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Sample Container Order Form

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Courier Account #:

DOCTOR/CL	DOCTOR/CLINIC/FACILITY NAME (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)								
SHIPPING ADDRESS						CITY POSTAL CODE			
NAME (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY) AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE				EMAIL		TELEPHONE NO.			
Sample (NOTE	A COMPLETE PA	ACKAGE* CONSI	STS OF (1) SAMPL	E CONTAINE	R, (1) SAMPL	bk : http://www.elabhandbook.ir E BAG & (1) REQUISITION/FORM lering the Serology Screening Req	UNLESS SPECIFIED	COMPLETE PACKAGE*
CONTAINER TYPE / TEST DESCRIPTION					TESTING I	NFORMATIC	ON AND FURTHER DETAILS		No.
SWABS		Aptima Unisex Swab Sample Collection Kit for Endocervical and Male Urethral Swab specimens (purple label)							
	APTIMA NUCLEIC ACID TESTING (NAT) SWAB		titest Swab Sample Collection for vaginal, throat, rectal, eye orange label)		Chlamydia trachomatis AND Neisseria gonorrhoeae for Nucleic Acid Testing (NAT). Trichomonas vaginalis for Nucleic Acid Testing (NAT) in females only.				
	APTIMA NUCLEIC ACID TESTING (NAT) URINE	Aptima Urine Sample Transport Kit (yellow label)							
	BACTERIAL CULTURE SWAB	COPAN (green-top) eSwab + Liquid Amies			Culture for bacterial pathogens excluding <i>Mycobacterium</i> spp. Culture and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test for Bordetella pertussis Culture of urethral & eye specimens for Neisseria gonorrhoeae				
	INFLUENZA / OTHER RESPIRATORY VIRUSES, MEASLES and MUMPS	COPAN (red-top) + Universal Transport Media			Nucleic Acid Testing (NAT) for nasal/nasopharyngeal and throat specimens. Do not use for Chlamydia trachomatis testing				
	VIRUS ISOLATION SWAB, HERPES and VZV	COPAN (blue-top) + Universal Transport Media			Nucleic Acid Testing (NAT) for skin and genital specimens. Do not use for Chlamydia trachomatis testing				
	BLOOD PARASITES	K2EDTA (EDTA/Lavender top) vacutainer			(Malaria) Smears to be submitted in addition to blood in EDTA				
	HEPATITIS C PCR				Specimen to be submitted in EDTA vacutainer tube				
BLOOD	SEROLOGY SCREENING	Serum separator tube (SST/Gold top) vacutainer			Hepatitis, HIV, Prenatal, Rubella, Helicobacter pylori, Syphilis, Virus Serology				
TUBES	ZOONOTIC DISEASES & EMERGING PATHOGENS				ASOT, AntiDNase B, Brucella, Borrelia, Coccidioides, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Toxoplasma, Tularemia, Parasitic Serology, Bartonella, Cryptococcus, Referred Bacterial, Fungal & Parasitic Testing, Arboviruses (West Nile virus), Hantavirus, Rickettsia, Ehrlichia/ Anaplasma, Leptospira, Referred Testing				
OUTBREAK	GASTROINTESTINAL DISEASE OUTBREAK KIT	Kit consists of 6 Notification form	feces, 2 sterile via	ls for vomitus, 8 biohazard bags, 8 GI Outbreak Requisition and 1 GI Outbreak Fax					
КІТЅ	INFLUENZA LIKE ILLNESS OUTBREAK KIT	Kit consists of 6 swabs, 6 biohazard bags, 6 VI requisition forms and 1 ILI fax notification form			FOR FACILITY TESTING ONLY (Maximum order per season is 50 kits. Orders over 50 kits must be approved by the Virology Section).				
FECES	ENTERIC PATHOGENS								
VIALS &	PARASITOLOGY	SAF (preservative) vial			Orders must be approved by the Parasitology Section				
PADDLES	PINWORM	Pinworm sticky paddle			Orders must be approved by the Parasitology Section				
	VIROLOGY				Gastrointestinal virus testing (including Norovirus, Adenovirus, Astrovirus, Rotavirus and Sapovirus)				
BOTTLES	TREATED PLASTIC BOTTLES				Water Bacteriology				
	ENDOTOXIN-FREE BOTTLES	50 bottles (yellow cap)/order (no requisition)			Endotoxin/Limulus Amoebocyte Lysate (LAL) testing				
SLIDES	MICROSCOPIC EXAM				Gonorrhea, Bacterial Vaginosis & Yeast				
	SYPHILIS				Dark Field/Direct Fluorescent Antibody				
VIALS AND JARS	FOOD MICROBIOLOGY JAR				For Food Quality and Food Poisoning Samples				
	TISSUE PARASITES	Sterile vial							
	TREATED ICE GLASS JAR				Water Bacteriology				
	TUBERCULOSIS PLASTIC JAR				Sputum, urine & other body fluids (all <i>Mycobacteria</i>)				
	TUBERCULOSIS TREATED GLASS JAR				Stomach washings (all <i>Mycobacteria</i>) (Request these prepared jars 2 weeks in advance)				
	ZOONOTIC DISEASES & EMERGING PATHOGENS				Helicobacter pylori Stool Antigen				
REQUISITION ONLY ORDER		REQUISITIC	ON CODE**				ADDITIONA	L REQUESTS (Indicate)	
SEE REV	ERSE FOR LIST OF FORMS	NO. REQ	UESTED						

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR INFORMATION ON COLLECTION PROCEDURES.

ORDERING INFORMATION:

What should I order?

For instructions on what container to use and how to collect and submit the sample please consult the BCCDC Public Health Laboratory *eLab Handbook* at http://www.elabhandbook.info/PHSA/Default.aspx.

How do I order?

Using this Sample Container Order Form please either email the request to kitorders@hssbc.ca OR fax request to (604) 707-2606

- Please order in single units;
- Please DO NOT order in pads, bags, packs, flats, trays, boxes or cases (unless ordering the Serology Screening requisition which is available in a 50-page pad).

How many should I order?

When ordering please keep in mind the following:

• A lot of sample containers have components that have a short shelf-life and therefore have expiry dates. Please order according to your needs instead of "stock-piling".

When will I receive my order?

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REQUISITION FORMS

BAM	Bacteriology & Mycology Requisitions	2 sided form: Side 1 – Specimens for Bacteriology and Mycology testing Side 2 – Isolates for Identification
FP1	Food Poisoning Form Part A - Incident Summary	To be filled out during a food poisoning event
FP2	Food Poisoning Form Part B - Requisition	To accompany clinical and food/environmental samples in suspected food poisoning events. Food Poisoning Form Part A - Incident Summary must also be filled out.
FQ	Food Quality Sample Requisition	To accompany food samples submitted by Environmental Health Officers under the Food Quality Check Program
GIOB	Gastrointestinal Disease Outbreak Requisition	To accompany each sample submitted for GI outbreak investigation
GIOF	Gastrointestinal Disease Outbreak Fax Form	To be filled out for each GI outbreak
PARA	Parasitology Requisition	Ova & Parasites, Blood & Tissue Parasites, Parasite Identification (arthropods, worms, proglottids)
SER	Serology Screening Requisition	High volume serology testing; available in 50-page pad
ТВ	Mycobacteriology/TB Requisition	Mycobacteriology testing
VI	Virology Requisition	Non-serological virology testing
WB	Water Bacteriology Requisition	Public health water analysis (drinking water, recreational and waste water)
ZEP	Zoonotic Diseases & Emerging Pathogens Requisition	Serological, molecular and other testing for viruses, bacteria, parasites and fungi