

Quick Guide to Number of Swabs to Collect

Site	# of Swabs	Timeframe
Oral	4 dry	24 hours
Skin	2 per site lightly moistened	48-72 hours
Perineum	4 lightly moistened	120 hours
Vagina	4 dry	120-240 hours
Cervical os	2 dry	120-240 hours
Fingernails	1 per hand lightly moistened	120 hours
Perianal	4 lightly moistened	120 hours
Rectal	4 lightly moistened	48 hours
Penis	2 lightly moistened	48-72 hours
Scrotum	2 lightly moistened	48-72 hours