

Stool Sample Collection Resource



C.difficile, Enteric Viral Panel and H. Pylori

Use one wide mouth (typical urine C&S) container or white top container with shovel. Send:

- *C.difficile* (minimum 3 ml)
- Enteric Viral Panel (minimum 3 ml)
- *H. pylori* (minimum 3 ml)

Note: If multiple tests requested, send volume required for each individual test (eg. *C.difficile* + Enteric Viral Panel = minimum 6 ml needed)

To be processed stool sample MUST be liquid enough to slide up the container! (It should take the shape of the container)



Stool Culture

Use one Cary Blair stool container with pink preservative. (Check expiry date)

Min 3-5ml required.
Do not go above fill line.

Mix well with media!



Ova and Parasite

Also known as Giardia or Cryptosporidium Ag Screen

Use one stool container with SAF fixative. (Check expiry date)

Min 3-5 ml required.
Do not go above fill line.

Mix well with Media!