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How to Use
Video Guide



How to use PiP

Storage of PiP

To reduce risk of contamination

- 1 PiP's must never be stored in a sluice
- 2 PiP's will be stored & accessed from a clean storeroom or cupboard
- 3 PiP's must never be removed from the cardboard packaging
- 4 PiP's must always be stored upside down or on their side
- 5 Prior to handling PiP's healthcare workers must decontaminate their hands

Prior to handling PiP

For safe urine collection

- 1 Explain the process to the patient and gain their consent
- 2 Provide the patient with a private area to produce the sample
- 3 Prior to providing a urine sample, ensure that the patient has had a wash and there is no visual contamination of the genital area
- 4 Patient should be encouraged to clean their hands with soap and water prior to handling the PiP
- 5 Patient should be advised when handling the PiP not to touch the funnel. If possible it should be held underneath.
- 6 The funnel part of the PiP should be held away from the patient when passing urine
- 7 If able, ask the patient to void the first stream of 15-30mls of urine into the toilet
- 8 Patient should be advised to hand the PiP to a healthcare professional once the sample has been collected and not to leave in toilet / bathroom areas

Transferring urine from PiP

into the urine collection tube

- 1 Healthcare colleague should clean hands and don non-sterile gloves prior to handling urine
- 2 If a urine dipstick is required this can be performed – A urine dipstick is not required for all patients so please follow your local guidance
- 3 Pour away any excess urine using the wide pouring spout area of the PiP
- 4 Place the 10ml red top (boric acid) urine collection tube onto the funnel and decant the urine into the tube
- 5 The tube should be filled 2 thirds full of urine – no more
- 6 Place the red top lid onto the tube
- 7 Pour remaining urine into the sluice hopper and if available place the PiP into the macerator
- 8 Remove gloves and decontaminate hands
- 9 Label the urine collection tube, place in a specimen bag, seal securely and send to the lab
- 10 Record in the patients notes that a sample has been sent to the lab and document any dipstick results if taken

