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## **Semen Specimen Collection Instructions**

\*\* Testing by appointment only \*\*

## **Collection Instructions:**

- **1.** Label container with:
  - Patient Name
  - Date of Birth
  - Collection Date and Time
- 2. Ejaculate into the sterile plastic cup.
- 3. Place the cap on the cup and twist until a click is heard.
- 4. Place the sample in a brown paper bag to protect it from light.
- 5. DO NOT refrigerate. The sample should remain as close to body temperature as possible until delivery to laboratory for accuracy in testing.
- 6. Specimens will only be accepted between 8am and 1:30pm Monday through Friday and by appointment only. Please call 406-447-2950 or 406-447-2970 to schedule delivery and testing.
- **7.** Deliver specimen to St Peter's Main Lab within 1 hour post collection for accurate results.
- 8. Bring any paper orders the doctor gave you.

## St Peter's Main Lab Directions:

- 1. Enter St. Peters Hospital through Emergency Room entrance.
- 2. Walk straight past registration desks and through the double doors.
- 3. Lab is the first door on the left after the tile changes to carpet at the double doors. Look for BIO-HAZARD sign on door
- 4. Please ring doorbell and someone will be with you to receive your sample.

If you have any questions, please call St Peter's Main Lab at 406-447-2950. Call 406-447-2950 or 406-447-2970 to schedule delivery and testing.