

MALE AND FEMALE URINE SPECIMEN COLLECTION

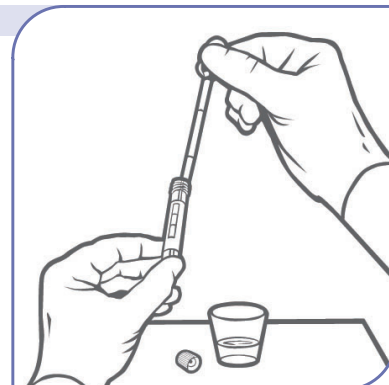


The patient must not have urinated for at least one hour prior to specimen collection.

- 1 Ask the patient to provide a first catch urine sample (approximately 10 ml) into a urine container that is free of any preservatives.
- 2 Remove the lid of the transport tube and transfer 2 ml of urine into the urine specimen transport tube using the disposable pipette provided. The correct volume of urine has been added when the fluid level is between the black fill lines on the urine specimen transport tube label.

Tightly close the lid of the urine specimen transport tube.

- 3 Urine samples must be transferred into the APTIMA® urine specimen transport tube within 24 hours of sample collection.



SPECIMEN TRANSPORT AND STORAGE

Once collected, please store and transport sample using the APTIMA® K12UK transport tube for urine samples at ambient temperature.