

# Stem Cell Information

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## Human Embryonic Stem Cell Lines Currently Available for Shipping

The NIH Human Embryonic Stem Cell Sources lists the [derivations of stem cells that are eligible for federal funding](#). This list provides investigators with:

- ▶ a unique NIH Code for each cell line that must be used when applying for NIH funding and
- ▶ contact information to facilitate investigators' acquisition of stem cells.

### Providers with Lines Available for Shipping

#### BresaGen, Inc.

##### Cell Lines

NIH Code: **BG01, BG02, BG03, BG04\***

Provider's Code: **hESBGN-01, hESBGN-02, hESBGN-03, hESBGN-04\***

Number Shipped: 77

\* The cells failed to expand into undifferentiated cell cultures.

BresaGen lines are available at reduced cost through the [National Stem Cell Bank](#).

Contact BresaGen for more information about sublines. Subline BG01V is available for shipping. Contact [ATCC](#) for more information about BG01V.

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[Memorandum of Understanding](#) (27k PDF file; [get Adobe Reader](#))  
[BresaGen 2004 hESC Methods Manual, v2.1](#) (600k PDF file; [get Adobe Reader](#))

#### Cellartis AB

##### Cell Lines

NIH Code: **SA01, SA02, SA03\***

Provider's Code: **Sahlgrenska 1, Sahlgrenska 2, Sahlgrenska 3\***

Number Shipped: 13

\* Cell line withdrawn by donor.

Cellartis may have sublines available for shipping. Contact [Cellartis](#) for more information about sublines.

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**ES Cell International****Cell Lines**

NIH Code: **ES01, ES02, ES03, ES04, ES05, ES06**

Provider's Code: **HES-1, HES-2, HES-3, HES-4, HES-5, HES-6**

Number Shipped: **167**

ESI lines are available at reduced cost through the [National Stem Cell Bank](#).

ESI may have sublines available for shipping. Contact [ESI](#) for more information about sublines.

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[Simple Letter of Agreement](#) (30k PDF file; [get Adobe Reader](#))

**National Stem Cell Bank****Cell Lines**

Number Shipped: **724**

The National Stem Cell Bank (NSCB) distributes eligible human embryonic stem cell lines at reduced cost.

Contact the [National Stem Cell Bank](#) for more information.

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**Technion-Israel Institute of Technology****Cell Lines**

NIH Code: **TE03, TE32\*, TE33\*, TE04, TE06, TE62\*, TE07\*, TE72\***

Provider's Code: **I 3, I 3.2\*, I 3.3\*, I 4, I 6, I 6.2\*, J 3\*, J 3.2\***

Number Shipped: **95**

Technion are available at reduced cost through the [National Stem Cell Bank](#).

Technion may have sublines available for shipping. Contact [Technion](#) for more information about sublines.

\* These lines are not yet available for shipping.

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[Material Transfer Agreement](#) (80K PDF file; [get Adobe Reader](#))

**University of California, San Francisco****Cell Lines**

NIH Code: **UC01, UC06**

Provider's Code: **HSF-1, HSF-6**

Number Shipped: **133**

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UCSF may have sublines available for shipping. Contact [UCSF](#) for more information about sublines.

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### Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation (WARF) (WiCell Research Institute)

#### Cell Lines

NIH Code: **WA01, WA07, WA09, WA13, WA14**

Provider's Code: **H1, H7, H9, H13, H14**

Number Shipped: **321**

WiCell lines are available at reduced cost through the [National Stem Cell Bank](#).

WiCell also may have sublines available for shipping. Contact [WiCell](#) for more information.

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In your grant applications please use the NIH codes, rather than the providers' codes, to identify the cell lines.

Information about the cell line comes from the provider and has not been independently verified by the NIH.

For any questions about the registry, please e-mail [stemcell@mail.nih.gov](mailto:stemcell@mail.nih.gov).

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