Blood Type Test Instructions:

**PREPARATION**
Please read directions carefully. Using the pipette provided or other suitable device, add several drops of water to each of the pretreated test areas to activate the antibody sera.

**DRAWING SAMPLE**
Lay selected hand, palm up, against a flat table surface. Holding the lancet device in your hand firmly against the outside tip of your finger, press the trigger down until it clicks. The blood flow will begin.

**COLLECTING SAMPLE**
Point your finger down and directly over the cupped end of each of the special collection EldonSticks™ provided (4) and fill the small cupped end with a drop of blood (enough to fill the small cup). Details on the recommended amount are explained in the instructions.

**READ RESULTS**
After spreading the four samples in the special test areas using the comb device, the test will develop and coagulation patterns will form in each box. Compare the patterns to the color chart to find your blood type.

Reading Results:

Included with each test kit is a color result chart shown above. This chart illustrates the different test results possible on the Eldoncard Blood Type Test Kit.
After the blood typing test is completed and fully developed the Eldoncard card will resemble the graphic to this image. Using the color reference result chart shown on the left, the four result test cells of the Eldoncard are compared to the possible outcomes shown on the reference chart. Note that the fourth test cell on the card is a control cell and is used only as a quality control check and evidence that the test was performed properly.

The blood type and Rh factor are then interpreted by matching the test results from the Eldoncard with the result chart. For example, using the color chart provided on the left, coagulation is seen in cells one and three on the test card. Therefore correlating this result to the chart shows that the Blood type is A and the Rh factor is positive. Note that the appropriate identification boxes have been filled in with the name, address, date and contact information of the individual tested. The card can then be sealed with the clear plastic laminate cover sheet provided to create a permanent blood typing record for that individual.

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