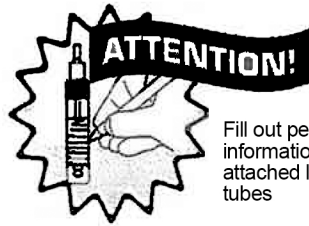


PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS

For assistance with these instructions contact your physician's office.



Step 1: Sample Deposit

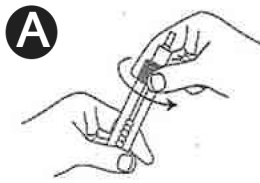


Fill out personal information on attached label on tubes

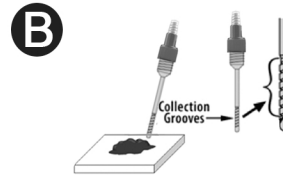


Make bowel movement, wipe normally and retain a small amount of feces on toilet paper.

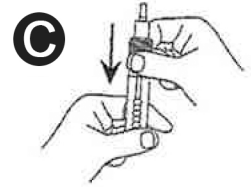
Step 2: Sample Collection



Unscrew the top of the collection tube and remove the applicator stick.



Collect a small sample of feces onto the grooves of the wand from the toilet tissue.
DO NOT CLUMP, SCOOP OR FILL THE TUBE

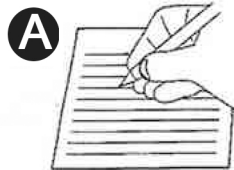


Screw the applicator back into the tube and secure tightly.

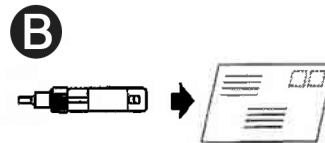
Step 3: Sample Return

WARNING:

Alcohol and certain medications such as aspirin, indomethacin, reserpine, phenibutazone, corticosteroids and non-steroidal, anti-inflammatory drugs (e.g. ibuprofen) may cause gastrointestinal irritation and subsequent bleeding in some patients. Such substances should be discontinued at least 48 hours prior to sample collection.



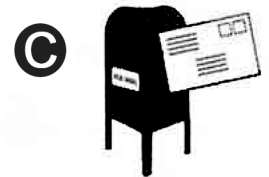
Complete the information requested on the patient return form.



Insert the collection tube along with the return form into the return mailing pouch and secure tightly.



Write your clinic or physician's address on the return envelope.



Return the sample packet immediately to the clinic or laboratory by mail or in person.



----- CUT ALONG DOTTED LINE -----



PATIENT RETURN FORM

Cut along dotted line, and return this with sample collection tube to your doctor or laboratory.

NAME: _____

STOOL COLLECTION DATE: _____

PATIENT ID: _____

AGE: _____ SEX: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____

ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE: _____

TEST RESULTS

POSITIVE (Occult blood is detected in your stool sample)

NEGATIVE (No occult blood is detected in your stool)

INVALID (This may be due to inadequate or excessive sample being collected or delay in sample transportation to the clinic)