Urine Collection – Pediatric Female
Patient Instructions

Specimen will **not** be tested if label or requisition is missing information.

Please follow the instructions below for accurate test results.

Do not use baby oil, lotions or powders before the collection.

Wash your hands with soap and water.

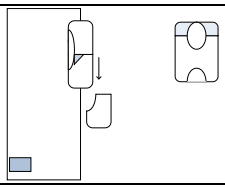
Tear open the foil packet and remove the towelette.

Wash the baby's genital area with down strokes **only**.

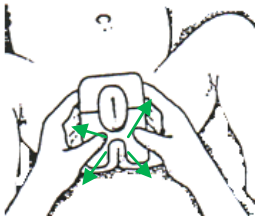
Let the baby's skin **dry**.

Remove the U-bag from its pouch.

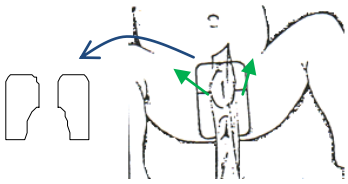
Remove the paper from the **bottom** half of the adhesive on both sides.



Hold the U-bag and gently press the back of your hands against the baby's skin to stretch the skin.
Stick the adhesive to the baby's skin, starting at the narrow area of skin between the vagina and rectum and working outward.

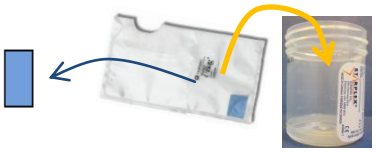


Remove the paper from the top half of the adhesive on both sides.
Stick the top half of the adhesive patch to the baby's skin.
Avoid wrinkles.
Press all around the vagina.



Immediately after baby urinates (pees) into the bag,

- Remove the bag.
- Remove the blue tab on the bottom of the bag or cut the corner of the bag near the blue tab.
- Pour the urine into the cup.

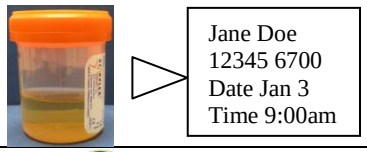


Please do **not** touch the inside of the cup with your fingers.

Put the lid on the cup.

Make sure the cup is labelled with **all** of the following:

- Baby's full first and last name
- Baby's healthcare number
- Date and time of collection



Wash your hands with soap and water.

If collecting at home: Please deliver specimen to the laboratory today.
Store in a cool, dark place (e.g. refrigerator) if more than 2 hours between collection and going to the laboratory.