



Urine Collection for Cytology

Instructions: Obtain a Sterile Container. If the doctor has ordered the test to be performed **X3**, you will be given 3 sterile containers.

Urines for Cytology must be the 2nd void of the day.

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| 1. | Label your container with:
a) Your full name
b) Your date of birth
c) <u>Date and time of collection</u> |
| 2. | Discard your first urine of the day. |
| 3. | Voiding directly into the collection container, collect 50 to 100 mL of the morning's 2 nd void. |
| 4. | Replace the lid tightly onto the container. |
| 5. | Place the specimen(s) in the transport bag provided and place in the refrigerator. |
| 6. | Deliver the specimen(s) to the Outpatient Lab as soon as possible. |

NOTE: The physician may require collection of more than one specimen, collected on different days. If this is required, you may collect all the specimens (remembering to put the date...(different days)...and time of collection on each) refrigerate them and return them all at the same time.