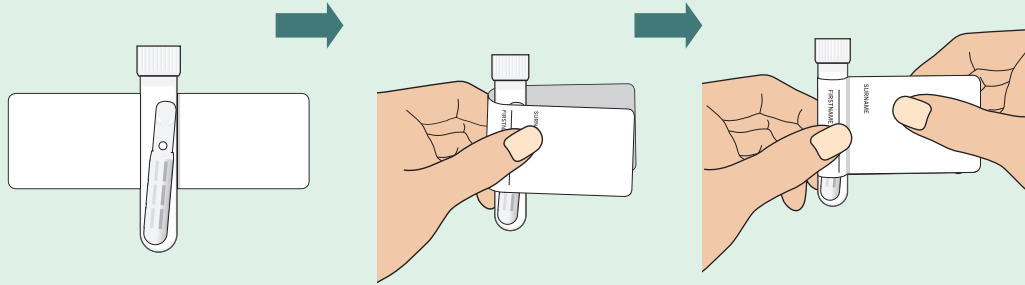


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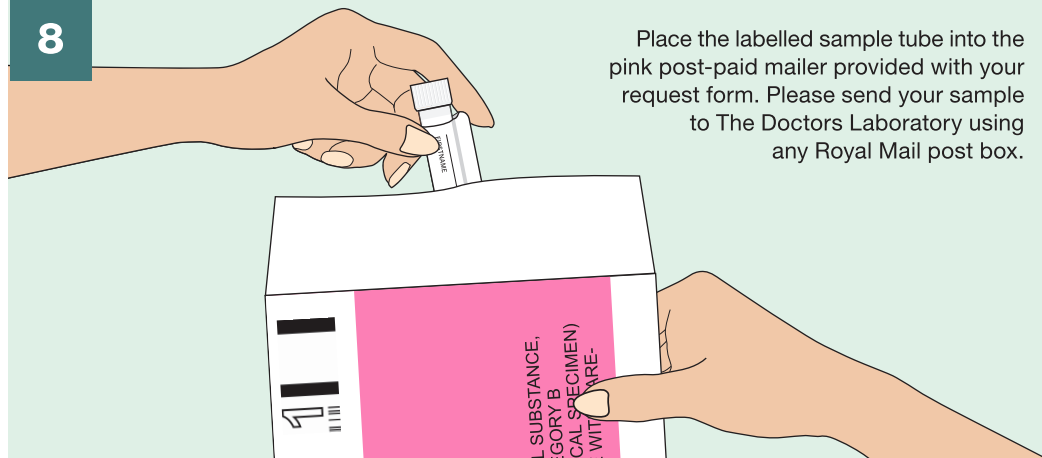
Make sure your sample is labelled with your details using the label supplied in your pack. This is very important as unlabelled samples cannot be processed.

Affix the label by placing the sample tube in the middle of the label and wrapping the label around the shaft as shown below.



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Place the labelled sample tube into the pink post-paid mailer provided with your request form. Please send your sample to The Doctors Laboratory using any Royal Mail post box.



If you need assistance please contact our client services team at CSM@Check4Cancer.com or telephone: 0808 208 4077

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SELF-COLLECTION HPV SAMPLE

Sample Collection Instructions

Please read these instructions the whole way through before attempting to collect your sample.

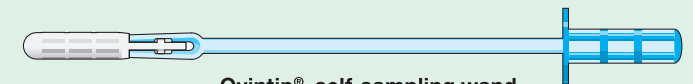
Clearly complete the Name Label using a ball point pen with:

- Your surname
- Your first name
- Your date of birth
- Date of sample collection

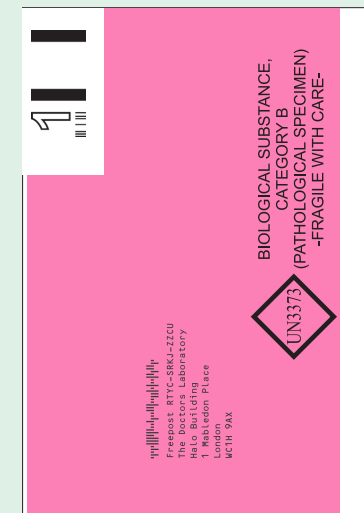
Your sample collection pack contents



Your name label



Qvintip® self-sampling wand



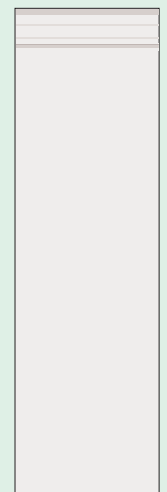
Self addressed, post paid mailer



Sample tube with cap

Request Form	
First Name	_____
Surname	_____
DOB	_____
Sex	_____
EXAMPLE	

Request form



Plastic sample bag

Self-sampling step-by-step

Before use, check that the product is intact (blue and white self-sampling wand, sample tube with cap, pink post-paid mailer). The self-sampling wand should be handled with care and only according to these instructions. Hold the wand straight when taking it in and out of your vagina. You can take your test in a standing or lying position. Don't collect a sample during your period. Sampling can be carried out during the first three months of pregnancy.

General Information

An infection with human papilloma virus (HPV) could potentially lead to cervical cancer. Your sample will be tested for prevalence of high-risk HPV. Your request will be handled confidentially.

Negative results

If the results are negative and the test shows no high-risk HPV, it means there is currently very little risk of cervical cancer. Please note that you might be infected at a later stage. HPV is sexually transmitted.

Positive results

If the results are positive, it means you have an infection with high risk subtypes. We telephone all clients with an abnormal test result in advance of receiving their letter to explain their options and reduce any anxiety.

PLEASE NOTE – FOR EASY SELF SAMPLING

- Please note that the self-sampling wand is intended for **single use only**. The self-sampling wand should be handled with care and **only according to these instructions**.
- The white tip of the wand **must not be bent or removed** before self-sampling.
- To ensure correct results, the sample must **immediately be sent in by post** after taking.

