



Springfield Hospital

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Laboratory

Post Vasectomy Semen Collection Instructions

Please Read Carefully

1. Post Vasectomy semen analysis is performed **Monday through Friday 8am – 4pm.**
2. The specimen must be delivered to the lab within 2 hours of collection.
3. Post Vasectomy analysis should be collected after 10 - 15 ejaculations.
4. A period of abstinence of 2 - 7 days is recommended before specimen collection.
5. The specimen **MUST** be produced by masturbation. Samples produced by other means will be rejected. No lubricant, including saliva, may be used.
6. The entire ejaculation must be collected in a clean screw-cap container provided by the Surgeon's office or the Laboratory. Due to the fact that condoms contain spermicidal chemicals, their use for this purpose is not acceptable.
7. The container must be clearly labeled with your **full legal name, date of birth, and time of collection.**
8. Temperature extremes must be avoided. Keep the specimen at room temperature.
9. **Please bring this completed form to the laboratory with the specimen, or the specimen will be rejected**

Specimen Information

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Date of Collection: _____ Time of Collection: _____

Days of abstinence: _____ Entire Specimen Delivered?: _____

Was the specimen produced by masturbation?: _____

Comments/Problems: _____

Form completed by: _____

Date and Time received in Laboratory: _____ Received by: _____