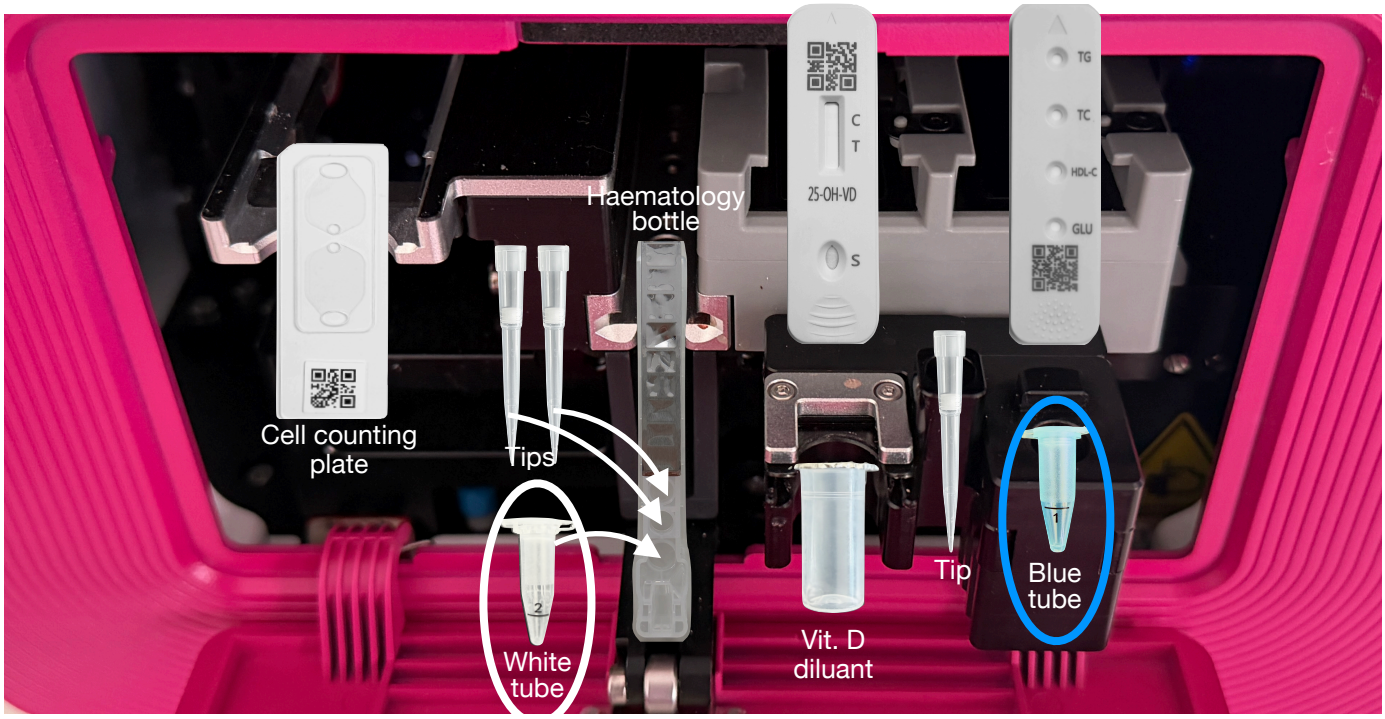
TEST PROCEDURE - Linkor ANALYZER

1. Enter patient's information on the homepage :

Last name - First name - Date of birth, and click on "*Start detection*"

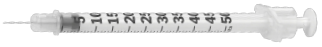
2. Insert the single-use reagents into the Linkor :



3. Collect the blood sample

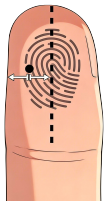
✦ **Veinous blood drawing in the elbow crease**

With an insulin syringe (29G) and fill the tubes up to the black line.
Ideally, do not use a tourniquet while filling the syringe.

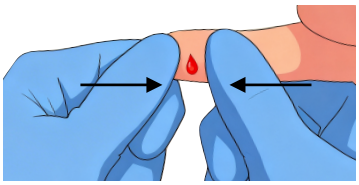


✦ **Capillary blood sampling on the finger**

→ *The hand to be drawn must be warm enough to have optimal blood flow.*
If needed, soak the patient's hand in a container of hot water for 1 to 2 minutes.
The person who takes the sample is sitting, the patient is standing, his arm downward.



- Massage the patient's hand and finger then compress the end of the finger to concentrate the blood influx.
- Disinfect the area with an alcoolique pad and wipe with the cotton swab.
- Prick with the lancet on the middle or ring finger.
  Ideal area : Half-distance between the center of the finger pulp and the edge.
- Wipe the first drop of blood with the second end of the cotton swab.
- Fill the 2 tubes (blue and white) up to the black line.
  Wait for the drop of blood to thicken before place it in the tubes.



4. Insert into the Linkor

- **Shake the tubes by tapping for 30 seconds**
  → To mix the blood with the anticoagulant located on the walls of the tubes.
- Place the tubes in their respective locations and block the caps in the notches.
- Click on "*Sample In*" to start the analysis.

5. End of test

Results appear after 15 minutes. They can be :
Printed (integrated or external printer), exported on USB key or read on computer or smartphone through IP adress.

Click on "*Next*" to remove and discard the reagents then on "*Removed*" to return to the home screen.

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