# **SafeCollect**<sup>™</sup> Saliva Collection Kit User Instruction Manual

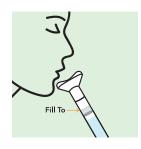


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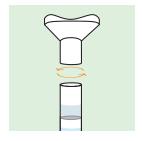
DO NOT eat, drink, smoke, chew gum, or brush your teeth for at least 30 minutes prior to sample collection.



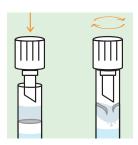
Hold tube vertically and place funnel opening under your mouth.



2 Spit saliva into funnel and repeat until saliva liquid (not foam) reaches fill line.



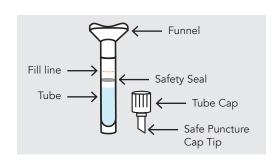
Remove funnel by holding tube vertically and twisting off. Discard funnel.



Close tube with cap by holding tube vertically and pressing and turning cap. Secure tightly.



5 Shake the closed tube vigorously a few times.



## Intended Use

The SafeCollect™ Saliva Collection Kit ensures safe sample collection and sample stability during storage/transport at ambient temperatures without a need for refrigeration or specialized equipment. DNA/RNA Shield™ reagent effectively inactivates pathogens (e.g., virus, bacteria) in collected samples.

#### **Contents**

Each sample collection tube is pre-filled with 2 mL of DNA/RNA Shield™ that preserves nucleic acids in samples at ambient temperature (DNA >1 year; RNA at least 1 month). Samples in DNA/RNA Shield™ can be frozen (-20/-80°C) for prolonged periods.

Each sequestered sample collection tube also includes a funnel and cap with piercing mechanism.

## **WARNING**

FOR EXTERNAL USE ONLY. DO NOT drink, touch or remove the reagent from the vial. SMALL CAP POSES A CHOKING HAZARD.

Storage: 15 - 25°C

# Label Legend

EXP ☐ Collect Sample By

REF ☐ CAT Catalog Number

Manufacturer

Storage Instructions

Harmful

Lot Number

See Instruction Manual

# SafeCollect<sup>™</sup> Saliva Collection Kit



## WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

FOR EXTERNAL USE ONLY.
DO NOT drink, touch or remove the reagent from the vial.

The DNA/RNA Shield $^{\text{M}}$  reagent can be harmful if ingested and may cause irritation if exposed to the skin and eyes.

Avoid skin and eye contact with the liquid in the tube.
IF SWALLOWED: Call a doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If the contents of the tube contact your skin, wash the affected area with soap and water. Notify your healthcare provider if irritation develops. If the contents of the vial are spilled, use a new collection kit.

This product is intended for in vitro diagnostic use.

DO NOT use if the product is visibly damaged.

Avoid mixing the reagent and sodium hypochlorite (bleach) or other strong acids and bases. These mixtures could release noxious gases.

For specifics, consult product Safety Data Sheet (SDS) by contacting Zymo Research Corporation directly.



H302: Harmful if swallowed H315: Causes skin irritation H319: Causes eye irritation





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