



Sample Collection Instructions Baby Gender Test

Please ensure to read the instructions carefully. Failure to follow these instructions correctly could affect the validity of your sample or result.

Check the Forms

1. Check that the gestational age is recorded and is more than 7 weeks at collection date.
2. Check that the patient has read the consent information and has signed the request form.

Collect the Sample(s)

1. There is no need for the client to fast prior to taking the required blood draw. **It is important that no males be present for the collection of these samples.**
2. Draw 7-10ml of blood into the supplied Streck Tube. **A minimum of 7ml MUST be collected.**
3. **Immediately mix the tube gently inverting it several times:**



4. Complete the patient's details on the tube with their full name and DOB in **DD/MM/YYYY** format
5. Record and initial the blood draw date on the sample collection form. **All blood samples must be collected by a qualified person.**

Pack the Sample

1. Return the Blood Tube back into the absorbent pouch and bubble wrap pouch provided in the kit. Place the protected tube into the Biohazard bag and seal.
2. Place the Biohazard bag(s) containing the sample(s) inside the Original Packaging and then place the sample(s) and all relevant paperwork/forms into the return paid satchel provided.
3. **Do not refrigerate, spin or freeze the sample(s).**

Sample Return

Please see the "**Sample Return**" instruction sheet inside the kit for instructions on how to return the samples to us for testing.