Patient Guide



DetoxiGenomic Profile #5001 Methylation Genomics #3542

A-La-Carte SNPs

GSTPT #5101 COMT #5102 SOD2 #5101 GSTM1 #5104 TNFA #5106 VDR #5109 MTHFR (C677T) #5110 MTHFR Combined (A1298C + C677T) #5111 APO E #5112

BEFORE YOU BEGIN Activate This Test

Visit **gdx.net/activate** and enter the number found on the included activation label card.



STEP 1 Plan Your Collection

Use a calendar to plan your specimen collection. Ship Monday thru Friday and avoid US holidays which may cause delays.

Night before Collection

Use your normal nightly routine of brushing and flossing of teeth, but do not use mouthwash.

Morning of Collection

Do not eat, brush or floss your teeth, use mouthwash, chew gum or use any tobacco, or coffee products. You may drink ONLY water before specimen collection. Just prior to collection, wash hands completely with hand soap.

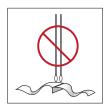
STEP 2 Specimen Collection

- Review instructions and test prep information at gdx.net/activate.
- Write your date of birth (DOB) and the date of collection on the labels provided. Attach a completed label to the collection envelope.

Collect Swab

- Peel open the cotton tipped applicators just enough to remove the cotton swabs. Leave the package intact so that the swabs can be reinserted after collection.
- 2. **Remove** one cotton swab applicator. **Do not touch** the cotton tip.
- Open your mouth and aggressively scrape the inside of your cheek with the cotton swab using a back and forth, and up and down motion for at least 30 seconds. Rotate the applicator several times, and swab between the cheek and gums. Avoid excessive saliva.
- 4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 with the second swab.
- Allow swab applicators to **air dry** for 15-20 minutes. **Return** them, swab first, to the applicator package. **Seal** package inside the paper envelope.









STEP 3 Return Collection Pack

- Confirm that the envelope has a completed label attached with date of birth and the date of collection.
- 2. Visit **gdx.net/activate** to enter the date of your final collection and receive your **confirmation code**. Write the date of collection and your confirmation code on the **activation label card**.
- 3. Adhere the FedEx shipping label to the envelope. Follow the shipping instructions provided.





Additional resources are available online. Visit **gdx.net/activate** and enter your requisition number.

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