

PATIENT INFORMATION

Collection of daily amount of urine

With an addition of 15 ml of hydrochloric acid (6 mol/L)

Background

To measure the exudation of certain substances in the urine, it is necessary to collect **all** urine created during one day (24 hour period).

Preparations

The sample bottle can be collected at the nearest testing centre, lab or care centre. If you know that you pass more than 2 litres of urine per day, ask for two sample bottles.

NB! The sample bottle contains corrosive acid or other preservatives that are injurious to health, but necessary for the examination. The bottle must therefore be kept out of reach of children. The bottle carries a warning label.

NB! Because of the risk of the corrosive acid splashing, never pee directly into the sample bottle.

Use a washed and thoroughly rinsed receptacle to pee into, as traces of cleaning products can interfere with later analysis results. Empty the receptacle directly into the sample bottle after each urination. Only rinse the receptacle with water.

Urine collection is to take place for 24 hours exactly.

All of the urine from the morning of the first day is flushed away.

Make a note of the time:.....

All urine passed after this time until the same time the next day is to be collected in the sample bottle. Keep the sample bottle in a dark, cool place, but not freezing cold.

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Check that the name and personal identification number on the sample bottle and on any letter of referral is correct. If you haven't been able to collect all of the urine in accordance with the above instructions, write it down here:

Have you been able to collect **all** urine during 24 hours?

Yes

No Specify in what way.....

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