# How to collect a saliva sample - Biron PGx

# **Biron B**

## Instructions

Before taking collecting a saliva sample, you must activate the kit.



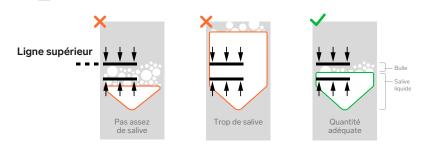
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Ensure that the patient did not drink, eat, smoke or chew gum 30 minutes prior to collection. The tube should contain only clear saliva.

Have the patient spit into the funnel of the tube until the saliva reaches or slightly exceeds the top line. Collect 1 mL of clear saliva, which can be collected in several saliva collections.



Close the lid of the funnel. The blue stabilizing liquid in the funnel will mix with the saliva. The mixture should not exceed 3/4 of the tube.

Unscrew the funnel and screw on the small cap provided. Stir the tube for about 5 seconds. Discard the funnel.

Write the patient's name on the label provided (on the activation card in the kit) and stick it on the tube without hiding its number.



### Place in the prepaid envelope:

**The saliva tube +The requisition form signed by the doctor** Seal and drop the envelope in a mailbox or at a post office.



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#### For assistance

**contact** the Biron Genetics team at <u>pgxinfo@biron.com</u> or at 1-866-923-9222 #8723.

An **email and fax notification** will be sent once the report is available online. It takes about 5 working days, after receipt of the sample, to get the results.