

How to take oral fluid swabs





Remove blue swab from packet. Rub the blue swab along the gum line for 2 minutes.



Place wet swab back inside the clear tube and replace the cap. Write patient's name, DOB and today's date on it.



Place the tube inside the clear bag.



Check and complete the request form.

Push out air and seal.

Place the request form and the bag in the envelope.



Return to courier or healthcare professional.

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