



TEST REQUISITION FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & FILL IN ALL FIELDS – INCOMPLETE / ILLEGIBLE INFORMATION WILL DELAY RESULTS.
*MEDICAL AIDS DO NOT COVER THE COST OF SOME OF THESE TESTS.

PATIENT'S DETAILS															
Surname:				Sex:	M	F	Weight (kg):			Height (m):					
First names:				Tel:											
ID No:				Cell:											
D.O.B:				Age:		Postal address:									
E-mail:															
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR LIPIDPRO TEST															
Typical breakfast:				Personal medical history:				Family's medical history:							
Typical lunch:															
Typical supper:															
Medication:				No. of days exercise/activity per week:				0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Nutritional supplements:				Intensity of exercise/activity:		Low		Moderate		High intensity					
How did you hear about LipidPro?				Blood pressure:		Smoker?		Yes		No		Former			
Sample collection date:				Blood sample taken by:											
REFERRING PRACTITIONER'S DETAILS															
Name and surname:				Practice Tel:											
E-mail:				Indication for referral:											

LIPIDPRO TEST (12 HOUR FASTING PRIOR TO TEST)	Cost (incl. Vat)
LipidPro LDL (please refer to instructions below for additional total cholesterol test required) Comprehensive analysis of LDL-cholesterol fractions & subfractions (risk for, & treatment monitoring of, CHD*, hypertension, ischemic stroke & lower extremity arterial disease). (3 month follow up test recommended to monitor effectiveness of treatment intervention). *CHD = coronary heart disease	R1750.00

Instructions for sample collection and transportation to MDS Laboratory

For samples collected at Ampath (KZN only) – use account number c576092:

Please collect a 12-hour fasted sample (5ml, SST tube) and perform a total cholesterol test. **Client not liable for payment for total cholesterol.** Charge Dr York-MDS for total cholesterol test (use account number c576092). Log in test code CH and SENDCOM. Please submit the remaining sample to MDS together with the LipidPro request form. Transport at room temperature.

For samples collected at other facilities:

MDS requires a total cholesterol result prior to proceeding with the LipidPro test, performed on the same day as the LipidPro sample collection. The result must be submitted to MDS with the LipidPro sample or emailed to nutrition@wellpro.co.za with client details. The total cholesterol test can be done at a clinic or laboratory and will be done at the **client's own cost**.

For the LipidPro test, please collect a 12-hour fasting blood sample (5ml serum sample in a Gel/SST plain tube). Please spin the sample down within 2 hours after sample collection if there are facilities to do so. Place request form and sample in a sample bag and contact MDS (031 267 7000) to arrange for a courier collection. **Please ensure MDS receives the sample within 24 hours of sample collection.** To ensure that samples arrive at the laboratory the following day please only collect samples on a day before a working day and send the samples overnight by courier. Transport at room temperature but keep samples cool overnight. (P.T.O.).

MDS Ref. no:	
Sample type:	_____
Sample condition:	_____
Checked By:	_____
Date:	_____

Office use only

Terms and Conditions of Testing

I consent to the tests requested, guarantee payment and verify that all information is correct. I agree that testing will not be started without receiving payment and that payment for the test requested will be taken as consent for testing to be performed on the sample submitted to MDS.

Informed consent for testing

While it is in my best interest to have a healthcare practitioner interpret and explain my results to me, I understand that should I wish to receive my results directly, I acknowledge that MDS cannot be held liable for any pain, discomfort, confusion or distress which the release of the test results to me, may cause. Furthermore, whilst I am legally entitled to my own information, I understand that it might not necessarily be in my best interest to be exposed to information of which I may have limited knowledge and understanding and which may be detrimental to my well-being if not explained fully and in a manner which I will understand, by my own trusted healthcare practitioner.

As I have made an informed decision to self-refer to MDS for testing, by giving me the test results, MDS waives liability for any distress or confusion which I may experience as a result of receiving the test result directly from MDS without consulting with a healthcare practitioner. I acknowledge that MDS strongly recommends that I be encouraged to visit my healthcare practitioner as soon as possible after receiving my results and that I carry the onus to make an appointment with my healthcare practitioner to have my test results interpreted.

Signature: Date:

Payment details

Medical aid may not cover the cost of these tests. The patient can make payment either via credit card, bank deposit or electronic transfer with the patient's name as payment reference.

Note: Testing will not be started until payment is received. The sample is invalid for processing after 7 days, therefore upfront payment directly to MDS is required prior to, or soon after, sample collection. Payment for the test requested will be taken as consent for testing to be performed on the sample submitted to MDS.

Payment options:

Credit Card payment: To give us your credit card details telephonically, please contact the office on 031 267 7000

Banking Details:

Name: Molecular Diagnostic Services (Pty) Ltd

Bank: FNB Westville

Account Number: 62109297912

Branch Number: 223526

Reference: Name and Surname

Email proof of payment to: reception@mdsafrica.net

For Zapper payments, please use this QR code:



Reference: Name and Surname or send reference number to reception@mdsafrica.net

Disclaimer: In the event that Molecular Diagnostic Services (Pty) Ltd (MDS) returns a verifiable erroneous result for a particular sample, or if negligence is proven on the part of MDS, any claim against MDS is limited to the amount paid or to be paid to perform the test in question. In no event shall MDS be liable for direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or other damages of any nature even if MDS has been advised of the possibility of such damage

Should any details on this form be incorrect then they must be brought to the attention of MDS. Any alteration or modification of the information on this form is not authorised and legal action will be taken against any person found guilty of such action. MDS respects your right to privacy and therefore aims to ensure that we comply with the legal requirements of the POPI Act which regulates the manner in which we collect, process, store, share and destroy any personal and special personal information which you have provided to us.

We realize the importance of confidentiality in the service we provide and undertake to abide by our Privacy Policy. For further information about our Privacy Policy, please contact our office or visit our website www.mdsafrica.net.



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