

# SCHISTOSOMIASIS FAECES SPECIMEN PATIENT INFORMATION SHEET

It is important to follow these instructions carefully to ensure your test results are accurate.

## Preparation:

This test is to investigate the presence of the Schistosoma blood fluke (parasite).

Specimen containers are supplied by the laboratory.

## Collection Procedure:

- 1) You are required to collect 3 separate faeces specimens. At least 1/3 container for each collect. Deliver each specimen to the laboratory on the day of collection.

***Your results can only be obtained from the requesting doctor***

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