



Sampling instructions for fecal occult blood test

Caution: Do not open the white cap!

- The stool sample should not come in contact with urine or water in the toilet during sampling. Use for example an empty and clean ice box or an other type of clean container.
- The stool sample must not be taken during menstruation.
- Minimize sampling from the *outside* of the stool.



1. Place the tube vertically on the table with the **green cap up**.

2. Unscrew the green cap with attached collection stick.

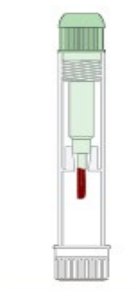
3. Insert the collection stick into the sample and draw the stick crosswise.
Only the deep grooves of the collection stick should be covered.
Do not apply too much sample (see figure below).



Right volume



Too much



4. Replace the green cap onto the tube and tighten it. Shake the tube carefully. The tube can be stored at room temperature until delivery. The tube should be delivered to the laboratory as soon as possible, latest within 3 days.