

Instructions for DNA Sample Collection



Use a clean comb or brush to remove any foreign material from the tail switch.

Wrap strands of hair around finger.

Grasp the tail close to the base of the tail and give a sharp pull. Inspect the hair to ensure the hair roots are attached.

Approximately 20 strands of hair with roots are required

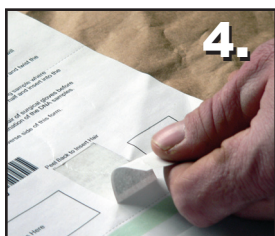
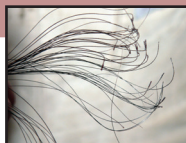


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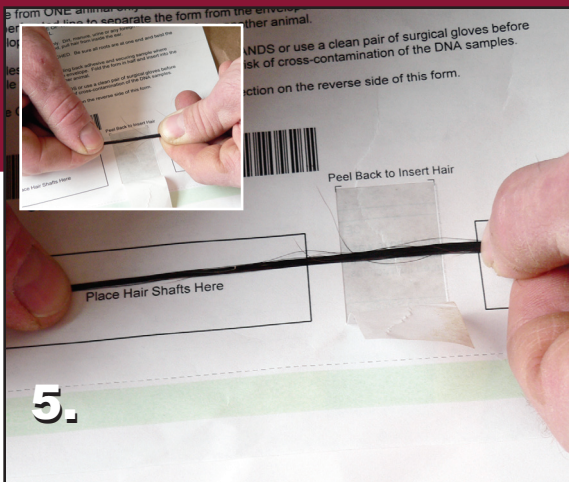
The sample must contain hair roots.

DO NOT try to collect a sample if the tail is wet.

DO NOT use scissors to clip the hairs.



Peel back the label on the collection form.

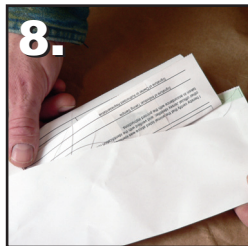


Twist the hair slightly. Place the sample close to the bottom of the label with the roots to the right.

Replace the label, pushing down firmly. Fold the left side of the form at the perforation.



Fold the form in half, with the hair on the inside, put the sample into the pre-addressed envelope attached to the bottom of the form, add postage and mail to the designated laboratory.



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