

# bioNexia® hCG Urine

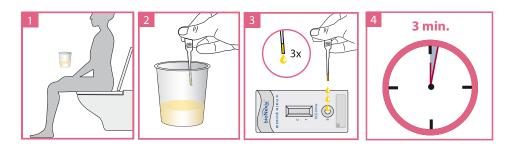
is a rapid one-step chromatographic test

for the qualitative detection of human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG)

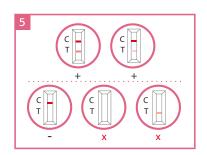
in urine



#### **TEST PROCEDURE**



#### **TEST INTERPRETATION**





## Why choose

bioNexia® hCG Urine?

- Adapted sensitivity to aid in the early detection of pregnancy: 25 mIU/ml on urine
- Proven specificity > 99%
- Results available in just 3 minutes
- Easy-to-use, all-inclusive kit



#### **Clinical Background**

- Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG) is a glycoprotein hormone produced by the developing placenta during pregnancy.
- In normal pregnancy, hCG levels can be detected in both urine and serum soon after conception. 1,2,3,4 hCG levels continue to rise very rapidly, frequently exceeding 100 mIU/mL by the first missed menstrual period 2,3,4 and peaking in the 100,000-200,000 mIU/mL range about 10-12 weeks into pregnancy. hCG levels then decline rapidly during the second trimester and remain low for the rest of the pregnancy. 3
- The appearance of hCG in both urine and serum soon after conception, and its subsequent rapid rise in concentration during early gestational growth, make it an excellent marker for the early detection of pregnancy.
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#### **Technical data**

- Reference: 412551 (30 tests)
- Cut-off: 25 mIU/ml
- Shelf-life: 24 months
- Storage temperature: +2°C to +30°C
- Content of the kit:
  - 30 test cassettes
- 30 disposable pipettes
- 1 package insert
- 1 user quick guide

#### Dimensions of the kit

- Length: 210 mm
- Width: 130 mm
- Height: 83 mm
- Weight: 427 g

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