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URINE FROM A BAG

COLLECTION METHOD

COLLECTION METHOD FOR YOUNG CHILDREN UNABLE TO COLLECT URINE.

COLLECTION MATERIALS:

- Paediatric urine collection bag purchasable from pharmacies
- Wide-mouth container with a screw cap purchasable at pharmacies or available free of charge at your chosen collection point.

COLLECTION METHOD:

- Wash your hands with soap and water, rinse, and dry them
- Wash the child's external genitalia and perineum with soap and water (do not use antiseptics or intimate hygiene products), rinse, and dry with a clean towel
- Open the sterile bag, avoiding touching the inside and ensuring it adheres to the perineal skin
- Hold the child upright (keep him in your arms)
- Collect the urine. If the child has difficulty urinating, remove the bag every thirty minutes and repeat the abovementioned cleaning and positioning procedure until the sample is collected
- Reseal the bag using the appropriate adhesive tab and place it in the container (**do not pour urine into the container**)
- Close the jar.

STORAGE AND DISPATCH:

Report to the chosen collection point during opening hours.

If it is not possible to deliver the morning urine, store the sample in the refrigerator at 4°-8°C for up to 12 hours maximum.