Scripted Statements and Protocol For Specimen Collections

- Positively identify the donor prior to conducting the collection:
 "Can I see your photo ID, please?"
- 2. Explain the test process while showing the CCF and the instructions for filling out a urine CCF:

"Your employer has asked us to conduct a specimen collection on you today. This is the form where we will document the process; you will receive a copy when you are finished. These* are the instructions for completing the form. If you like, you may read them or take a copy home with you."

- * Point out the instructions. The instructions used to be on the back of copy 5. They are no longer on the new CCFs. AlcoPro has provided a one-page download of the instructions that you can print and laminate or turn into a poster.
- 3. Complete step 1 on the CCF.
- Ask the donor to empty his/her pockets and, if applicable, to remove any outer clothing:
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"Please place everything in your pockets on the counter."

- 5. Instruct the donor to wash their hands:"Please wash your hands and make sure you include your wrists too."
- 6. Allow the donor to select the collection kit:"Please choose one of the collection kits. Notice that the kit is not busted, broken or tampered with in any way."
- 7. Explain the collection requirements:
 "DOT requires a minimum of 45 ml. Please bring the specimen to me when you are finished and do not flush the toilet."
 AlcoPro recommends the collector instruct the donor to present the specimen to the collector within 4 minutes of the donor entering the restroom.
- 8. Donor brings back specimen. Collector checks specimen for temperature, volume and signs of tampering and completes step 2 on CCF.
- 9. Collector separates the specimen into the vials (bottle A 30ml, bottle B 15ml), applies seals and dates the seals. Then hands vials to donor: "Please initial both seals."

Collector and donor verify together that ID number on seals and CCF match.

10. Once the donor has initialed the seals:"You may place everything back into your pocket and wash your hands."

11. Instruct the donor to complete step 5 of copy 2. It is a good practice for the collector to read the statement at the top of step 5 to the donor.

"Next, please read this statement. Once you have finished reading it, you need to print your name and provide a signature. Also, you will need to write today's date and your date of birth. Finally, you will need to provide an e-mail address and daytime and nighttime phone numbers. If you do not have another phone number, then you may write a family member's phone number, your employer's phone number or you may write your phone again. "

- 12. The collector completes step 4: prints and signs name, enters date and time of collection, and enters courier information.
- 13. Collector double-checks paperwork!!
- 14. Collector secures copy 1 and two specimen bottles in leak resistant plastic bag.
- 15. Collector hands copy 5 to donor:"This is your copy of the Custody and Control Form. Do you have any questions?"
- 16. At this time the Collector may dismiss the donor. If the donor inquires about their medications, the collector should state:"You may write any of your medications on the back of your copy."
- 17. Collector distributes remaining copies:
 - a. MRO copy (copy 2)
 - b. Employer copy (copy 4)
 - c. Collector copy (copy 3)