

Microbiology Collection Guidelines

Note: The following collection guidelines are only for the tests listed below.

ESWAB^{™ 1}

Healthcare providers are encouraged to use the ESwab that best fits the specimen source and patient. ESwabs are interchangeable for all cultures in the section listed below.

- 6007 Culture, Routine
- 6010 Culture, Anaerobic
- 6028 Culture, Environmental
- 6052 Culture, Genital
- 6012 Culture, MRSA
- 6036 Culture, Nasopharynx
- 6108 Culture, Strep-A Screen, Non-Throat
- 6047 Culture, Strep-A Screen, Throat
- 6079 Culture, Strep-B Pregnancy (vaginal and rectal)
- 6046 Culture, Throat
- 6077 Culture, Fungus Non-Blood or Skin
- 7708 GBS-PCR, Pen Allergic, Reflex Sensi
- 6061 Group-A Strep Rapid, Reflex Culture
- 3151 Group-B Strep Screen by PCR
- 4591 Influenza A & B Antigen (preferred collection method)*

¹ Not suitable for 6128 Acid Fast Culture, 6130 Acid Fast Smear & Culture, 6126 Acid Fast Smear. [•] Must be submitted refrigerated.



Recommended for nose, throat, female genitalia, and wounds.

Recommended for eye, ear, nasal passages, and urogenital tracts.

Recommended for nasopharynx and pediatric sample collection.

Roche COBAS Urine Collection Kit²

- 4335 Chlamydia/Gonorrhea, NAAT 5399 Chlamydia, NAAT
- 5397 Gonorrhea, NAAT
- 3913 Trichomonas, NAAT, FEMALE ONLY
- 4445 Trichomonas, NAAT, MALE ONLY

²Be sure to fill specimen in between lines on vial

COBAS PCR Media Dual Swab Kit

3920	Bacterial Vaginosis, PCR (ESwab also acceptable)	WOVEN
3914	Candida, PCR (ESwab also acceptable)	WOVEN OR FLOCK
5249	Chlamydia/Gonorrhea, NAAT, Swab	WOVEN
3755	Chlamydia/Gonorrhea, Rectal AND Pharyngeal	WOVEN
3770	Chlamydia/Gonorrhea, Rectal <u>OR</u> Pharyngeal	WOVEN OR FLOCK
5398	Chlamydia, NAAT, Swab	WOVEN OR FLOCK
5396	Gonorrhea, NAAT, Swab	WOVEN OR FLOCK
3742	HSV 1/2 and VZV by PCR	WOVEN OR FLOCK
3915	HSV I AND II, PCR (ESwab also acceptable)	WOVEN
3911	Trichomonas, NAAT, Cervical Swab	FLOCK
4445	Trichomonas, NAAT, Male Urine/Swab	URETHRAL

COB	AS PCR Media Dual Sw	ab Kit (Continued	(b
3910	Trichomonas, NAAT, Vaginal	Swab	WOVEN
3534	Urogenital Urea/Mycoplasma (ESwab also acceptable)	, PCR	WOVEN OR FLOCK
3740	Varicella zoster by PCR		WOVEN OR FLOCK
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M4RT Viral Transport³

³ Must be stored refrigerated after collection.

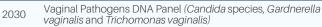
4591 Influenza A/B Antigen (acceptable collection method)



M6 oi	r UTM Viral Transport ^{4, 5}
6096	B. pertussis/parapertussis by PCR
6326	COVID-19, Influenza A/B, and RSV by PCR
3738	Influenza A/B and RSV by PCR
3795	Respiratory Pathogen Panel by PCR
	frigerated after collection. ntact your local CPL customer service for additional referral tests requiring viral media.

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BD Affirm VP III





Plain	Red-Top Tube 6	
6110	KOH Prep (Fungal Smear)	
6105	Wet Prep (Wet Mount)	
⁶ Genital sw	rab in 1 mL sterile saline.	A the second sec

Tissu	e / Sterile Collection Containers
6128	Culture, Acid Fast
6130	Culture, Acid Fast and Smear
6107	Culture, Body Fluid
6077	Culture, Fungus Non-Blood or Skin
6007	Culture, Routine

Please transport all specimens to the laboratory within 24 hours to maintain specimen integrity.

For further information, please refer to our website, www.cpllabs.com

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