

eSwab - WHITE TOP



TEST	COLLECTION
GROUP A STREP (GAS)	Throat
GROUP B STREP (GBS)	Distal vagina (vaginal introitus) and the rectum 35-37 weeks of pregnancy
WOUND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Debrid at Site Ear/Eye Swab
HSV 1&2	Swab vesicles, or small blisters, on or around the genitals, rectum or mouth

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Put on gloves and open peel pouch
- For wounds, debri site and/or rinse with non-bacteriostatic saline as needed.
- Avoid touching the shaft above the pink molded breakpoint.
- Collect the patient sample with swab.
- Remove the cap from the tube and insert the swab all the way to the bottom.
- Holding the swab close to the rim of the tube, break the shaft at the pink breakpoint line
- Screw on the cap tightly to prevent leaking.
- Dispose of the remainder of the shaft
- Transport to the lab promptly at room temperature.



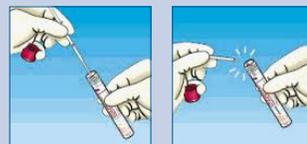
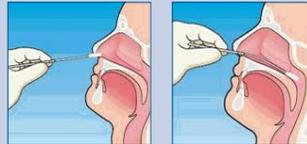
NASOPHARYNGEAL - RED TOP



TEST	COLLECTION
SINUS PANEL	Nasal Cavity
BORDETELLA	Nasal Cavity
UPPER RESPIRATORY PANEL (RPP)	Nasal Cavity

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Tilt patient's head back 70 degrees.
- Insert swab into nostril. (Swab should reach depth equal to distance from nostrils to outer opening of the ear.) Leave swab in place for several seconds to absorb secretions.
- Slowly move swab while rotating it. (Swab both nostrils with same swab.)
- Place tip of swab into sterile viral transport media tube and snap/ cut off the applicator stick.



COLLECTION CUP



TEST	COLLECTION
URINARY TRACT INFECTION (UTI)	URINE COLLECTION: Cleanse area with toilette, obtain 20 ml minimum of urine, seal securely
NAIL FUNGUS	NAIL COLLECTION: Nail clipping of small amount place in cup for collection.
LOWER RESPIRATORY (LRP)	SPUTUM COLLECTION: Rinse mouth with water. Expectorate deep cough to produce sputum directly into collection cup.

STOOL COLLECTION CUP



TEST	COLLECTION
GASTROINTESTINAL PATHOGEN PANEL (GPP)	Stool
A/B TOXIN C-DIFF ONLY	Stool

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Place stool hat over toilet seat
- Produce specimen which is collected by stool hat
- Take spoon provided in sample cup and collect a quarter size sample. Insert in specimen jar.
- Stool hat can be disposed in the toilet.

Excelsior will provide the full collection kit, including the stool hat and gloves.

SHIPPING THE SAMPLE

- Place BOTH sample AND filled out requisition form into biohazard bag
- Sample stability 72 hours
- Include patient, provider and insurance information
- Place into UPS SPECIMEN bag provided
- Adhere UPS label provided to outside of UPS bag

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