



**Ship to: 11550 IH-10 West, Suite 105
San Antonio Texas 78230.**

How to collect a dust sample using the Swiffer method:

- 1) Use the Swiffer dust cloth that comes with the kit.
- 2) Avoid contact with the cloth by wearing disposable gloves (supplied in the sampling kit) & swipe 10 different areas of in your home, school, or workplace. Use a single swipe in one direction is required - avoid a circular scrubbing motion.
- 3) **Areas** can include for example the tops of doors or window frames in your bedrooms, the entertainment stand in your living area, a bookshelf in another bedroom. The goal is to gather dust from different areas in your home to give the total picture of the home.
- 4) Use the same cloth for all areas in **“one location”** unless separate sampling and analysis is required.
- 5) For example, **“one location”** is a home, another location is an office or working place.
- 6) After swiping 10 areas, fold Swiffer cloth with the dust inside and place them in the Ziploc bag and reseal it. If you can't see dust, swipe again from enough areas for you to see discoloration of the cloth.
- 7) Label, date the sample and complete the Chain of Custody form supplied in the kit (also available on this website).
- 8) **Please make sure there is a visible change in color of the Swiffer from white to dirty, to provide enough sample for testing.**
- 9) **Don't collect a sample from the visible mold.**
- 10) **Specific for Actinomyces: This test needs an extra amount of sample, please make sure the cloth changes color on all visible areas front and back.**
- 11) Return the sample to EnviroBiomics with the Chain of Custody document filled out.
- 12) If you haven't done so already, please don't forget to make payment at envirobiomics.com/shop and thank you for using EnviroBiomics.