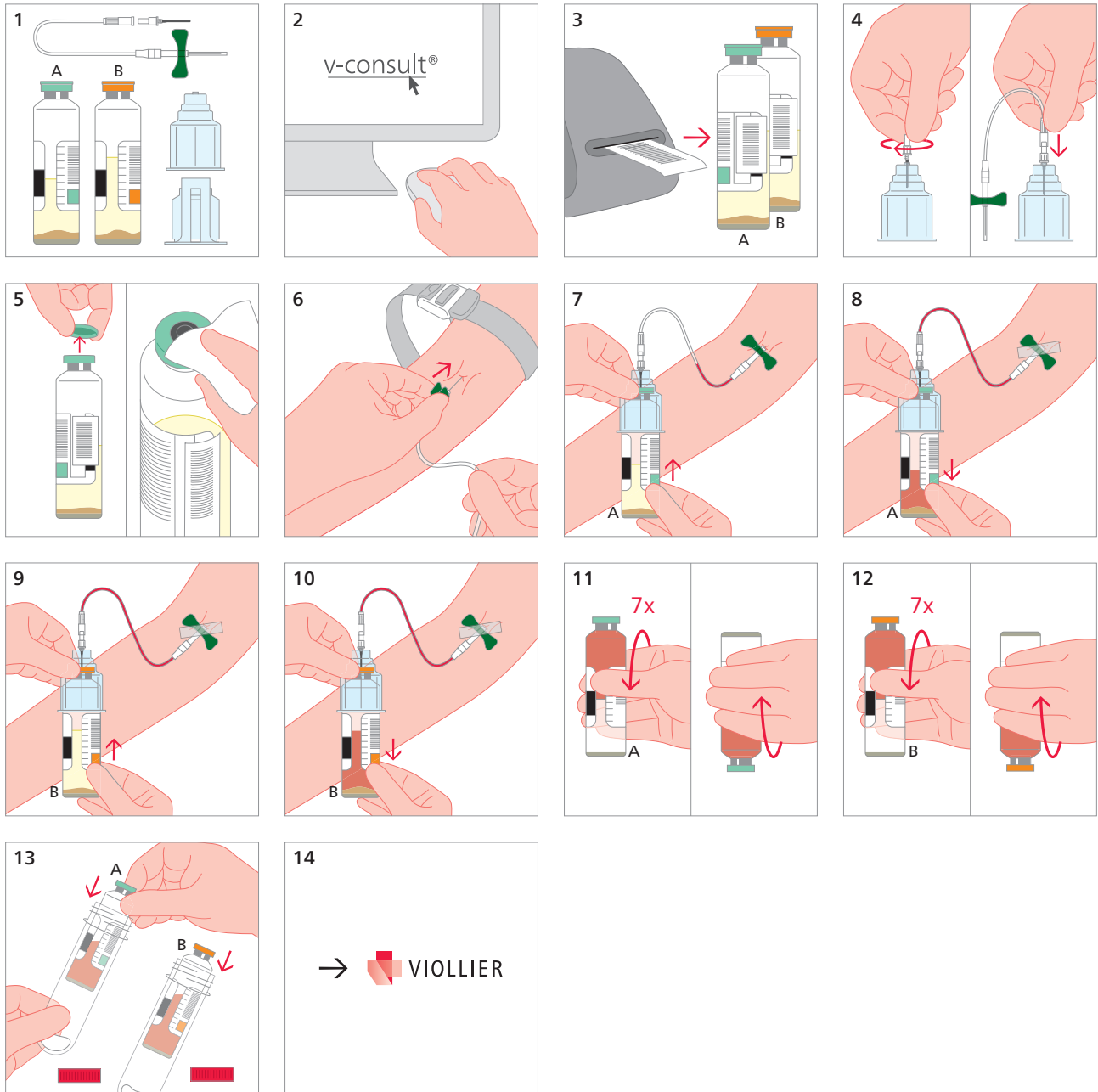


Blood culture – bacteria and yeasts: Vacutainer®

Blood culture (36)



- 5 Allow skin disinfectant to act sufficiently long
- 7 – 10 5 – 10 mL per bottle (for toddlers 1 aerobic bottle with 3 – 5 mL, for infants 1 – 2 mL **per sampling**)
2 – 3 pairs of blood cultures (1 aerobic + 1 anaerobic 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:

Please label with name, first names and date of birth of the patient