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INSTRUCTIONS, SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION FORM AND REQUISITION FOR SEMEN ANALYSIS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COLLECTING A SEMEN SAMPLE:

- 1. A written doctor's order (requisition) is required for semen analysis. The area shaded below will serve as a physician's order if signed.
- 2. Call for an appointment in Bryn Mawr (M-F) 484-380-4863 Paoli (M, T, TH, F) 610-993-8200 or Reading (M-F) 484-258-2880. Semen specimens are accepted by appointment only.
- Have an ejaculation 2 to 7 days before your appointment and then not again until you produce a semen sample for your appointment.
 Longer or shorter periods of abstinence may result in abnormal results.
- 4. Bring this **form** with you to your appointment along with **Photo ID** and **insurance card**.
- 5. Prior approval of medical insurance or payment for the testing procedure is required at the time of appointment.
- 6. The specimen must be collected in a sterile specimen container provided by your doctor or the laboratory. Label the side of the specimen container with male patient last and first name and date of birth. Do not use a bottle or jar from home as it may be contaminated. Wash/dry hands prior to semen collection.
- The semen specimen should be collected by masturbation. Avoid touching the inside of the cup. If any specimen is spilled, DO NOT
 attempt to transfer it to the cup.
- 8. Do not collect the specimen in a condom, as these contain spermicidal agents that will alter the results of the analysis. If you need a non-toxic condom for specimen collection, contact the andrology lab to obtain one.
- 9. After collecting the specimen, put the lid on cup tightly and be sure male's name and date of birth is on the side of cup. Place cup in biohazard bag and seal. This form must be completed before your sample to be accepted by the lab.
- 10. If the semen sample is produced offsite, bring the specimen to the laboratory within one hour after collection. Do not expose the specimen to extremes of temperature. Keep specimen close to body temperature by transporting close to the body (not in a purse or paper bag). Unacceptable specimens will be rejected and a new specimen requested.
- 11. If you (the male patient) are not personally dropping off the specimen, you will need to be available via Facetime, Skype or real time imaging software to show your photo ID to the lab personnel to confirm the semen specimen is yours. If verification cannot be made, the semen specimen must be rejected.
- 12. Allow at least 2 working days for the results to be sent to your doctor.

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION FORM	<u>// (</u> Male patient please f	ill out this section):	Collection Date:
Male Last Name:	P	artner Name:	
Male First Name:			
Male SS # (Last 4 Digits):	Male DOB:	Phone #	Ok to leave msg? yes/no
I was abstinent (did not ejaculate)	for days b	efore producing the	present sample.
Do you use tobacco products? <u>yes</u>	<u>/no</u> Do you have a va	aricocele? <u>yes/no</u> , aı	nd if so, has it been repaired? yes/no/NA
Have you had a temperature over	100° F for longer than	24 hours in the last	3 months?
List any prescription or over-the-co	ounter medications ta	ken in the last 3 mon	ths:
Time specimen collected:	AM/PM. Was th	nere any spillage (dio	you lose any of the ejaculate)?
			IVF/IUI TO ATTEMPT PREGNANCY n of female partner to attempt pregnancy)
I confirm that this is my semen sa	mple:		
		Male Patient Sig	
<u> REQUISITION – PHYSICIAN'S ORDI</u>	R to be completed by	Ordering Physician	

octor Signature:		
Check all that apply	CPT Code	Test
	89320	Complete Semen Analysis: Concentration, Motility & Morphology
	89310	Concentration & Motility Only
	89259	Semen Cryopreservation
	89261	Sperm Isolation Complex
		Other (specify):