

# Test kit: Parasites

ORY ANALYSIS – STOOL TEST

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## Unpopular roommates

The intestinal parasites that can affect us humans include not only worms such as some threadworms, sucking worms or tapeworms, but also a number of protozoa such as amoebae or lamblia. The way into our body often goes unnoticed through contaminated food or contaminated water. In most cases, we ingest the eggs or larvae, which then grow in our digestive tract. Many parasites come rather in the

tropics, others such as the fox tapeworm or the child pinworm are found worldwide. An infection with intestinal parasites can manifest itself in very different ways. Diarrhea, weight loss, fever or general weakness may occur.

## Create parasite profile

Complaints caused by an infection with intestinal parasites are often very unspecific and at the same time very variable. Some infections proceed without complications and inconspicuously, others manifest themselves through fever, diarrhea and weight loss. After a longer stay in tropical areas, for example, it may be advisable to get tested for intestinal parasites. Ory Analysis offers different test sets which diagnose protozoa as well as worms in all stages with the help of molecular genetic detection methods (PCR).

## What is analyzed?

Tapeworms, roundworms, pinworms, hookworms, dwarf tapeworms, whipworms, dwarf threadworms, Enterocytozoonspp. / Encephalitozoon spp., Blastocystis, Dientamoeba. fragilis, Giardialamblia, Cryptosporidium spp. , Cyclosporacayetanensis, Entamoeba histolytica

## TEST INSTRUCTIONS:



### CHECK

- Requirement sheet
- Instructions for execution
- Stool collection aid
- 2 test tubes with spoon integrated in the lid
- 2 transport tubes
- Shipping box + adhesive tape for secure sealing



### TEST INSTRUCTION

- Place the enclosed stool catcher in the toilet bowl (depending on the bathroom installation, you can also place newspaper underneath for support).
- Catch your stool with it.
- Take samples with the spoon in several places and fill both test tubes with them.
- The filling level should be between the marked min. and max. level. The spoon must not come into contact with the toilet when taking the sample, as cleaning agents and disinfectants can falsify the result.
- Screw the lid (including spoon) back onto the tubes and put the tubes into the short transport tubes and screw them together.



### PACKING AND SHIPPING

Please put the sample tubes into the transport tubes and together with the completed request form into the shipping bag and bring it to the mailbox or post office. Shipping envelope does not need to have postage added.

***Important note: Please do not send on Friday (weekend) or before holidays!***



*Done! You will receive an e-mail when your results are in.*

*"Health is not everything, but without health everything is nothing!"*

Arthur Schopenhauer