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Aptima<sup>®</sup> Multitest Swab

# Vaginal swab is the CDC's preferred collection method.

For Chlamydia and Gonorrhea:

"For female screening, specimens obtained with a vaginal swab are the preferred specimen type. Vaginal swab specimens are as sensitive as cervical swab specimens and there is no difference in specificity."<sup>1</sup> CDC Recommendations and Report, 2014

> "Self-collected vaginal swab specimens are equivalent in sensitivity and specificity to those collected by a clinician using NAATs, and women find this screening strategy highly acceptable."<sup>3</sup>

> > CDC STD Treatment Guidelines, 2015

Improve the patient experience with one easy collection method.



Found self-collection easy<sup>2</sup>



Preferred over pelvic exam<sup>2</sup>



Preferred over urine sample<sup>2</sup>

**Aptima**<sup>®</sup>

## Aptima<sup>®</sup> Multitest Swab Collection Kit

#### **Flexibility**

Can be used to collect samples from a variety of specimen collection sites:\*4

- Vaginal
- Throat
- Rectal
- Penile meatal
- Genital lesion for HSV

#### Versatility: One vaginal sample

Detection of up to 7 infections and disease states with just one swab sample:<sup>5-8</sup>

- Chlamydia
- Gonorrhea
- Mycoplasma genitalium
- Trichomonas vaginalis
- Candida species
- C. glabrata
- Bacterial vaginosis

#### Convenience

- Decrease patient callbacks for re-collection when reflex or add-on testing is ordered.
- A single swab simplifies sample collection and streamlines office inventory.

#### **FDA-Cleared Assays**

Aptima Combo 2® Assay (CT/NG) Aptima® Mycoplasma genitalium Assay Aptima® Trichomonas vaginalis Assay Aptima® HSV 1 & 2 Assay Aptima® BV Assay Aptima® CV/TV Assay

### Simplify testing for sexual and vaginal health with the Aptima® Multitest Swab.

\*The label includes a line for specimen source to identify the site of the patient sample.

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