

Mail-In Spore Testing

Instructions for Use



- 1** Remove the test strip from the test packet envelope.
 - + Do not open the blue glassine packaging.
 - + Do not remove the control strip.
- 2** Place the test strip in the sterilizer in a difficult to sterilize chamber location.
- 3** After the sterilization cycle, return the test strip to the test packet envelope.
 - + Do not mail sterilization packaging-- including pouches.
 - + Do not staple or tape test packet envelope.
 - + Do not place labels on "Lab Use Only" area of envelope.
- 4** Seal the test packet envelope and mail to Mesa Labs promptly.
- 5** Go to mesalabs.com/mail-in-spore-testing and log-in to view test results, manage sterilizers, and revise auto- renewal subscriptions.

Storage and Shelf-Life

Store test packets in a cool, dark, and dry location away from direct sunlight and chemical sterilizing and disinfecting agents. Spore strips are a biological product with a limited shelf-life. The expiration date is printed on the test packet and each spore strip. Packets received after expiration date will not be processed.