

## URINE FOR RESEARCH OF HAEMATOBIUM SCHISTOSOMA (bilharziasis)

## MATERIAL NEEDED FOR COLLECTION

No. 3 sterile, wide-opening, screw-top containers with suction probe provided by the Collection Center or available for purchase at the pharmacy.



## **DIRECTIONS AND METHOD OF COLLECTION**

Specimen collection must take place at the Collection Center between 11:30 am and 12:30 pm, without having urinated for at least 3 hours.

Before sample collection, the patient will be asked to climb a flight of stairs or do some knee bending or jumping.

He/she should then collect urine in the three jars by dividing the urination as follows:

1st jar: collection of the first micturition

2nd jar: collection of the middle micturition

3rd jar: collection of the last part of the micturition.

In total, about 50 mL of urine should be collected.