

# **Test Definition: FCFS**

Caspofungin Susceptibility Testing

## Overview

## **Special Instructions**

- Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines
- Fungus Testing Lab Request form

#### **Method Name**

**CLSI Broth dilution** 

### **NY State Available**

Yes

## **Specimen**

## **Specimen Type**

Varies

# **Shipping Instructions**

- 1. See <u>Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines</u> in Special Instructions.
- 2. Place specimen in a large infectious container (T146) and label as an etiologic agent/infectious substance.

## Specimen Required

Container/Tube: Agar slant or other appropriate media

Specimen Volume: Organism in pure culture

### Complete and submit with specimen:

1. Fungus Testing Lab request form

### **Collection Instructions:**

- 1. Organism must be in pure culture, actively growing.
- 2. Place specimen in a large infectious container (T146) and label as etiologic agent/infectious substance.

## Reject Due To

Other reasons	Specimens other than actively growing mold in pure culture
for rejections	

## **Specimen Stability Information**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Ambient		



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# **Clinical & Interpretive**

## **Performance**

## **PDF Report**

Referral

## Day(s) Performed

Monday-Mould

Tuesday and Thursday-Yeast

## **Report Available**

6 to 21 days

## **Performing Laboratory Location**

U.T. Health Science Ctr San Antonio

### **Fees & Codes**

## **Fees**

- Authorized users can sign in to <u>Test Prices</u> for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact <u>Customer Service</u> 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact <u>Customer Service</u>.

### **CPT Code Information**

87999-Unlisted Microbiology Procedure (Refer to patient report to apply the appropriate CPT code in place of this unlisted CPT code based on specimen organism.)

87188 - mould - MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

87186 - yeast - MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

## **LOINC®** Information

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FCFS	Caspofungin Susceptibility Testing	Not Provided

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
FCFS	Caspofungin Susceptibility Testing	Not Provided