *Inherited Immune Disorders – Severe Combined Immunodeficiency (SCID)*
- *Inherited Immune System Disorders – Neutropenias*
- *Inherited Immune Disorders – Others*
- *Phagocyte Disorders*

## *Bone Marrow Cancers*

## *Neuroblastoma*

## *Retinoblastoma*

With all of the research in the cord blood industry, this list is changing constantly. For an up-to-date, comprehensive listing, please visit [www.mazecordblood.com](http://www.mazecordblood.com)

# M.A.Z.E. Makes

## Is Banking Cord Blood Complicated or Expensive?

The process of banking your child's cord blood with M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories is very simple:

Contact us for information. Complete the registration forms. Once you register, a kit will be mailed to you. Take this kit with you to the hospital. Your healthcare provider will use the kit to draw your blood as well as collect the baby's cord blood.

After the delivery, call the phone number on the box and within hours, a courier will come to the hospital to collect your specimen. The rest is up to us!

Cord blood banking is a state-of-the-art medical procedure and thus can be expensive. M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories offers two convenient, affordable options. You can pay one up-front fee, which includes the collection kit, processing of the cord blood, and twenty years of storage. The other option is to pay an initial



# the Choice Clear & **EASY**

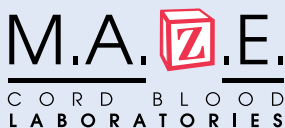
processing fee and an annual storage fee. Our fee, which includes 20 years of storage, is less than the processing fee alone for many of the large commercial banks.

Give us a call.

M.A.Z.E. Cord Blood Laboratories makes the process as simple and easy as possible. We pride ourselves not only on our state-of-the-art science and technology, but also on the personalized care and concern we take with every client.

M.A.Z.E. cord blood coordinators take the time to answer any questions you might have. We recognize the importance of this decision and will never pressure you or try to scare you to rush your decision. Give us a call at (914) 683-0000 or visit us online at [www.mazecordblood.com](http://www.mazecordblood.com).





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