Instructions for 24 Hour Pad Collection

- 1. A part of your urinary incontinence evaluation includes an assessment of the quantity of urine you lose in one day.
- 2. During one day and one night prior to your next encounter with your urologist, collect every sanitary napkin/diaper you use in one 24-hour period (from 8 AM to 8 AM). Try to use the same type of pad during this period of time.
- 3. Place the wet pads into a zip-lock plastic bag.
- 4. Bring the zip-lock bag containing your pads and one clean dry pad with you on the day of your appointment. (Same type pad as those collected).
- 5. Continue your normal day and night routine during the test.
- 6. These tests will help us evaluate your incontinence and determine a treatment that is best for you.