

### **PREPARATION: STOOL COLLECTION**

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please be advised that it is important to follow the instructions below to perform this test

#### PREPARATION FOR TEST

- Use only special containers available from pharmacies.
- Prepare a clean container to collect feces so that sampling can be done.

### STOOL SAMPLING for:

# <u>Clostridium difficile, Cryptosporidium, Parasitology, Entamoeba Histolytica</u>

### **Deliver one container**

- Collect the feces in a clean container. Be careful not to contaminate with urine or menstrual blood.
- 2. Unscrew the container cap and pull out the sample paddle attached to the cap.
- 3. Pick up a small amount of feces with the paddle and fill the container one-third full.

### **STOOL SAMPLING for:**

<u>Fecal Calprotectin; Fecal Helicobacter Antigen, Complete Chemical-Physical Test,</u>
<u>Elastase, Occult Blood, Norovirus, Rotavirus, Adenovirus, Copro culture,</u>

Vibrio spp., Yersinia, Mycobacteria

## Deliver one container per test

- 1. Take a small amount of feces, filling the paddle completely, and place it in the container.
- 2. Close the container tightly.

#### SAMPLE STORAGE AND DELIVERY

The sample(s) should be collected no later than the previous evening, stored in the refrigerator and delivered to the Collection Center during opening hours.

The sample must be accompanied by the medical request.

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