

Test and Treat Today!™

Group A Streptococcus, or Group A Strep, is a bacterium commonly found in the throat or on the skin. The bacteria can cause a range of infections from relatively mild sore throats and skin infections, to life threatening invasive disease. Group A infections can usually be treated with antibiotics and are spread by direct person to person contact.

The QuickVue Dipstick Strep A test is intended for the rapid qualitative detection of Group A Streptococcal antigen

from throat swabs or confirmation of presumptive Group A Streptococcal colonies recovered from culture.

The Dipstick format allows for an "off-line" extraction while maintaining its simplistic procedure, allowing the test to be granted CLIA-waiver. The two-colored endpoint

and accuracy at the low levels of colony count make the QuickVue Dipstick Strep A test one of the most accurate and cost effective tests on the market today.

Rapid Diagnosis and Treatment

- Results in 5 minutes, or less.
- Patients can be tested and treated in the same office visit.
- CLIA waived

Easy to Use

- Dipstick format.
- Two-color endpoint for easy to read and interpret results.

Excellent Performance

- 92% sensitivity; 98% specificity
- 95% overall agreement.
- · High sensitivity at low levels of colony count.

Convenient

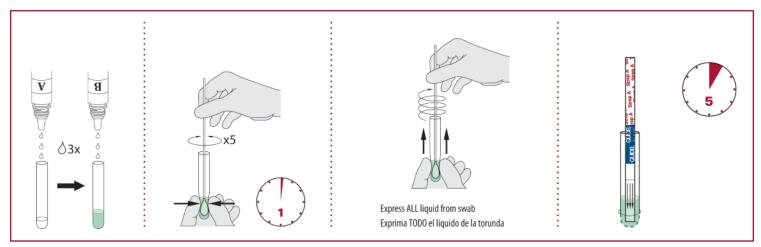
- All components necessary to perform test are contained in kit.
- Room temperature storage (24 months from date of manufacture).
- Built-in Positive and Negative controls confirm the test has performed properly.
- Positive and Negative external controls provided in the kit.
- Individually packaged for convenient single-use testing and disposal.



For more information on QuickVue Dipstick Strep A test kits, visit our website or call your Quidel Account Manager at 1.800.874.1517 (U.S. only), or 858.552.1100 (outside U.S.).

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Procedure:



Refer to package insert for complete instructions.





To order: Call your Quidel Account Manager or your local distributor.

QuickVue Dipstick Strep A – 50 Test Kit: Catalog #20108 QuickVue Dipstick Strep A – 25 Test Kit Catalog #20125 (for sale outside the U.S. only)



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