## **Xpert®** Ebola Cartridge Preparation

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Refer to the package insert for detailed instructions. precautions, and warnings.

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## Important:

Immediately proceed with the sample preparation step to ensure that the Ebola virus gets inactivated.

## Note:

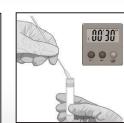
- Allow the Sample Reagent to equilibrate to room temperature.
- If the bottle has not been stored in an upright position, make sure the buffer is settled in the bottom by giving the bottle a firm shake.



Start the test within the

timeframe specified

Take one Xpert cartridge for each specimen. Open the lid of the Sample Reagent bottle



2 Transfer 0.1 mL blood

by placing the provided

swab in the EDTA tube

for at least 30 seconds.

- 3 Insert the swab into the Sample Reagent bottle. Break the swab against the bottle rim.
- 4 Close the lid of the Sample Reagent bottle and vortex for 10 seconds.



Note: Do not hold the swab below the score mark. Use guaze or equivalent to minimize the risk of contamination.

5 Let Incubate at room temperature for 20 minutes.



pipette.

6 Aspirate of the treated

specimen to just below

the bulb and above the

line on the supplied 1mL





Empty the pipette into

the sample chamber.

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