

COLLECTING STOOL SAMPLES

Instructions for parents of children attending child care:



1. Get a stool collection kit with 2 bottles (white and green lids) and “General Test Requisition” form from the child care centre.
2. Before collecting the stool (poop) sample, write your child’s full name, date of birth, and date the samples were collected on the labels of BOTH bottles.
3. On the “General Test Requisition” form, fill out your child’s information under “Patient Information” (see highlighted sections). Put the form in the front pocket of the bag provided.
4. Collect the stool sample from their diaper, a clean container (e.g. “potty”) or, place a sheet of plastic wrap over the toilet bowl, leaving a slight dip in the centre to allow the stool to collect in the plastic wrap.
5. Unscrew the lid from each bottle. Place a stool sample into the white lidded bottle first, and then the green bottle. Using the spoon provided, collect any bloody or slimy/white (mucous) parts of the stool (if present) into the bottles. Do not overfill. In the green-lidded bottle, (that contains liquid), add stool until the liquid reaches the “FILL LINE”. Mix the stool with the liquid.
6. Screw lids back onto the bottles, and place all bottles into the provided bag. Seal the bag.
7. **Wash hands with soap and water.**
8. Drop off the bag containing the samples **and** the filled out form to any location of the following laboratories as soon as possible:
 - a. Medical Laboratories of Windsor
www.medlabsofwindsor.com
 - b. LifeLabs – www.lifelabs.com
 - c. Dynacare – www.dynacare.ca

2 - Patient Information	
Health Card No.:	Sex: <input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Female
Date of Birth (yyyy/mm/dd):	Medical Record No.:
Last Name per health card:	First Name per health card:
Address:	
Postal Code:	Phone Number:



Note: If you are unable to bring the sample to the lab immediately, refrigerate the bagged samples up to 24 hrs. Do not freeze.

General Test Requisition

For laboratory use only
 Date received (yyyy/mm/dd): PHOL No.:

ALL Sections of this form must be completed at every visit

1 - Submitter <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Courier Code</p> <p>Name: Dr Shanker Nesathurai - Windsor Essex County HU Address: 1005 Ouellette Ave., City & Province: Windsor, ON Postal Code: N9A 4J8</p> <p>Clinician Initial/Surname and OHIP/CPSO No.: 121285-31 / 62259 Telephone: (519) 258-2146 Fax: (226) 783-2132</p> <p>cc Doctor / Qualified Health Care Provider Information Name: <input type="text"/> Tel: <input type="text"/> Lab / Clinic Name: <input type="text"/> Fax: <input type="text"/> CPSO No.: <input type="text"/> Address: <input type="text"/> Postal Code: <input type="text"/></p>	2 - Patient Information Health Card No.: <input type="text"/> Sex: <input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Female Date of Birth (yyyy/mm/dd): <input type="text"/> Medical Record No.: <input type="text"/> Last Name per health card: <input type="text"/> First Name per health card: <input type="text"/> Address: <input type="text"/> Postal Code: <input type="text"/> Phone Number: <input type="text"/> Submitter Lab No.: <input type="text"/> Public Health Unit Outbreak No.: <input type="text"/> Public Health Investigator Information Name: <input type="text"/> Health Unit: <input type="text"/> Tel: <input type="text"/> Fax: <input type="text"/>
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3 - Test(s) Requested (Please see descriptions on reverse) Enter test description below: <p style="text-align: center; font-size: large;">Stool for Bacteria and Virus Testing</p>	Hepatitis Serology Reason for test (Check only one box): <input type="checkbox"/> Immune Status <input type="checkbox"/> Acute Infection <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Infection Indicate specific viruses (Check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis A <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis C* <small>*Testing only available for acute or chronic infection; no test for determining immunity to HCV is currently available.</small>
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4 - Specimen Type and Site <input type="checkbox"/> Blood / Serum <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faeces <input type="checkbox"/> Nasopharyngeal <input type="checkbox"/> Sputum <input type="checkbox"/> Urine <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal Smear <input type="checkbox"/> Urethral <input type="checkbox"/> Cervix <input type="checkbox"/> BAL <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): <input type="text"/>	Patient Setting <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Office / Clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient (ICU) <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient (Ward) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Institution <input type="checkbox"/> ER (Not Admitted)
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5 - Reason for Test <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Diagnostic <input type="checkbox"/> Post-mortem <input type="text"/> Date Collected (yyyy/mm/dd): <input type="checkbox"/> Needle Stick <input type="checkbox"/> Immune Status <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal <input type="checkbox"/> Follow-up <input type="text"/> Onset Date (yyyy/mm/dd): <input type="checkbox"/> Immunocompromised <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Condition <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): <input type="text"/>	Clinical Information <input type="checkbox"/> Fever <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gastroenteritis <input type="checkbox"/> Vesicular Rash <input type="checkbox"/> STI <input type="checkbox"/> Headache / Stiff Neck <input type="checkbox"/> Maculopapular Rash <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnant <input type="checkbox"/> Encephalitis / Meningitis <input type="checkbox"/> Jaundice <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Symptoms <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza High Risk (Specify): <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Recent Travel (Specify Location): <input type="text"/>
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For HIV, please use the HIV serology form. - For referred cultures, please use the reference bacteriology form. To re-order this test requisition contact your local Public Health Laboratory and ask for form number F-SD-SCG-1000. Current version of Public Health Laboratory requisitions are available at www.publichealthontario.ca/requisitions.
 The personal health information is collected under the authority of the Personal Health Information Protection Act, s.36 (1)(c)(ii) for the purpose of clinical laboratory testing. If you have questions about the collection of this personal health information please contact the PHOL Manager of Customer Service at 416-235-6556 or toll free 1-877-604-4567. F-SD-SCG-1000 (05/04)