Sample request card acceptance criteria ‘data set’

To ensure adequate identification of samples processed by Clinical Immunology, each sample AND request card must have a minimum of two matched identifiers. These identifiers MUST include a minimum of one from EACH of the following lists (one from A and one from B):

**List A:**
- Full name = Surname name and first name. (i.e. SMITH and JOHN)
- Special clinic number e.g. M69457
- Medical trial unique identifier

**LIST B:**
- NHS number
- Local hospital number
- Date of birth
- Referral laboratory number

If the sample match is less than the minimum above the sample will not be tested.