

Clostridium difficile stool Collection Instructions

1. This collection kit contains collection vial.
2. The stool should be passed into the dry container provided by the laboratory. Urine should not be passed into the container.
3. Using the spoon built into the lid of the vial, scoop enough stool into the vial to less than half full.
4. Write down the collection date on the vial label.
5. Refrigerate vial and return sample within 24 hours. CUHCC Laboratory hours are between 0830AM and 445PM Monday thru Friday. (Excluding Holidays).

Day 1



Collect stool sample and place container in plastic bag provided.

Note: Return to the Laboratory as soon as possible.
Refrigerate sample for up to 24 hours after sample collection.
Freeze sample for up to 72 hours.