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CULTURE-MYCOLOGY BLOOD

Test Code: MYCOB

Specimen Type: Blood

Tube Type / Collection Container: Bactec Bottle

Specimen Volume: Minimum 1 mL- 10mL Maximum

Specimen Handling: See *Blood Culture Collection Protocol* in *Customer Service Manual*

Specimen Storage: Ambient / Room Temp.

Specimen Collection Notes: Collect whole blood aseptically in Bactec Blood Culture Bottle. Maintain at RoomTemp; Only stable 4 hours.

Department: Microbiology



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