

# MC&S Faecal Collection

## Patient Information

Your Doctor has asked you to collect a faecal specimen for Pathology testing.



Open **brown topped container**.

Use the lid scoop to place a small amount (walnut-size) of faeces in the container provided. (Do not allow any urine to mix into the stool sample as this can cause contamination).

Screw lid tightly on container.

Write your name, date of birth and **date and time** of the collection on the container.

Take the container and your request form to an Austin Pathology Collection Centre as soon as possible. If sample cannot be taken immediately, store in refrigerator. Sample must be taken to a collection center on the **same day** as collection.

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