## **How to Remove HypoThermosol® from Fresh Cells**

Upon receiving your cells, IMMEDIATELY remove the HypoThermosol® biopreservation media. HypoThermosol® is a novel, engineered, optimized hypothermic storage and shipping media product. It is serum-free and protein-free and is designed to provide maximum storage and shipping stability for biologics at 2-8°C. HemaCare is not responsible for any cell loss due to ensuing processing, or improper storage or handling.

### **Materials Needed**

- Sterile conical centrifuge tubes, 15mL or 50mL
- Washing buffer, i.e.:
  - PBS + 2% serum
  - RPMI + 2% serum

### Protocol

**Note:** Since the cells are shipped on ice, it is important that the washing steps are done with cold buffers and washing steps are performed on ice.

- 1. Prepare a conical tube with 10 times the volume of the cell suspension of cold wash buffer.
- 2. Gently pipet cells in HypoThermosol® repeatedly to suspend.
- 3. Transfer resuspended cells to conical tube with wash buffer.
- 4. Wash the shipping vial with clean wash buffer and gently pipet, as some cells may stick to the wall of the vial. Add to cell suspension in conical tube.
- 5. Spin at  $350-400 \times g$  for 15 minutes at 4°C.
- 6. Remove supernatant and resuspend cells in media of choice.

#### Notes:

 Always wear personal protective equipment and use universal precaution when working with humanderived biological materials and liquid nitrogen.

# HypoThermosol® FRS Hypothermic storage and shipping media

Best-in-class, optimized biopreservation media for cells and tissues

- Pre-Formulated
- Serum-Free
- Protein-Free
- USP/Highest Quality Components
- cGMP Manufactured
- FDA Master File
- Sterility, Endotoxin, and Cell-Based Release Testing

HypoThermosol® FRS is an optimized hypothermic (2-8°C) preservation media that enables improved and extended preservation of cells, tissues and organs. HypoThermosol® FRS is uniquely formulated to address the molecular-biological response of cells during the hypothermic preservation process. HypoThermosol® FRS includes key ions at concentrations that balance the intracellular state at hypothermic temperatures.

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### — Tips & Tricks ——

- 1. If you are ready to use your cells, the best way to treat them at room temperature is to put them into media with a protein component, like serum. At ambient or warm temperatures, the cells are usually in isotonic media like PBS or other culture media.
- 2. The washing buffer should be isotonic to the cells, eg saline or PBS.
- 3. Choice of cell media depends on the cell type, intended use, and storage, if necessary (not recommended as primary cells are quite fragile).



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