



TESTING for GONORRHEA



AND

CULTURE SAMPLE

Swab for gonorrhea culture at cervix, urethra, rectal and/or throat sites and place in a StarPlex Modified Amies Clear Transport Tube.

- A small tip swab, wire shaft can be used for the urethra.



AND

URINE SAMPLE

Collect a urine sample for Chlamydia/Gonorrhea NAAT as first catch urine and transfer within 24 hours into an Aptima Urine Specimen Transport Tube (yellow).



OTHER NAAT SWABS

Swab for Chlamydia/Gonorrhea NAAT for other at-risk sites: cervix, rectal, and throat. These swabs are available from the Saskatchewan Disease Control Laboratory (SDCL).

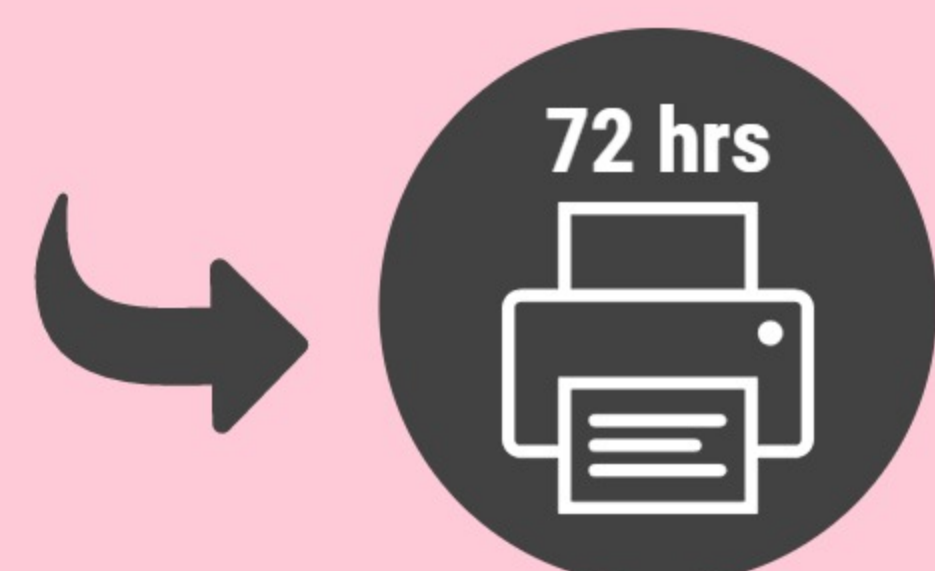
- Cervix - swab using Aptima Unisex Specimen Transfer Tube (white)
- Rectal & Throat - swab using Aptima Vaginal Transport Media Tube (orange)



TREATMENT

Treat all symptomatic clients, positive cases and contacts with publicly-funded cefTRIAxone 250 mg IM and azithromycin 1gm orally.

- Advise no sex for 7 days post treatment.
- Obtain all sexual partner information (name/address/phone number/date of birth) from the case for the previous 60 days:
 - If the case is asymptomatic, use collection date,
 - If the case is symptomatic, use symptom onset date, or
 - If last exposure is greater than 60 days, obtain the last sexual partner.



DON'T FORGET TO REPORT!

Fax Confidential Notification of Sexually Transmitted Infections (CD-66) form when you have a suspect or confirmed case of Chlamydia or Gonorrhea to Population and Public Health (306-655-3433) within 72 hours. Please include all treatment given, risk factors and partner information.