

## Collection for Lung Function Test / Spirometry



### Special Requirements

- An appointment is necessary which will be made either late morning or early afternoon Monday to Friday.
- If you use an inhaler, avoid using it for four hours prior to the test.
- You will need to bring your inhaler with you on the appointed date.
- Avoid eating a heavy meal prior to the appointment.
- The test may take from 30-60 minutes to perform. You will be asked to breathe into a tube which is attached to a machine that measures your lung capacity.
- A fee will be sent to you for the amount of \$25. You will not be able to claim this fee back from Medicare.
- This test is done at a limited number of collection centres.