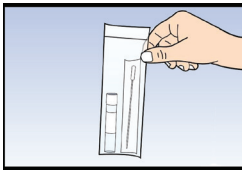
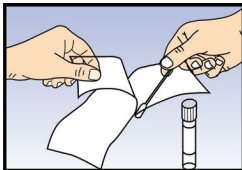


Swab Collection and Total Nucleic Acid Preservation System


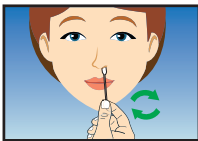

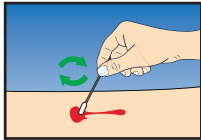


Donor Procedure

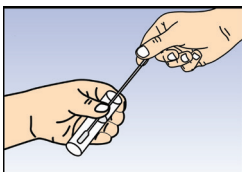


- 1 Open recloseable bag. Remove the individually wrapped swab and the preservative tube.

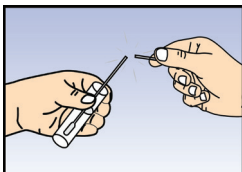


- 2 Peel open the swab wrapper and remove the swab. **Do not touch the swab tip.** Collect the specimen using the swab collection guidelines in the provided Donor Flowchart.

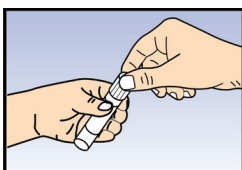
<p>A Buccal/Cheek</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab in cheek pouch, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much saliva/buccal cells as possible. Collect from other points within the mouth as well.</p>	<p>B Nasal</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab in a nostril, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much nasal cells as possible. Collect from both nostrils if necessary.</p>	<p>C Surface/Skin</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab on the surface/skin, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much material as possible.</p>
<p>D Blood</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab on the area with blood, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much blood cells as possible.</p>	<p>E Stool/Fecal</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab on the area with stool, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much stool as possible.</p>	<p>F Other</p>  <p>Place the Collection Swab on the area of collection, rotate and move the swab head for 30 seconds to collect as much material as possible.</p>



- 3 Using the appropriate aseptic technique, open the collection tube and insert the swab tip into the vial. **Make sure that the swab is in contact with the solution.**



- 4 Break the swab shaft at the indicated score mark, leaving the swab tip in the collection tube. Discard swab shaft and wrapper.



- 5 Replace the tube cap, securing tightly. Invert several times to mix. Label tube accordingly. The sample is now stable for transport and/or storage prior to DNA and/or RNA purification.