Specimen Collection & Handling Instructions

COLLECTION OF URINE FOR UROBILINOGEN

Collect 20-30 mL of freshly voided urine into a clean container. A first morning specimen is preferred; however, a random urine sample is acceptable.

The specimen should be immediately transferred to an amber tube or covered with aluminum foil and refrigerated. Exposure to light will degrade the specimen. The specimen will remain stable for up to 2 hours.

If specimen cannot be tested within 2 hours, store at -20°C and ship frozen.

