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**INSTRUCTIONS FOR SEMEN SPECIMEN COLLECTION**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

PHYSICIAN \_\_\_\_\_

COLLECTION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

COLLECTION TIME \_\_\_\_\_

POST-VASECTOMY SCREEN

COMPLETE SEMEN ANALYSIS

**POST-VASECTOMY SCREEN:** At least 20 ejaculations are needed for spermatozoa to clear from the semen after vasectomy. Collect the specimen after this period of time as instructed by the doctor. The collection container should be a sterile specimen container supplied by the laboratory or physician’s office.

**COMPLETE SEMEN ANALYSIS:** A 2-7day abstinence period is necessary for this test. The Seminal Fluid Collection kit supplied by the laboratory should be used.

**COLLECTION METHODS:**

1. The specimen can be obtained by masturbation and ejaculated directly into the specimen container. Collect the entire specimen avoiding spillage. If any of the specimen is spilled, label the sample container as **Incomplete Specimen.**
2. The sample can be obtained through intercourse if the non-spermicidal polyurethane condom provided in the Seminal Fluid Collection Kit is used. Other condoms are not acceptable because they often contain spermicidal lubricants and powders. **NOTE: Contraceptive solutions and lubricants cannot be used.**

The sample must be maintained at a temperature between room and body temperature until it is submitted. Keep the sample close to your body to keep it warm. **Label the specimen container with the patient’s name, date of birth, and date and time of collection.**

**SPECIMEN DELIVERY:**

**Note: specimens arriving in the lab outside of the acceptable times will be rejected**

**For complete semen analysis, complete the information below and submit it with specimen.**

1. What time was the specimen collected? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Was any of the specimen spilled? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Method of sample collection:  masturbation  intercourse using Seminal Fluid Collection Kit
4. Number of days of abstinence \_\_\_\_\_
5. Was the specimen maintained between room & body temperature before it was submitted?  
 Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

Location	Schedule	Registration	Delivery
Chambersburg Hospital	<p>A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient's MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-267-7965 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 7:30 am – 2:00 pm.</p> <p><b>Specimens are not accepted on weekends or holidays. Specimens will not be accepted if dropped off outside of acceptable times or without an appointment.</b></p>		<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Hospital Laboratory <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the hours of 7:30 am and 10:00 am, Monday through Friday.</u></b></p>
Ephrata Community Hospital	<p>A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient's MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-738-6415 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 7:00 am-3:00 pm.</p> <p><b>Specimens are not accepted on weekends or holidays.</b> If necessary, special arrangements can be made with the lab to accept Post Vasectomy specimens only on a Saturday morning.</p>		<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Hospital <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the hours of 7:30 am and 10:00 am, Monday through Friday.</u></b></p>

<p>Gettysburg Hospital</p>	<p>A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient’s MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-339-2341 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 7:00 am-2:00 pm.  <b>Specimens are not accepted on weekends or holidays.</b>  <b>Specimens will not be accepted if dropped off outside of acceptable times or without an appointment.</b></p>		<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Out-patient Laboratory at Gettysburg Hospital <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the hours of 7:30 am and 10:00 am, Monday through Friday.</u></b></p>
<p>Good Samaritan Hospital  <b>(Post-Vasectomy Only)</b></p>	<p><b>Testing is only performed for post vasectomy.</b> A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient’s MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-270-2298 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 8:00 am- 4:00 pm.</p>		<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Hospital Laboratory <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the days/hours of M-F 7:30 am – 2:30 pm. No specimens on weekends or holidays.</u></b></p>
<p>Waynesboro Hospital  <b>(Post-Vasectomy Only)</b></p>	<p><b>Testing is only performed for post vasectomy.</b> A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient’s MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-765-3403 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 6:00 am -6:00 pm.  <b>Specimens are not accepted on Sundays or holidays.</b></p>		<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Hospital Laboratory <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the hours of 6:00 am – 6:00 pm Monday through Friday and between the hours of 7:00 am -1:00 pm on Saturday.</u></b></p>

<p>York Hospital</p>	<p>A scheduling ticket will be sent to the patient's MyWellSpan portal. All patients should attempt to schedule via the website since this will be the primary mode for scheduling these appointments. If after attempting to schedule online, the patient is having trouble with the scheduling ticket / finalizing the online appointment, please call 717-851-2590 for assistance. Scheduling calls will be limited to the days/hours of M-F 7:30 am-2:00 pm.  <b>Specimens will not be accepted if dropped off outside of acceptable times or without an appointment. Specimens are not accepted on weekends or holidays.</b></p>	<p>Registration should be completed prior to taking the specimen to the Collection Center. Patients may register with Patient Registration in the Atrium at York Hospital or on-line.</p>	<p>The specimen must be delivered to the Collection Center at York Hospital <b><u>within 1 hour after collection between the hours of 7:30 am and 10:00 am, Monday through Friday.</u></b></p>