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Program on Breast Cancer and Environmental Risk Factors

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Biomonitoring

Frequently Asked Questions

■ Question

What kinds of samples can be examined during biomonitoring?

■ Answer

Whole blood, serum, lymphocytes, white blood cells, urine, saliva, fat tissue (adipose tissue), breast milk, toenails, hair, and even exhaled breath.

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