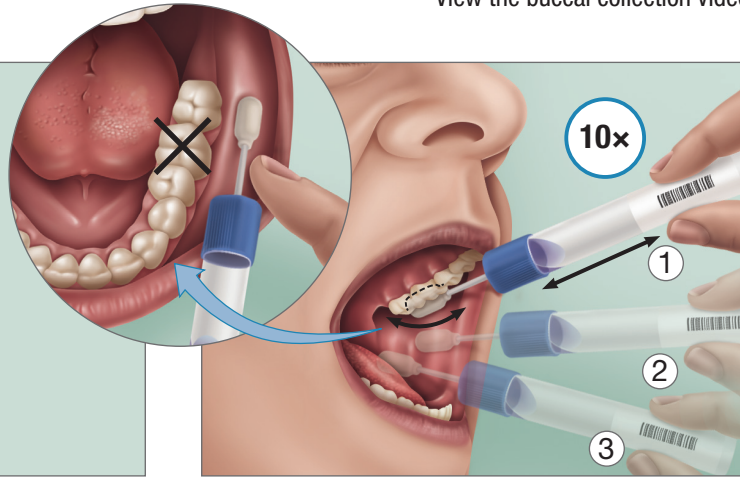


# TRIO BUCCAL KIT INSTRUCTIONS

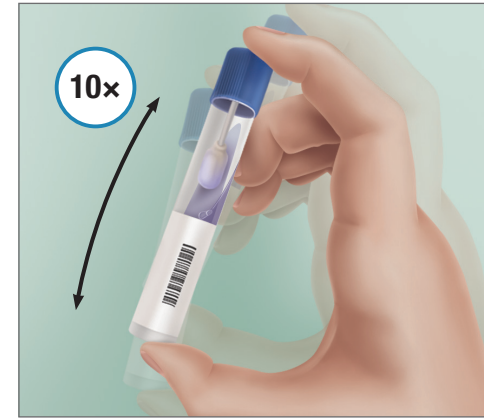
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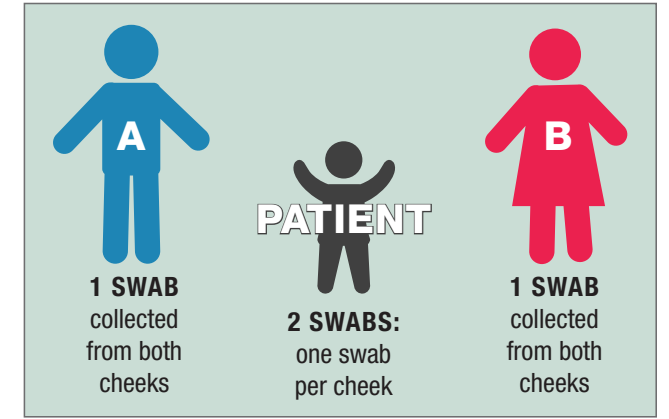
**1** Do not eat or drink at least 30 minutes before collecting the specimens; this includes gum, chewing tobacco, smoking, mints, lozenges or other hard candies. This kit has 4 buccal swab collection tubes, please use as directed:  
**Patient:** two new buccal swab collection tubes  
**Relative A:** one new buccal swab collection tube  
**Relative B:** one new buccal swab collection tube



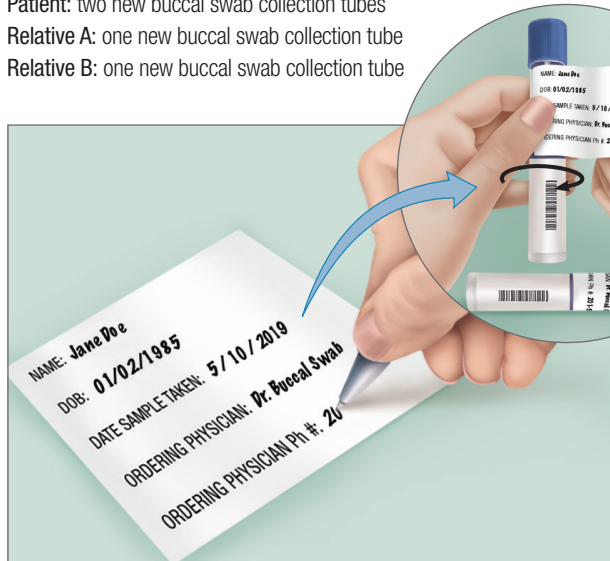
**2** Remove collector without touching the sponge tip. Place the sponge (on the inside of the cheek) where the upper gums meet the cheek. Scrape along this area in a back and forth motion at least 10 times. Repeat the scraping motion in the middle and lower sides of the cheek. **Do not rub the teeth.**



**3** Hold the tube upright to prevent the stabilizing liquid inside the tube from spilling. Turn the cap upside down, insert the sponge into the tube and close cap tightly. Invert the capped tube and shake vigorously 10 times.



**4** Repeat steps 1–3 for Relative A using one new buccal swab collection tube to collect from **both** cheeks. Repeat steps 1–3 for Relative B using one new buccal swab collection tube to collect from **both** cheeks.



**5** Fill out the provided label with your name and date of birth and **place the label on the side of the collection tube**. Repeat steps 1–3 for the patient using the second swab and repeat the rubbing motion on the right cheek for an additional 10 times. **All tubes must be labeled.**



**6** Every sample **MUST** be accompanied by a completed test requisition form (preferred) or at least a completed sample information card. **\*\*Results for samples submitted without a requisition form or a sample information card will be delayed.\*\***



**7** To ship the samples, place all labeled tubes in the bag with the biohazard symbol and seal. Insert the **completed** test requisition form and/or the sample information card into the second pocket in the biohazard bag. Place the box inside the FedEx Clinical Pak and seal the FedEx Pak. Attach the FedEx label to the package. Call FedEx for pickup, or drop off at a local FedEx location.

**STOP!**  
 Before shipping your completed kit, make sure you include:

- Labeled samples (2 from patient, 1 from Relative A, 1 from Relative B)
- Completed test requisition form **OR**
- Completed sample information card