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*	Instructions for the collection and storage of faeces for microbiological and parasitological examination	P06_A0250_MAN001_FI001 Ref. P06_A0250_MAN001	

CONTAINER

- Use the appropriate container with scoop

If multiple investigations are required and the method is the same, a single container is sufficient.

QUANTITY

If the stool is solid, fill the scoop generously
If the stool is liquid, fill the container up to the red line or fill at least 1/3 full.

COPROCULTURE

Store in a refrigerator and deliver within 24 hours if required for:

 \Rightarrow GIARDIA SEARCH

⇔CRYPTOSPORIDIUM

⇔ANTIGENE H. PYLORI

⇔C. DIFFICILE SEARCH

Store in a refrigerator and deliver on the same day if requested for:

⇔VIRUS SEARCH (Rotavirus - Adenovirus - Norovirus)

PARASITE SEARCH WITH MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION

It is advisable to collect three samples on alternate days Samples must be delivered in a single delivery if collected in bottles with preservative liquid

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