



#### The Patient Pack contains:

Patient Brochure
ClarityDX Prostate Payment Authorization Form
ClarityDX Prostate® Requisition Form
APL Third Party Requisition Form

## PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Print the ClarityDX Prostate® Requisition Form and the APL Third Party Requisition Form.
- 2. Bring both printed requisition forms to your doctor for them to complete.
- 3. Book an appointment at an Alberta Precision Laboratories (APL) sample collection site by phoning the Customer Call Centre at 780-702-4486, or 1-877-702-4486.

### IF PAYING BY CREDIT CARD ONLINE

Complete your online payment for the ClarityDX Prostate test for the **discounted price\* of \$100** and either print your receipt or write down your order number (found on your receipt) on a printed copy of the ClarityDX Prostate Payment Authorization form.

## IF PAYING BY CHEQUE OR CREDIT CARD OFFLINE

Print and fill in the ClarityDX Prostate Payment Authorization Form. If you are paying by cheque, make it payable to Nanostics Inc. for the **discounted price\* of \$100**.

- 4. Take the completed requisition forms and the payment receipt or cheque with you to your appointment at the APL sample collection site.
- 5. The test results will be sent to your doctor within five (5) business days.
- 6. Reach out to your doctor to discuss the results of your test.

\*The total cost of the ClarityDX Prostate test is \$300. Effective up to Jan 31, 2024, we are pleased to provideClarityDX Prostate at an introductory discount of \$200 making the final cost \$100.

NOTE: You may be eligible for reimbursement through your employer's health spending account.



There's a lot riding on your prostate test...

KNOW THE SCORE.



Want to know your risk for aggressive prostate cancer?

# ClarityDX Prostate can help!

What is ClarityDX Prostate?

ClarityDX Prostate is a blood test that gives you and your doctor more information about whether to have a prostate biopsy done or not. ClarityDX Prostate is up to 3X more accurate than PSA for predicting aggressive prostate cancer <sup>(1,2)</sup>.



The result of the ClarityDX Prostate test indicates your relative risk of finding aggressive prostate cancer if an invasive biopsy is performed.





For more information about the benefits of the ClarityDX Prostate test please go to

www.nanosticsdx.com

or email

info@nanosticsdx.com



## A Simple Test Bringing Clarity to

## **Prostate Cancer Screening**

How Much Does the ClarityDX Prostate Test Cost? ClarityDX Prostate is currently available as a private pay test and is not covered by Alberta Health. It may be eligible for reimbursement through your employer's health spending account.

For cost information please email info@nanosticsdx.com.



#### What Can PSA Tell You?

The PSA test measures the level of prostate specific antigen in your blood. High levels of blood PSA can indicate the presence of cancer in the prostate. However, there are many reasons why you might have a high PSA level that have no relation to cancer. In fact, only 1 in 4 men with high PSA levels have prostate cancer. PSA testing also finds indolent prostate cancer that may not need treatment leading to men opting for unnecessary treatments with potential harmful side effects <sup>(3,4)</sup>. ClarityDX Prostate is designed for men with elevated PSA levels to help identify men with aggressive prostate cancer.



### What is Indolent vs. Aggressive Prostate Cancer?

Indolent prostate cancer is low-risk because the cancer stays in the prostate. The 5 year survival rate for indolent prostate cancer is 98-100%. Aggressive prostate cancer is high-risk because it spreads from the prostate and forms cancerous tumors at distant site(s) in the body.

The 5 year survival rate drops to 32% for men with aggressive prostate cancer (3,4).



### **Prostate Cancer screening**

The Canadian Urology Association (CUA) suggests having a discussion with your doctor about whether PSA screening and alternative tests are right for you (3).



### **Get Clarity on Your Prostate Health**

ClarityDX Prostate gives you and your doctor more information about what your elevated PSA levels mean and whether to have a prostate biopsy done or to continue monitoring PSA levels instead.

To be eligible for the ClarityDX Prostate test patients must be between 40-75 years of age with total PSA of 3 ng/ml or higher and without a prior diagnosis of prostate cancer.



#### References:

- (1) Paproski et al. 2023. Eur Urol. 83. Suppl 1.
- (2) Wallis et al. 2023. JCO. 41. 5023-5023.
- (3) Mason et al. 2022. Can Urol Assoc J. 16(4).
- (4) Brenner et al. 2022. CMAJ. 194 (17).

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# **ClarityDX Prostate® Payment Authorization Form**

**ClarityDX Prostate Test Price: \$300** 

Introductory Discount: - \$200

You Pay \$100

PATIENT INFORMATION					
Legal Last Name		Street Address			
Legal First Name		City/Town			
Date of Birth (e.g., 1960-Jan-01)	Y Y Y M M M D D	Province			
Referring Doctor		Postal Code			
Doctor's Phone No.		Phone Number			
	PAYMEN	T INFORMATION			
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## ClarityDX Prostate® Requisition Form

Scanning Label or Accession # (lab only)	

Nanostics 1-800-672-2027

\*\* TEST ELIGIBILITY: Patient must not have been previously diagnosed with prostate cancer, be between 40-75 years of age and have not taken high-dose biotin therapy (>5 mg/day) within 8 hours of serum collection\*\*

Complete the sections below at the physician's clinic. Choose only one check box where applicable.

	PATIENT INFORMATION	PHYSICIAN INFORMATION				
Legal last name		Legal last name				
Legal first name		Legal first name				
Patient ID (e.g., PHN)		Physician ID				
Date of birth (e.g., 1960-Jan-01)		Street address				
Gender	☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Prefer not to Disclose	City/Town				
Postal Code		Province				
Phone number		Postal Code				
		Phone number				
	CLINICAL INFORMATION					
Digital rectal exam within 6 months	<ul><li>□ Normal</li><li>□ Abnormal (asymmetry, induration, nodules)</li></ul>	Fax				
Prior negative	□ No □ Yes	Ordering Date (e.g., 2023-Jan-01)				
prostate biopsy		ClarityDX Prostate patient reports are only sent to the ordering physician. Forwarding patient reports to other physicians is the responsibility of the ordering physician.				
ClarityDX Prostate tes	t. Send the collected serum sample in an $SST^TM$ tube	requisition form to an appropriate blood collection site for the and this completed requisition form to Nanostics' laboratory which DX Prostate test, may be performed by DynaLIFE (Edmonton, AB).				
Serum collection ins	section below at the blood collection centre. tructions in 3rd Party ClarityDX Prostate Req. Form RUM COLLECTION INFORMATION	Complete the section below at the diagnostic laboratory performing the ClarityDX Prostate test.  LABORATORY COLLECTION INFORMATION				
Collection date (e.g., 2023-Jan-01)	RUM CULLECTION INFORMATION	Received date (e.g., 2023-Jan-01)				
Collection time (24-h	ur)	Received time (24-hr)				

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### **Test Overview**

ClarityDX Prostate is a laboratory-developed test by Nanostics that combines the lab results of two biomarkers (total PSA and free PSA) and three clinical features (age, previous negative prostate biopsy status, and digital rectal exam findings) to calculate the risk of having clinically significant prostate cancer, defined as Gleason Grade Group 2 or higher, on prostate biopsy. This risk probability is provided as the test Risk Score which ranges between 0.1% to 99.9%. ClarityDX Prostate is a non-invasive test indicated for use by physicians as an additional tool to aid in the decision for more advanced procedures such as diagnostic imaging or prostate biopsy.

#### **Test Eligibility**

Patients have not been previously diagnosed with prostate cancer and are between 40-75 years of age with total PSA  $\geq$  3 ng/mL. Patients are not on high-dose biotin therapy (i.e., > 5 mg/day). If you are taking high-dose biotin therapy, wait at least 8 hours from the last biotin administration before going to the blood collection site for this test.

#### **Test Performance**

The test demonstrated an area under the receiver operating characteristic curve (AUC) of 0.82 and a sensitivity and specificity of 0.95 and 0.35, respectively, when using a Risk Score threshold of 25%.

#### **Test Limitations**

While the ClarityDX Prostate test is more accurate compared to PCPTRC and PBCG risk calculators for predicting clinically significant prostate cancer, the test may still provide false positive and false negative test results. The instruments used to acquire total PSA and free PSA may be sensitive to high biotin concentrations in the blood (>30 ng/mL) thus patients taking large amounts of biotin supplements may have inaccurate test results. Test accuracy may be influenced by PSA-altering drugs such as 5-alpha reductase inhibitors.

The performance characteristics of ClarityDX Prostate were determined by Nanostics in a primarily Albertan population 40 to 75 years of age with PSA ≥3 ng/mL. Evaluation of this test outside of these ages and PSA values has not been performed by Nanostics. Total PSA and free PSA tests are indicated for men ≥50 years of age; caution is required when interpreting individual total PSA and free PSA results in patients below 50 years of age. Patient management should be based on holistic clinical judgment. This test has not been cleared or approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or Health Canada.

#### Sample Handling

Collected blood samples will be separated into serum which will be used to perform total PSA and free PSA tests which results are used for the ClarityDX Prostate test. No other tests will be performed with your serum samples other than those authorized by your healthcare provider. Nanostics may use a referral laboratory to perform the total PSA and free PSA tests. The referral laboratory will be evaluated for quality using Nanostics' supplier approval process to ensure test results can be trusted. Referral laboratories will be located in Canada to ensure that samples do not cross international borders.

#### Information Handling

Patient and physician information collected for the ClarityDX Prostate test will only be used to generate and evaluate ClarityDX Prostate test results. Information will not be provided to other parties without the consent of patients and physicians. All collected data for the ClarityDX Prostate test will reside within Canada to ensure identifiable health information does not cross international borders. Nanostics' privacy policy may be accessed by contacting Nanostics at info@nanosticsdx.com.

#### **Test Result Disclosure**

ClarityDX Prostate patient reports are only sent to the ordering physician. Forwarding patient reports to other physicians or patients is the responsibility of the ordering physician. Test results will be available within 5 business days.

#### Patient consent

By completing and submitting this ClarityDX Prostate requisition form to a blood collection site, the patient is providing implied consent that they understand the information on this requisition form and allow Nanostics to perform the ClarityDX Prostate test on their clinical information.

#### **About Nanostics**

General questions and complaints may be submitted at 1-800-672-2027 or <a href="mailto:info@nanosticsdx.com">info@nanosticsdx.com</a>. Nanostics laboratory hours of operation are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mountain Time. All communications should be within these hours of operations.



#### **APL THIRD PARTY REQUISITION**

Appointment Booking: online at <a href="https://www.albertaprecisionlabs.ca">www.albertaprecisionlabs.ca</a> or 1-877-702-4486 Locations and Hours of Operation: <a href="https://www.albertaprecisionlabs.ca">www.albertaprecisionlabs.ca</a>

Non-Participating Submitter - Use 'Reg Entry'

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Patient	PHN / Healthcare Number		Date of Birth (dd-Mon-yyyy)							
	Expiry:									
	Legal Last Name		Legal First Name		Middle Name					
	Alternate Identifier					Address				
	City / Town		Province	Postal Code		Chart Number				
						ClarityDX Prostate Kit				
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Provider	19967	Nanostics Inc.					1-800-672-2027			
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#### PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

- 1. Ensure patient has not been previously diagnosed with prostate cancer.
- 2. Complete the *Patient* section on this requisition and the *patient*, *physician* and *clinical information* on the Nanostics ClarityDX Prostate requisition.
- 3. Provide the patient with this Requisition, the ClarityDX Prostate Requisition Form and the Payment Authorization form.
- 4. Ensure the patient is familiar with the section below.

#### PATIENT INFORMATION

**APPOINTMENT CRITERIA** Collections are **Monday thru Friday only** (excluding statutory holidays).

- 1. Appointments MUST be booked by phoning the Customer Call Centre at 780-702-4486. Ensure your appointment meets the above bolded criteria.
- 2. Bring the APL Third requisition, the ClarityDX Prostate requisition and Payment Authorization form to your laboratory appointment 3 documents.

#### **APL LAB STAFF INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **SPECIAL NOTES**

 Collect patient only if they have a Nanostics Payment Authorization form - Use your site's supplies for collection.

#### **DATA ENTRY**

Number	Procedure Description		
LAB71878	Third Party Collection Fee		
LAB71885	Third Party Processing Fee		

#### **COLLECTION / PROCESSING**

- 1. Do not proceed with collection unless the patient has a Nanostics Payment Authorization form, proof of payment or a certified cheque.
- 2. Verify the expiration date on the SST tube before proceeding with collection.
- 3. Record the date and time of collection on both this requisition and the ClarityDX Prostate requisition.
- 4. Collect **1 X 5mL SST Gold Top tube** and ensure tube is filled to capacity. Centrifuge sample and pour off the serum equally into two 10mL transport vials.
- 5. Print the Requisition label x 4. Apply one label to each requisition and to each transport vial.

#### **SHIPPING**

- 1. Place the **two transport vials** into a specimen back with both the **ClarityDX Prostate Requisition Form** and **Payment Authorization Form** in the front pouch.
- 2. Store sample UPRIGHT in your freezer until the next scheduled courier run to Base Lab.
- 3. Send the APL Third Party requisition to Base Lab for scanning using your regular Company billing process.
- ? Questions regarding collection / handling should be directed to Nanostics at 1-800-672-2027.

#### PRE & POST ANALYTICS EDMONTON STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

1. Store samples in the -20°C freezer until delivery to Nanostics lab.

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