

Stool collection containers and a children's urine collection kit will be provided.

Do not collect samples directly from the diaper as urine, detergents and perfumes will interfere with test results.

Please fill all the containers provided.

1. Line the diaper with plastic wrap (e.g. Saran Wrap™).
2. Place the urine collection bag on the child following the instructions provided with the bag.
3. Put the plastic-lined diaper on the child.
4. Within 30 minutes of a bowel movement, remove stool from the plastic wrap.
5. Using the spoon attached to the cap, place bloody or slimy/white (mucous) areas of the stool (if present) into each of the containers provided by the laboratory. Do not over-fill the containers.
 - In container(s) with liquid: Add 2-3 spoonfuls of stool until the liquid reaches the "FILL LINE" and tighten cap. Shake to mix.
 - In the CLEAN container (no liquid): Add stool to the "FILL LINE" and tighten cap.
6. Remove the urine collection bag and discard.
7. Write Patient's Name, Date of Birth and Date and Time of collection on each container.
8. Bring the container(s) back to the lab within 24 hours of collection. Delays may affect test results. Until specimens can be brought to the lab, store as follows:
CULTURE (pink liquid) - refrigerate
SAF (clear liquid) – room temperature
CLEAN (no liquid) - refrigerate