

## Bacterial vaginosis/vaginitis panel



Detect the three primary causes of vaginal infections in one simple test

*Trichomonas vaginalis*, *Gardnerella vaginalis* and *Candida* species. These pathogens cause up to 90 percent of all vaginal infections.<sup>1</sup> By testing for all three with one bacterial vaginosis/vaginitis panel, you can quickly identify the pathogen causing an infection—so you can prescribe a more effective treatment.

### Fast facts about the panel:

- Specific and sensitive.
- Detects the difference between normal flora and significant levels of pathogen.
- Next day turnaround time.
- Unlike wet mount tests, the panel identifies the mixed infections that account for a quarter of all vaginal infections.

### Don't let an infection go untreated.

Repeat office visits mean more time looking for the cause of an infection and less time that could be spent in treatment. The bacterial vaginosis/vaginitis panel provides results quickly, so you can reduce the risk of:

- First trimester miscarriages.
- Preterm low-birth-weight babies.
- Infections following gynecological surgery.
- Intra-amniotic infections (chorioamnionitis).
- PID and endometritis.

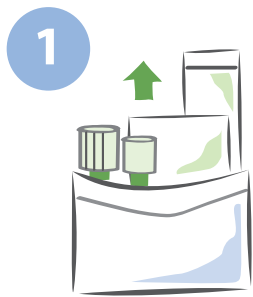


### The Bacterial Vaginosis/Vaginitis Panel is highly sensitive and specific<sup>1</sup>

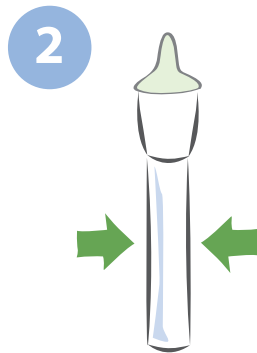
Pathogen	Sensitivity	Specificity
Trichomonas	92%	99.7%
G. vaginalis	95%	100%
Candida	82%	98.4%

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## BD Affirm VP111™ Ambient Temperature Transport System Specimen collection in seven simple steps



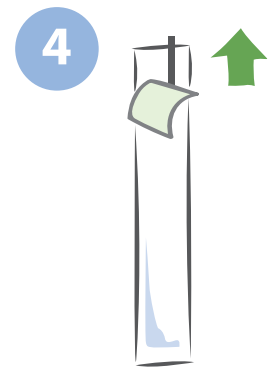
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Open seal and  
remove components  
and dropper



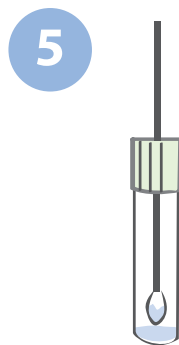
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Break ampule



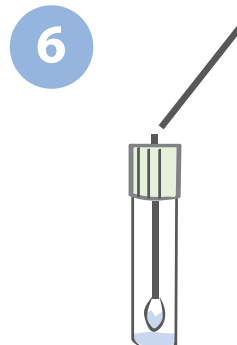
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Dispense into tube



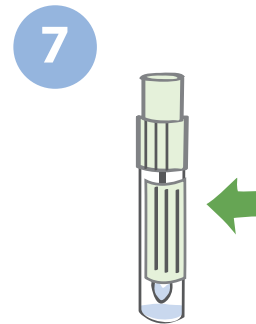
4  
Peel to remove swab



5  
Collect sample from  
patient and place in tube



6  
Break the shaft at  
score line



7  
Close cap firmly and  
place patient label on tube

\*The CPT codes provided are based on AMA guidelines and are for informational purposes only. CPT coding is the sole responsibility of the billing party. Please direct any questions regarding coding to the payer being billed.

For additional information on the  
vaginosis/vaginitis panel, call 1-877-803-1010.

<sup>1</sup>Brown HL, Fuller DD, Jasper LT, Davis, TE and Wright, JD. Clinical evaluation of Affirm™ VP111 in the detection and identification of *Trichomonas vaginalis*, *Gardnerella vaginalis*, and *Candida* species in vaginitis/vaginosis. *Infect Dis Obstet Gynecol.* 2004; 12:17-21.