

Darnall Army Community Hospital, Fort Hood, Texas

Department of Pathology & Area Laboratory Services



Care - Quality - Readiness

INSTRUCTIONS PINWORM SPECIMEN COLLECTION

1. Do not powder bottom the night before.
2. Collect specimen when child wakes up in the morning, prior to the child becoming active and the morning bath.
3. Remove the slide from test tube. Observe that the one side is sticky. **Do Not Touch!**
4. Spread the checks around the rectum.
5. Press the sticky side of the slide against the surface around the anal opening several times. **Do Not Put Into Anal Opening!**
6. Do Not Touch the Slide. Place back in the test tube.
7. Label Specimen with Patients: First, Last Names, and the FMP the Full Sponsors Social Security Number (SSN).
8. Return to Laboratory immediately, Monday through Friday, from 0730- to 1630 hours.