

Swab Collection Kit – Instruction Manual



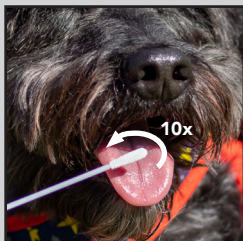
1. Label swab collection tube with the name of the veterinarian and the dog.



2. Wearing gloves, carefully remove the swab from the package, touching only the plastic end of the swab.

Note: Always sample using a dry swab.

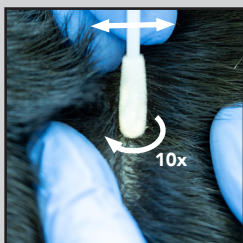
Sampling Examples:



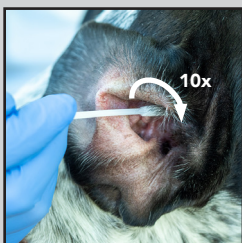
3A. Swab up and down dog's tongue 10x to collect sample.



3B. Stick swab into the dog's feces, twirl, and remove to collect sample. Do not cover the entire tip!



3C. Press the swab directly onto the skin. Maintain moderate pressure while moving/twirling the swab in the area 10 times.



3D. Carefully twirl the swab in the ear canal, pressing gently against sides. Twirl 10 times. Remove without contacting the skin.

Use one swab collection kit for each collection site.

Proceed (Steps 4-9):



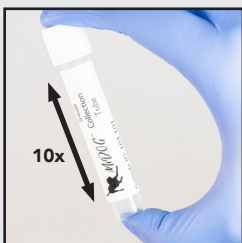
4. Place swab head with sample directly into the solution at the bottom of the swab collection tube.



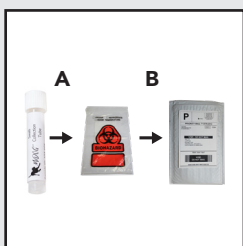
5. Snap off the plastic handle of the swab half-way at the breakpoint. Discard handle.



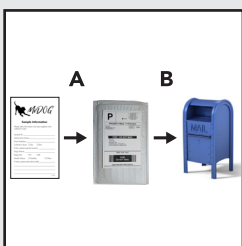
6. Screw the cap securely onto the swab collection tube. Ensure the tube is sealed tightly to prevent leakage.



7. Shake the swab collection tube 10 times to fully cover the swab with solution.



8. (A) Place collection tube into the biohazard bag. (B) Place the biohazard bag into the prepaid envelope.



9. (A) Fill out the MiDOG™ Sample Information Sheet and add to prepaid envelope. (B) Mail the package via U.S. Postal Service within 1

year of sample collection. Your MiDOG™ Report will be sent to the email address you provide within 5 business days after the sample is received.