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Dip it right!

Ensure accurate test results by following these critical steps

CLINITEK Status® Analyzer

Sample Handling

- Collect specimen in a clean, dry container.
- Specimens collected at any time of day may be used.
- Test fresh sample within two hours of collection. Refrigerate specimen at 2°C to 8°C for up to 72 hours if the testing is not done immediately.
- Refrigerated samples should be brought to room temperature prior to testing.

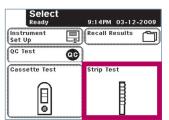
Testing Tips

- Make sure reagent bottles are kept closed and stored appropriately when not in use and within the expiry date on the bottle.
- Turn table insert so reagent strip holder is facing upwards.
- Be sure test table and table insert are clean.
- Dip the reagent strip into the urine sample, wetting all pads.
- Immediately remove the strip from the urine dragging the side of the strip along the rim of the tube.
- Blot the side of the strip to remove excess urine.

Reviewing Results

- Abnormal results marked by "*"
- Multistix with ID bands enables automatic checks (auto-checks) for:
- Sample interference notes if common sample interferences are detected (availability dependent on strip type).†
- Automatic error message if strip is exposed to humidity (only available with test strips that have the leukocyte pad).
- Type of strip, eliminating need for the operator to key in the strip configuration.

[†]Feature not available in the U.S.



ensure strip holder is facing

....Negative 0.2 E.V./dL

When analysis is complete,

the "results" screen will

Touch More to view the

second "results" screen.

be displayed (use image).

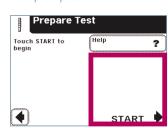
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upwards.

1 Select Strip Test.



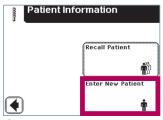
2 Enter the operator ID that you have been assigned, if prompted.



5 Touch START on the "Prepare Test" screen, and complete Step 6 in eight seconds.



8 Once the test is finished, the results are automatically printed and/or sent to the EMR/LIS.



3 Enter the patient information in line with your institution's policy, if prompted.



6 Place reagent strip in channel of table with test pads facing up – slide or push strip to end of channel do not touch the reagent pads on the test strip.

Refer to reagent package insert for product limitations, interferences, storage and expiration date. Do not use a reagent strip past the expiration date.

If error occurs, follow screen prompts or consult the Clinitek Status Operator's

For questions or comments, call (877) 229-3711.

CLINITEST® hCG

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Testing Tips

To avoid errors:

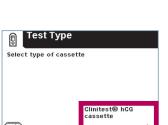
- Use only pipette provided with each cassette pack to ensure proper volume of 200 µL is dispensed.
- Do not overfill sample well with more than one pipette stem of sample.
- Do not empty the overflow reservoir. It is normal for excess sample to remain in overflow reservoir.
- Do not add sample to the sample well until after you press the START button.
- Visibly bloody or highly colored samples should not be tested.

Results Interpretation

- If a positive result is obtained on an individual where pregnancy is not suspected, repeat the test with another urine sample 24 hours later or confirm with an alternative method.
- If a borderline result is obtained, repeat test in 48–72 hours.
- In acute situations, have a blood sample drawn from the patient and confirm result by a quantitative lab test.



1 Select Cassette Test.



4 Select Clinitest® hCG



7 Draw the sample and completely fill the pipette stem. Any excess sample will go into the overflow reservoir.



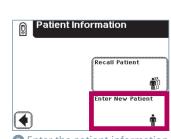
2 Enter the operator ID that you have been assigned, if prompted.



5 Turn test table insert to ensure cassette holder is facing upward. Place an empty cas-



8 Empty only one pipette stem into the sample well. Avoid emptying overflow reservoir. The test table will be automatically drawn into the CLINITEK Status® Analyzer.



3 Enter the patient information in line with your institution's policy, if prompted.



6 Select Start. You will have eight seconds to draw and add sample, as directed in steps 7 and 8.



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