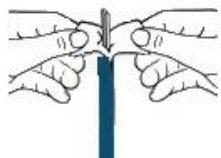


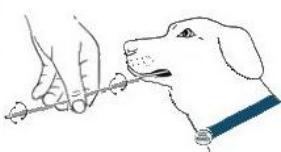
Sampling Instructions

During sampling it is absolutely necessary to follow the instructions correctly. Otherwise we will have problems with testing.

1. It would be best, if you do the sampling in the morning after waking up. ATTENTION: Make sure that the dog did not eat in the night or 1 hour before sampling to avoid food contaminations. Puppies should be separated from the mother 2 hours before taking the sample, because there can also occur contamination with epithelial cells from the mother. In this time the dogs should only drink water.



2. Do NOT throw away the packing of the brush. You need it for sending back the samples.



3. ATTENTION: Do NOT touch the brush at the front side. It is absolutely necessary that the front of the brush is only in contact with the oral mucosa of the dog. The best results are reached by rubbing on the inside of the lip.

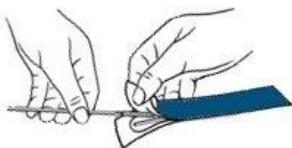
4. Put the brush between upper and under lip and do a rotary movement forward and backwards for at least 45 seconds.

5. If the dog struggles against sampling, please try again for several times with the same brush.

6. Please make sure that there is some oral mucosa on the brush and not only saliva of the dog. If sampling was okay, you won't see residuals on the brush. You will do a correct sampling by a rotary movement forward and backwards at the inside of the lip for at least 45 seconds. Avoid rubbing at the teeth or tongue.

7. If there are traces of blood at the brush, do not care about that. This is no problem for the dog or testing.

8. Repeat the sampling with the second brush.



9. Before placing the brushes back into package, the bushes must be dried for 10 minutes. Please take care that the brushes do NOT contact other objects.

10. Then put the brushes back into package.

11. If you do sampling of many dogs, please take care that the brushes of one dog are in the same cover with the right order form. Risk of mixing up!

12. Please return the package to our lab using the provided etiquette and stamp it sufficiently.

If there are any questions please contact our customer support!

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