

*C.difficile Toxin*

*H. Pylori Antigen*



Obtain a stool container from the laboratory.

The container should be a clean sterile cup with a leak-proof cap.

**Instructions for Collection:**

1. Diapers are not acceptable for specimen collection. To collect a stool specimen from a child in diapers, line the diaper with plastic wrap, collect the stool, and transfer to the collection container.
2. Collect the specimen in a clean specimen pan, plastic bag, or plastic wrap placed over the toilet seat. Avoid contaminating the stool specimen with urine or water during collection.
3. Transfer 15 grams of soft or liquid stool to the specimen cup (formed stool is not acceptable). Close the cap tightly.
4. Label the container (not the lid) with patient name, date of birth, and date/time of collection.
5. Keep refrigerated and deliver to lab within 72 hours of collection.