

Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland

ROBERT GEORGE BAPTIE
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If preferred this sample can be handed into your GP Surgery, rather than posting it in any Royal Mail post box. Please still use the envelope provided

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484-246-2183

Dear ROBERT GEORGE BAPTIE

Your GP has asked that you have more tests about your bowel problem including a test to rule out cancer.

To help your GP decide what investigations are best for you, you now need to take a small sample of your bowel motion (poo) using the enclosed test kit. The instructions explain how to do this easily.

This test kit checks for small amounts of blood in your poo not visible to the naked eye (this can be a sign of cancer or inflammation in your bowel). If blood is found, you will need prompt investigation. If this does happen please try not to worry too much as there could be a number of reasons for it. The sooner decisions are made, the sooner further testing or treatments can start.

1. Please read the instruction leaflet thoroughly and check the test kit has your name on it before you collect your sample.
2. Write the date you took the sample on the tube.

Please make sure you post it back to us in the envelope provided, within 2 days of receiving the test and completing the sample.

If the results show that you need further tests, your GP will contact you. Alternatively you can contact your GP surgery – please do not contact earlier than 10 days after posting your sample.

If you have any questions about collecting the sample please contact your GP surgery.

Thank you for following this advice and taking a positive step to looking after your personal health.

Yours sincerely,

Colorectal (bowel) Service

Please see overleaf for details on how to complete your kit