

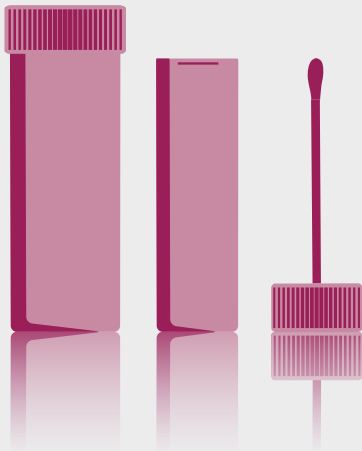
STOOL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS

Your doctor has ordered a laboratory test that requires stool sample collection.

Please read the instructions for proper stool sample collection.

From the laboratory you will need:

- White transport container
- Brown-top container with spoon
- Stool collection paper

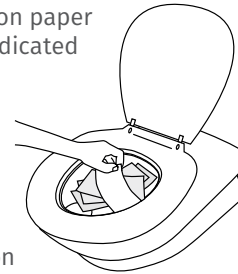


HOW TO COLLECT STOOL?

- 1 Label the container in advance.

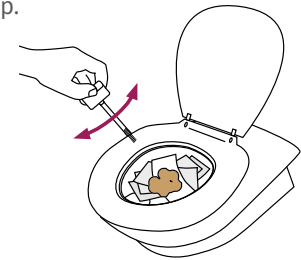


- 2 Open the stool collection paper following the arrows indicated on the illustration.



- 3 Place the stool collection paper at the back of the toilet bowl as shown in the illustration. Avoid wetting the paper.

- 4 Remove the cap from the brown-top container. Using the attached spoon, collect stool from six different areas and place the material into the same container. Tightly close the cap.



- 5 After specimen collection, remove the paper from both sides of the toilet seat and dispose of it in the toilet.

Allow a few seconds for the paper to absorb water, then flush.

- 6 Place the brown-top container into the white transport container. Store the specimen at 2–8°C and deliver it to the laboratory within 12 hours of collection.

