

MOLECULAR DIAGNOSIS CENTRE PROCEDURES & GUIDELINES

Procedure for cervical sample collection for HPV16/18 genotyping

1. Collect both the SurePath vial and the cervix brush from the laboratory.
2. Follow the collection instruction below.
3. Cap the tube tightly, label and seal it in a collection bag and send to the laboratory.

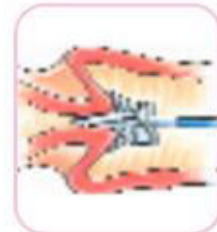


COLLECTION INSTRUCTION

SurePath™ Sample Collection with Broom-Type Device with Detachable Head⁵

1. Collect

Insert the Rovers Cervix-Brush® into the endocervical canal. Rotate brush five times in a clockwise direction.



2. Drop

Drop the detachable head of the device into the SurePath™ vial.



3. Send

Place the cap on the vial and tighten. Send the SurePath™ vial to the lab for processing.



Contraindication: The Cervix-Brush® should not be used on patients after the first 10 weeks of pregnancy.