## **Anal (Bottom) Swab**

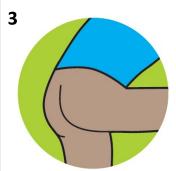




## Please read all instructions before taking your sample



Wash your hands with soap and water.



Get into a position that gives you the easiest access to your anus (bottom).



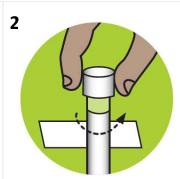
4cm

Push the swab about 4 cm inside.

Gently move the swab in a circle 2 or 3 times, touching the walls of your anus.



Wash your hands with soap and water.



Open the packet and remove the blue swab.

Only use the **BLUE** swab.

Don't touch the soft tip of the swab with your hands or other surfaces.



Take one hand and spread one cheek to the side.

With your other hand put the swab at the opening of your anus.



Remove the swab from your anus and carefully put it into the screw top tube.

Snap off the blue swab at the scored area (weak point halfway down the swab).

Do not break the blue swab at any other place. Make sure the lid is on tightly.

**8** Fill in your name, date of birth, sex, date, time, and swab site (anal) on the tube. Put the tube in the biohazard bag and take back to reception.

## **Throat Swab**



Don't touch the soft tip of the swab with your

Rub the tip firmly and quickly from one side of

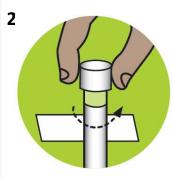
your throat to the other and back.



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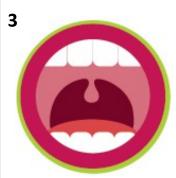


Wash your hands with soap and water.



Open the packet and remove the blue swab.

Only use the **BLUE** swab.



Open your mouth as wide as you can, take a deep breath and hold it.



hands or other surfaces.

Trying not to touch your tongue, put the swab to the very back of your throat (it's OK if you accidentally touch your tongue).



Remove the swab from your mouth and carefully put it into the screw top tube.

It's OK if you gag.

Snap off the blue swab at the scored area (weak point half way down the swab). Do not break the blue swab at any other point.

Make sure the lid is on tightly.



Fill in your name, date of birth, sex, date, time and swab site (throat) on the tube.

Put the tube into the biohazard bag and take back to reception.