

QuickVue® Chlamydia Quiz

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1. How often does the manufacturer recommend that external controls be run on the kit?

- a) Once every 20 tests
- b) Once per each new shipment of kits
- c) Every first sample tested each day
- d) With each new lot or shipment of kits, once for each 25-test kit, and as otherwise required by your laboratory's procedures

2. At what temperature do the kits need to be stored?

- a) 2-8°C (refrigerated)
- b) 15-30°C (room temp.)
- c) 2-30°C (refrigerated or room temp.)
- d) -20°C (frozen)

3. What specimen type is used for this test?

- a) Endocervical specimen only
- b) Endocervical and urine specimens
- c) Urine specimens only
- d) Endocervical for females and urethral for males

4. What is the read time for this kit?

- a) 10 minutes
- b) 12 minutes
- c) 15 minutes
- d) 5 minutes

5. Can the test be read after the read time?

- a) No
- b) Yes, up to 10 minutes after the read time
- c) Yes, up to 5 minutes after the read time
- d) Yes, any time after the read time

6. How long can the swab be stored at room temperature or refrigerated prior to testing?

- a) The specimens must be used immediately
- b) 8 hours
- c) 6 hours room temperature; 72 hours refrigerated
- d) 72 hours

7. Can transport media be used with this test?

- a) Yes, only Stuart's Media
- b) Yes, only saline
- c) No, transport media interferes with the test
- d) Yes, only Viral Transport Media

8. How many drops of extracted sample are needed to perform the test?

- a) 5 drops
- b) All of the extracted sample
- c) 3 drops
- d) 4 drops

9. What should be used to collect the specimen?

- a) Any type of swabs
- b) Dacron swabs only
- c) Cotton tipped swabs or a cytology brush
- d) The swabs provided in the kit (rayon tipped) or a cytology brush (not provided)

10. Why are two swabs provided in each tube of the kit?

- a) The first swab is used to remove excess mucus from the exocervix and the second swab is used to collect the endocervical sample
- b) Extra swab is provided if needed to collect another sample
- c) To collect two endocervical samples and send one swab to the lab and use the other swab to run this test
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