

# H.pylori Antigen Test

## Rapid & Elisa

A doctor may request an H. pylori antigen stool test if you have symptoms that could indicate the presence of a peptic ulcer, such as abdominal pain, especially when your stomach is empty at night or a few hours after meals.

Other symptoms may be associated with H.pylori infection:

- Excessive burping.
- Feeling bloated.
- Nausea.
- Heartburn.
- Fever.
- Lack of appetite, or anorexia.
- Unexplained weight loss.
- Trouble swallowing.
- Anemia.
- Blood in stool.

Helicobacter Pylori (H.pylori) is a spiral-shaped bacterium that is found in the gastric mucous layer or adherent to the epithelial lining of the stomach. H.pylori causes more than 90% of duodenal ulcers and up to 80% of gastric ulcers.

Atlas Medical provides Helicobacter pylori (H.pylori) Antigen Test in stool samples, and it comes in different formats:

- A rapid one step test, both cassette and strip formats.
- An enzyme immunoassay (EIA) test.

