

Specimen Collection Guide



RESPIRATORY TESTING

Nasopharyngeal, Nasal, Mid-turbinate, & Ear swabs:



Oropharyngeal swabs & throat cultures:



UTI PCR AND CULTURE

Cups are for patient collection and sample prep only – DO NOT SEND TO LAB:



Transfer urine to vacutainer before sending to the lab:



(Urethral swab method)



WOUND/ DERMATOLOGY PCR AND CULTURE



VAGINITIS / WOMEN'S HEALTH TESTING



STI TESTING

Urine Samples:

Cups are for patient collection and sample prep only – DO NOT SEND TO LAB:



Transfer urine to vacutainer before sending to the lab:



Lesion/Swab Samples:



GASTROINTESTINAL PCR TESTING



FUNGAL PCR

Skin scrapings & nail clippings:



Lesion/Skin swabs:



Urine samples:



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