

## **Conductivity Testing**

Conductivity testing is offered in our Environmental department for dialysis water or drinking water specimens. This test is applicable to non-New York potable water specimens.

- 1. Ensure to follow dialysis facility protocols when collecting water analysis specimens.
- 2. Collect specimen using the Trace-Metal Free Conical Tube and fill up to the Max Freeze line.



- 3. Minimum water specimen volume of 20 mL.
- 4. Secure Lid.
- 5. Use the bar code label to identify the specimen.
- 6. Place the labeled bottle in a plastic Transport Bag with an absorbent sheet and seal shut.
- 7. Refrigerate at 2°-8° C.
- 8. Estimated Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) can be measured by multiplying conductivity results by 0.55.