

Contact information for the UD Plant Diagnostic Clinic:

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Extension offices are now open in Newark, Dover, and Georgetown! We are happy to receive samples. We are asking you to either submit samples by digital image, mail, or use our physical drop-box on the Newark campus. Details for each option are below.

Digital Images

- Digital images of plant problems for disease diagnosis should be submitted through the local county Extension agent or other designated Extension office personnel.
 - New Castle County: Carrie Murphy (cjmurphy@udel.edu)
 - Kent County: Jake Jones (jgjones@udel.edu) or Blake Moore (rbmoore@udel.edu)
 - Sussex County: Tracy Wootten (wootten@udel.edu)
- Three to four well-focused, quality images that show the pattern of the problem in the location, the overall symptoms on the whole plant, and a close-up image of the symptoms are recommended.
- If a root problem is suspected, dig up and rinse off some roots to photograph.
- The client must fill out the diagnostic form (<http://www.udel.edu/007333>) as completely as possible. This is a fillable PDF that can be saved and emailed.
- In some cases a digital image is enough for a diagnosis, but we may request a physical sample to ensure an accurate diagnosis.

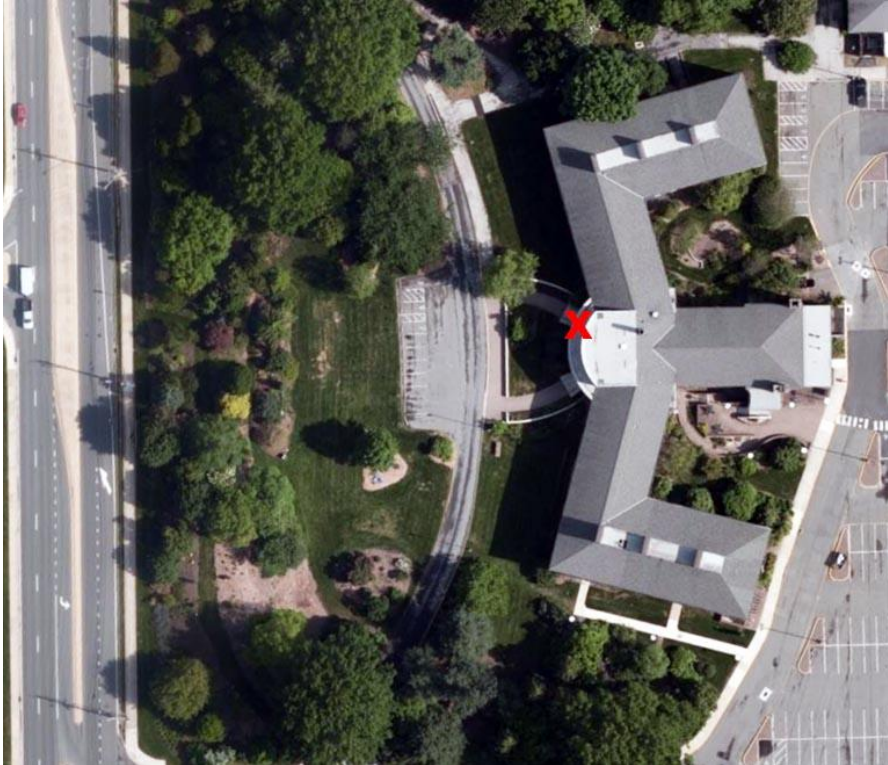
Drop-off

New Castle County	Kent County	Sussex County
461 Wyoming Road Newark, DE 19716	Paradee Center 69 Transportation Road Dover, Delaware	Carvel Research & Education 16483 County Seat Highway Georgetown, DE 19947
302-831-2506	302-730-4000	302-856-7303

- Samples with forms attached may be dropped off at the county extension offices on weekdays (click links above for locations), and also directly at the Diagnostic Clinic in Newark (information below).
- There is a blue cooler chained behind a pillar in front of Townsend Hall, location shown with an “x” in the image below. The box is checked daily on weekdays until 4:30 pm. Samples may be dropped off after hours in the cooler.

- The client must fill out the diagnostic form (<http://www.udel.edu/007333>) as completely as possible. This is a fillable PDF that can be saved and emailed to jillp@udel.edu, or printed. There are forms in the drop box as well.

[531 S College Ave](#)
[Newark, DE 19716](#)



Mail

- Samples may be sent by mail to the address below, which is checked daily during weekdays.
- We suggest overnighting, or mailing earlier in the week so samples do not sit in transit over the weekend.
- The client must fill out the diagnostic form (<http://www.udel.edu/007333>) as completely as possible. This is a fillable PDF that can be saved and emailed to jillp@udel.edu, or printed.
- Mail samples to:

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