

### **How to collect a urine sample from your pet:**

The best sample is from the first urination of the morning. You can use a shallow plastic container or ladle to collect the sample. Urine collection kits are available at no charge.

Allow the urine stream to start before placing container under urine stream to prevent contamination.

Keep the urine sample in a sealed and clean container.

We need approximately 1 tablespoon of urine to run the sample.

Sample can be dropped off up to 4 hrs after collection. Please refrigerate the sample if it will be longer than 1 hour before you will be able to drop it off.

-Exception if we are checking the urine for crystals. Urine should be less than 2 hours old and DO NOT Refrigerate

**\*\* Please drop off samples no later than 5PM Monday- Friday or Saturdays by 11 AM**