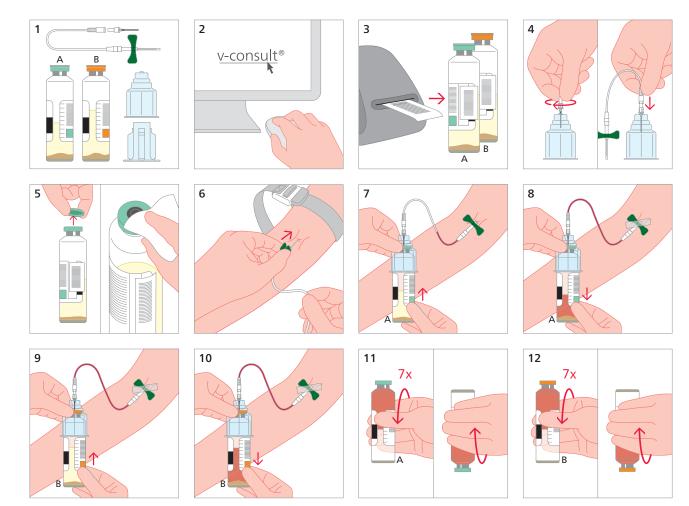
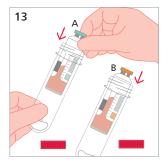


## Blood culture – bacteria and yeasts: Vacutainer®

Blood culture (36)







- 5 Allow skin disinfectant to act sufficiently long
- 7-10 5 10 mL per bottle (for toddlers 1 aerobe bottle with 3 5 mL, for infants 1 2 mL per sampling)
  - 2 3 pairs of blood cultures (1 aerobe + 1 anaerobe bottle)
- Sample as fever rises and prior to antibiotics
- One puncture site per blood culture (pair of bottles)
  In case of central venous catheter: sample 1 pair by catheter, 1 2 pairs by puncture
- Not suited for mycobacteria → Li-heparin tube, without gel (5G)

## Shipping material: