

CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES

St. Vincent's HealthCare

SEMEN ANALYSIS

REVISED July 2022

Follow ALL instructions carefully and completely for optimum results

- Specimens are accepted Monday-Friday at St. Vincent's Hospital, Main Lab Riverside Campus.
- No specimen will be accepted on a "holiday" Friday, i.e., Black Friday or Good Friday.
- Bring your lab order from your physician, this form, and give copy of ID to lab staff.
- Collection of specimen is prohibited on hospital property.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Refrain from sexual intercourse and masturbation for at least 2 days but not more than 7 days prior to collection of specimen.
2. Obtain the specimen by masturbation without artificial lubrication. If masturbation is not possible, a specialized condom may be obtained from physician. Do not collect specimen in a regular condom – it will be rejected.
3. Collect the specimen in a clean, wide-mouth container (glass or plastic) provided by the physician. It is important that the whole ejaculate is collected. If not, the specimen should be checked as incomplete in Mandatory section below.
4. Label the specimen by printing clearly patient full first (same as lab order) last name, date of birth, date and time of collection.

SPECIMEN DROP-OFF INSTRUCTIONS:

- **WITHIN 1 HOUR OF COLLECTION** maintaining specimen at *room temperature*, drop-off the specimen to the Main Laboratory @ St. Vincent's Hospital – 3rd floor above ER. Park in Dillon Building garage.
- **Hours: 6:30am – 1:00pm ONLY M-F*** *Specimens will not be accepted outside these hours.*
- Complete mandatory question section below. Bring this completed form with your specimen AND the LAB ORDER from your physician office when you drop-off specimen.

PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE - MANDATORY TO BE COMPLETED

Number of Abstinence Days _____ Collection Method: Masturbation Other _____

Specimen Collect Date: _____ Specimen Collect Time: _____

Specimen Collection: Glass Plastic Ejaculate: Complete Incomplete/ Spilled

Specimen Temperature: Normal Temperature Extreme Temperature

IMPORTANT NOTE TO PHYSICIAN OFFICES:

Please indicate on lab order the billing status for patient, i.e. bill your office (CLS client acct number) bill patient insurance, or if patient is self-pay (CLS will mail patient bill to home address). Make sure this information is current and marked on lab order accompanying this instruction form. If it is not marked on lab order, patient will receive the bill.

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POST VASECTOMY

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SPECIMEN COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Obtain the specimen by masturbation without artificial lubrication. If masturbation is not possible, a specialized condom may be obtained from physician. Do not collect specimen in a regular condom – it will be rejected.
2. Collect the specimen in a clean, wide-mouth container (glass or plastic). It is important that the whole ejaculate is collected. Specimens must be collected off-site – no facilities are available for collection in a hospital bathroom.
3. Label the specimen by printing clearly patient full first (same as lab order) last name, date of birth, date and time of collection.

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- Complete specimen information below as indicated.

Specimen Collect Date: _____ Specimen Collect Time: _____

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