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DEPARTMENT OF PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY MEDICINE

INSTRUCTION TO PATIENT FOR SEMEN ANALYSIS
(FERTILITY AND POST-VASECTOMY)

1. Obtain a written request from your doctor. Be sure to bring this with you when you arrive for your appointment.
2. You must call and make an appointment at 301-475-6133; we do not take walk-in patients for this type of test. Post-vasectomy and fertility semen analysis are done Tuesday through Friday from 10am-1pm.
3. Abstain from sexual relations for 72 hours prior to collection.
4. The specimen is to be collected at the main lab.
5. You can contact the Registration Dept to pre-register at 301-475-6023/6024. All patients must register before testing can be performed.
6. It will take about 4 days for your doctor to receive the report. Please do not call the laboratory, as we can give the report only to your doctor.