GI Outbreak Specimens—Viral

1. Requesting physician is the resident’s Dr. or NP

2. Copy to Dr. J. Hasselback and the LTC home

3. Collection date and time

4. Resident demographics

5. Include Outbreak # written as: SKHR-20xx-xxx

6. Check Off Norovirus & Rotavirus

7. Use sterile container (pink top)

8. Label specimen with these identifiers:
   - Name
   - DOB
   - HSN

Remember to also collect a C&S stool sample and record on a community requisition.

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