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Blood Lancing Device Instructions

Tasso+ and Tasso Mini are sterile, disposable blood lancing devices. When collecting a sample, the device is held onto the skin by a mild adhesive. A sterile lancet punctures the skin with a press of the button, simultaneously this creates a slight vacuum that helps capillary blood flow under gravity into a compatible tube. After a predefined time period, or when the tube is full, the device is peeled off the skin. The tube is removed and capped for transport. The lancet is single use and automatically retracts into the device in a safe position after use.

Questions or Need Support?

Watch our instructional video:
www.tassoinc.com/tassoplus-video
or scan the QR code to access.



Contact us for help:
1-800-257-2370

Materials Provided

- Tasso blood lancing device (FDA 510(k) – cleared)
- Gloves (for healthcare providers)
- Compatible tube, refer to manufacturer's labeling
- Heat pack or other arm warming method
- Bandage
- Alcohol swab

Additional Supplies

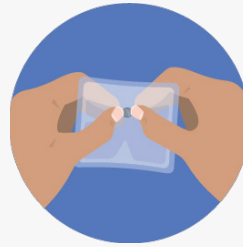
Razor- Shaving excess arm hair will improve the chances of a successful collection.

1 Prepare



Step 1

Wash hands before use. Healthcare workers must wear gloves during collection.



Step 6

Follow heat pack instructions to activate. If pack is not available, use other warming method such as hand.



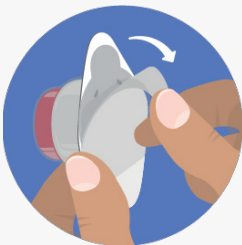
Step 2

Device will be placed on upper arm — for best results remove any excess hair.



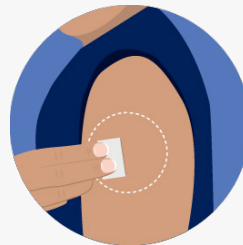
Step 7

Rub heat pack or hand up and down shoulder for 2 minutes to warm and increase blood flow.



Step 3

Collect all needed items. Remove device from tray. Your device might be a different color than shown.



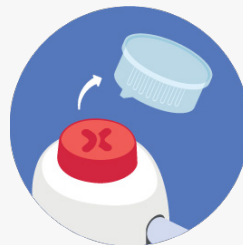
Step 8

Clean area with alcohol pad and allow to dry.



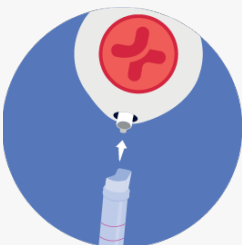
Step 4

Twist off cap from compatible tube.



Step 9

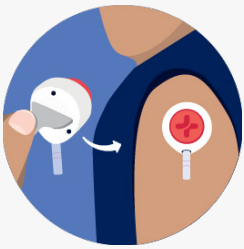
Remove clear cover from button.



Step 5

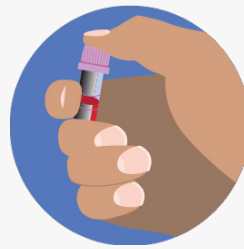
Press tube into device until snug with fill lines facing out.

2 Collect



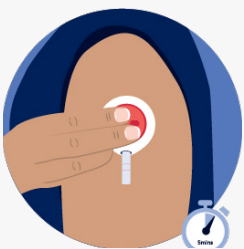
Step 10

Peel tab away from device and stick device to upper arm. Hang arm straight down at side.



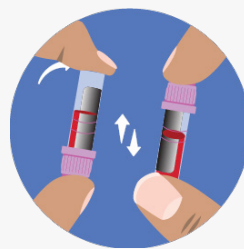
Step 15

Snap cap fully onto tube.



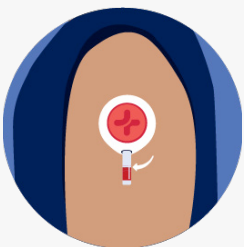
Step 11

Press button all the way down ONCE and release. Set timer for 5 minutes. Watch tube fill using mirror as needed.



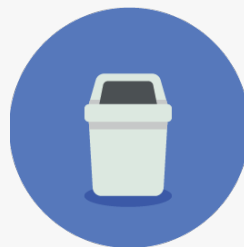
Step 16

Invert tube per manufacturer labeling.



Step 12

Blood may not appear for first 1–2 minutes. Remove device at 5 total minutes or sooner if blood reaches top line before 5 minutes.



Step 17

Follow local guidelines for discarding all materials.



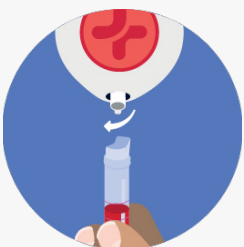
Step 13

Remove device by peeling from one side. Apply supplied bandage vertically and add slight pressure.



Step 18

Wash hands after use.



Step 14

Remove tube from device with a slight twist and pull down.

3 Shipping

Pack your collected blood sample into the provided box and seal it with the adhesive strip. Mail it back ASAP (ideally within 24 hrs) via the pre-paid UPS label

Important

Warnings

Not intended for more than one use. Do not use on more than one patient. Improper use of blood lancets can increase the risk of inadvertent transmission of bloodborne pathogens, particularly in settings where multiple patients are tested.

Precautions

- For use only on a single patient. Discard the entire device after use.
- Do not use after expiration date.
- Single use only.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Not for use on infant heels.
- Do not resterilize.
- For external use only.
- Prescription use only.
- Do not use if device packaging has been opened or damaged.
- Use while seated as fainting may occur with any blood sampling procedure.
- Refer to manufacturer's instructions for individual components.
- Users must validate use of product for their specific diagnostic assay.
- Use personal protective equipment when handling biohazardous materials.
- Minor bruising, residual marks, or scarring may occur at the sample collection site.
- Note: The occurrence and severity of these events depend on patient physiological characteristics and chosen anatomic site.
- Multiple collections from the same anatomic location may increase the risk of residual marks or scarring and may impact the healing process.
- Do not perform collections on an area that shows evidence of skin issues such as infection, inflammation, extensive scarring, or broken skin.
- Patients taking blood thinners may experience prolonged bleeding.

Disposal

Follow local guidelines for discarding used sharps as a biohazard material.