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SCOPE: All potential staff than may order microbiology testing to be performed

PROCEDURE: All testing is to be ordered in Order Entry under MIC category

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NAME	MNEMONIC
ABSCESS CULTURE	ABSC
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:	STERILE CUP; RED TOP CULTURETTE
AFB CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:	AFB
AFB CULTURE BODY FLUID COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:	AFBBF STERILE CUP
AFB SMEAR COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: (AFBSM COLLECT IN STERILE CSF TUBE
ANAEROBIC CULTURE	ANAER
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: AS.	PIRATES-BLUE ANAEROBIC CULTURETTE; FLUIDS-STERILE CUP
BACTERIAL MENINGITIS SCREE	N BACTAG
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: S	PINAL FLD. CALL SPEEDY PAK SEND TO GRANDSTRAND.
BED BUG	BEDBUG
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: (CALL MICRO *8174* FOR INSTRUCTIONS
BETA STREP CULTURE GROUP B	GBS
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: (COLLECT USING RED CULTURETTE
BLOOD CULTURE	BC
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS:	LES-0.5ML, YELLOW; ADULT BOTTLES-5ML, GREEN AND ORANGE

BLOOD CULTURE DIALYSIS BCD COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: PEDI BOTTLES-0.5ML, YELLOW; ADULT BOTTLES-5ML, GREEN AND ORANGE BLOOD CULTURE LINE DRAW BCL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: PEDI BOTTLES-0.5ML, YELLOW; ADULT BOTTLES-5ML, GREEN AND ORANGE BLOOD CULTURE, PEDIATRIC BCPEDI COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: PEDI BOTTLES - 0.5 ML YELLOW BODY FLUID CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: **STERILE CONTAINER OR CUP** BODY FLUID CYTOLOGY BFCYTO COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: AFTER HOURS-REFRIGERATE; LEAVE REQ ON CYTOLOGY COUNTER BONE MARROW CULTURE BONEM COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: USE APPROPRIATE BLOOD CULTURE BOTTLE BRONCHIAL BRUSHING CULTURE BRONCHB COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER BRONCHIAL WASHING CULTURE BRONCHWASH COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER OR LUKEN TUBE C DIFFICILE ANTIGEN & TOXIN CDIFFTOX COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STOOL; MINIMUM SAMPLE 0.5 ML IN CLEAN CONTAINER; REFRIGERATE

CATHETER TIP CULTURE CTIP

COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: ASEPTICALLY PLACE TIP IN STERILE CONTAINER

CRYPTOSPORIDIUM AG CRYPTOSPO

COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STOOL; STERILE CONTAINER, PEA SIZE MINIMUM VOLUME

GET TO LAB ASAP

COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER

CSF CULTURE CSF COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: COLLECT IN STERILE CSF TUBE DHEC INFLUENZA Special testing DHEC INFLU COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: MINI-TIP SWAB IN EMPTY TUBE-CALL LAB FOR INSTRUCTIONS DIPTHERIA CULTURE DIPTH COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH MICRO DEPT IS REQUIRED EAR CULTURE EAR COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE; STERILE CUP IF FLUID EYE CULTURE EYE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: MINITIP OR RED CULTURETTE FLOW CYTOMETRY - BAL BAL-FLOW COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: ***FLOW CYTOMETRY, GIVE SPECIMEN TO CYTOLOGY*** FUNGAL CULTURE FC COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE; STERILE CONTAINER FUNGAL CULTURE BLOOD FCBLD COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: USE AEROBIC OR PEDIATRIC BOTTLE FUNGAL CULTURE BODY FLUID FCBF COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER FUNGAL CULTURE CSF COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: COLLECT IN STERILE CSF TUBE FUNGAL CULTURE SKIN/HAIR/NAIL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE; OR STERILE CONTAINER FUNGAL CULTURE SPUTUM

FUNGAL CULTURE URINE FCUR COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CUP FUNGAL SMEAR (KOH) COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE; OR STERILE CUP GC COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE, TRANSPORT ASAP, PRIOR CONSULT REQUESTED GENITAL CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE; TRANSPORT TO LAB ASAP GIARDIA AG GIARD COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STOOL; CLEAN CONTAINER, PEA SIZE MINIMUM VOLUME/ASAP TO LAB GRAM STAIN COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: CULTURESWAB, OR STERILE CONTAINER H2O CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CUP INDIA INK COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CSF TUBE MACROSCOPIC PARASITE EXAM MPE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: CALL MICRO FOR INSTRUCTIONS MIA BLOOD CULTURE BCMIA COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: MIA BLOOD CULTURE BOTTLES, CONTACT MICROBIOLOGY DEPT. MISCELLANEOUS CULTURE MISC COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE OR STERILE CONTAINER MRSA SURVEILLANCE MRSASURV COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: COLLECT USING WHITE TOP MRSA SWAB MRSA, DR ORDER MRSA, DR COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: COLLECT USING WHITE TOP MRSA SWAB

NASAL CULTURE NASAL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED TOP CULTURETTE OR WHITE TOP MRSA CULTURETTE OCCULT BLOOD FECES OCBLD COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STOOL IN STERILE CUP; OR FECES ON CARD PCP COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: PCP STAIN, GIVE SPECIMEN TO CYTOLOGY PERITONEAL FLUID CULTURE PERITONEAL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: **STERILE CUP** PINWORM EXAM PIN COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: CLEAR SCOTCH TAPE TO SLIDE; CALL MICRO FOR INSTRUCTIONS PLEURAL FLUID CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: **STERILE CUP** OUANTITATIVE AEROBIC CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER RESP SYNCYTIAL VIRUS RSV COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: MINI TIP SWAB SPUTUM CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER STOOL CULTURE COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: CLEAN CONTAINER; DIAPER UNACCEPTABLE; PEA SIZE MINIMUM VOL STREP SCREEN COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE SYNOVIAL FLUID CULTURE SYNOVIAL COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: **STERILE CUP** THROAT CULTURE TCCOLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE

WOUND CULTURE

TISSUE CULTURE TISS
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER

TOTAL PARENTERAL NUTRITION TPN
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: SYRINGE

TOUCH PLATE CULTURE TPC
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: TOUCH/RODAC PLATE

URINE CULTURE UC
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STERILE CONTAINER, MINIMUM VOLUME 0.5 ML

VIRAL INFLUENZA A&B ANTIGENS INFLUA&B
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: MINI-TIP SWAB

WBC STOOL WBCS STOOL
COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: STOOL IN CLEAN CUP; PEA SIZE MINIMUM SUBMISSION

COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS: RED CULTURETTE OR STERILE CONTAINER