

BAG

REMOVE COVERING STRIP

FOLD TOP OVER TO SEAL

Postal packaging instructions for faecal samples

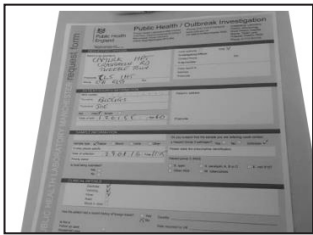
1. Place the faeces specimen inside the blue-capped sterile universal container. 5 to 10ml of sample is required for testing. Ensure the lid is securely closed.
2. Please ensure that you complete the label on the sample container clearly with the patients first name, surname, date of birth, date and time the specimen was taken.



3. Place the sealed faeces pot into the white plastic transport container along with the absorbent pad and ensure the black 'O' ring is in place before securely fastening the lid.



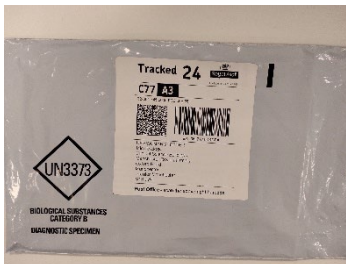
4. Complete the request form clearly and as fully as possible (including the ILog number if part of an outbreak).



5. Place this white container into the bag on the back of the form. Remove the brown/orange strip to fold and seal the bag.



6. Place in the outer Royal Mail tracked 24 envelope (UN3373) and seal closed.



7. Package does **not** require taking to the post office branch.
Place package in the nearest Royal Mail post box.

