Ruhr-Universität Bochum –

Distribution of Roche SARS-CoV-2 antigen patient tests for lay persons

This test kit was selected according to quality criteria (including approval by the BfArM as a lay test) and following the announcement by the NRW Ministry of Science that universities in NRW will be supplied with these tests.

The tests are delivered to the organisational units by post in original packages with test materials for 25 tests per packaging unit.

The organisational units will distribute the test kits to the users in accordance with their **weekly** requirements. The self-tests are to be carried out at home.

Preparing and distributing the test kits to users:

A test kit consists of components 1-4 shown below. The components should be prepared and handed out in the enclosed paper bags with thoroughly washed hands and wearing medical face masks (surgical masks). This is safe in terms of hygiene, as the nasal swabs, test strips and tubes with extraction buffer are packaged individually (unpackaged dispenser caps have no direct patient contact).

Disposal

For individual tests: the used test kits are to be disposed of at home in a sturdy, tear-proof and sealed rubbish bag in the non-recyclable waste container. For (exceptional) group tests at RUB: the test kits are to be disposed of in sealed tear-proof and thick-walled rubbish bags in the non-recyclable waste bins outside the MA building.

User information:

When the test is handed out to the user, the user must be informed about the instructions for testing, evaluation and further measures. The leaflet is available here:

www.rub.de/coronatest resp.



- 1. Test strips individually wrapped in foil bags
- 2. Pre-filled tubes with extraction buffer
- 3. Dispenser caps
- 4. Bag with 25 nasal swabs
- 5. Patient information leaflet