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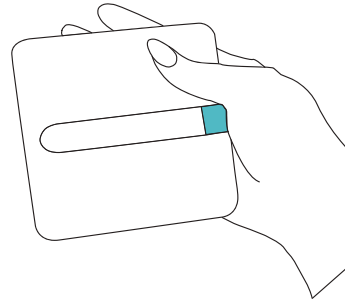
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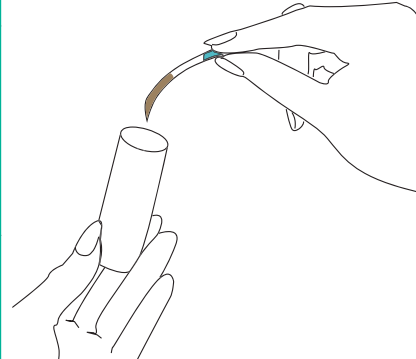
1 WIPE



2 PEEL



3 STORE



Instructions for Use

Prior to collecting a sample, set up near your toilet on a flat surface. Unscrew the cap of the DNA/RNA Shield™ Fecal Collection tube, place the cap on a level surface with the scoop pointing up. Place the open tube beside the cap and proceed to the sample collection steps below.

1. Wipe

After a bowel movement, use the Bunny Wipe™ before using toilet paper. Hold the Bunny Wipe™ as shown in the illustration and wipe to collect a sample.

Note: The lower part of the collection strip should collect the sample when wiping. Only a small amount of sample is needed for analysis. If no fecal material is observed when wiping, another Bunny Wipe may be used to collect additional material.

2. Peel

Holding the blue tab, gently peel the collection strip with the sample from the wipe. Drop the used square wipe into the toilet bowl, the Bunny Wipe can be flushed along with standard toilet paper.

3. Store

Transfer the collection strip into the open DNA/RNA Shield™ Fecal Collection tube. Cap the tube tightly for storage/transport. Gently shake the tube for 10 seconds to mix the fecal sample. The sample can be kept at room temperature prior to shipment.

In Case of a Spill

DO NOT USE BLEACH to clean up spills from the DNA/RNA Shield Fecal Collection tube. Use soapy water to clean up any spills.

FAQ

Q. I wiped and didn't see much fecal material on the collection strip, is that okay?

A. Yes, that is okay. Analysis can be performed with small amounts of fecal material.

Q. Can I wipe with normal toilet paper first?

A. No. The Bunny Wipe™ should be used first before normal toilet paper. After wiping with the Bunny Wipe, normal toilet paper can then be used.

Q. Is the wipe safe to flush?

A. Yes. The wipe is completely water soluble and can be flushed safely.

Q. Is it ok to collect a stool sample if I have diarrhea or constipation?

A. Yes. A sample can be collected in such cases.

Q. Do I need to refrigerate or freeze my sample after collection?

A. No. The DNA/RNA Shield™ reagent stabilizes the sample at room temperature.

Q. I accidentally dropped my wipe in the toilet before collecting a sample, can I still use it?

A. No. The wipe should NOT be used in such cases.

Q. Can I complete the test if I have rectal bleeding, bleeding hemorrhoids or my period?

A. Yes. The microbiome of the sample can still be analyzed even if blood is present.



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