

Nocardia Culture

Order Name: **C NOCARDIA**

Test Number: 6000305

Revision Date: 09/27/2017

| TEST NAME | METHODOLOGY | LOINC CODE |
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| Nocardia Culture | Culture | |

| SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS | | | | |
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| Specimen | Specimen Volume (min) | Specimen Type | Specimen Container | Transport Environment |
| Preferred | See Instructions | Tissue or Fluid | Sterile Screwtop Container | Room Temperature |
| Alternate 1 | See Instructions | Swab | Copan eSwab - White (Regular size) | Room Temperature |
| Alternate 2 | See Instructions | Respiratory specimen | Sterile Screwtop Container | Room Temperature |
| Instructions | Fluid and tissue specimens are preferred over swabs for optimal recovery of pathogens. | | | |

| GENERAL INFORMATION | |
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| Testing Schedule | Sun-Sat |
| Expected TAT | 28 Days |
| CPT Code(s) | 87070 |
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