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Varicella Zoster Virus Culture

Test Code: MCB

Specimen Type: Vesicle fluid, vesicle scrapings

Tube Type / Collection Container: M4 media

Specimen Volume: n/a

Specimen Handling:

Specimen Storage: Refrigerate 2-8 C

Specimen Collection Notes: Specimens should be placed into the viral, Chlamydia, Mycoplasma CULTURE transport provided by LabCorp or other appropriate transport medium and sent to the laboratory immediately not to exceed 24 HRS. Smears of vesicle fluid may also be submitted for DFA at additional charge

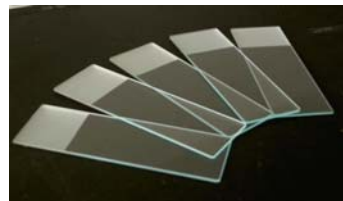
Department: Microbiology / Reference Laboratory

Reference Lab Code: 186056



M4 Media-UTM-RT

AND/OR



Smears of Vesicle Fluid (at least 2)