

12 Hour Urine Collections - General (LTR71418)

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Specimen will **not** be tested if label or requisition is missing information.



Caution:

The bottle may contain a preservative that may burn your skin. If liquid in bottle is splashed or spilled, wash spill immediately with water.

Following the instructions below is important for providing you with accurate test results.



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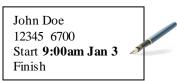


Select a time to **start Example:**



Completely empty your bladder (pee) into the toilet.

• Write the time and date on the container label as the Start time and date.





Next 12 hours

The **next** time you pee and **every** time you pee for the next **12 hours**

- Urinate (pee) into a clean, dry plastic container, for example a plastic cup.
- Pour **all** urine into the bottle every time.
- Close the lid of the bottle tightly after each urine specimen is added.
- If the bottle had liquid in it from the laboratory, swirl bottle after each urine specimen is added.

Please keep the bottle upright in a cool, dark place.



At the **end** of the collection



- Collect a last urine specimen exactly 12 hours after the Start time.
 Please try to urinate (pee) even if you do not feel an urge.
 Completely empty your bladder.
- Write the time and date on the container label as the Finish time and date.
- Make sure the label has **all** of the following:
 - o Full first and last name
 - o Healthcare number
 - o Physician name
 - o Start and Finish times and dates
- Please keep the bottle upright in a cool, dark place and deliver bottle and requisition to the laboratory as soon as possible.

John Doe 12345 6700 Dr. Jane Smith (ABC Clinic) Start 9:00am Jan 3 Finish **9:00pm Jan 3**