

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

- See [Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines](#) in Special Instructions.
- 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:**

- Fungus Testing Lab request form

**Collection Instructions:**

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

Reject Due To

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

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Ambient		

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 [Test Prices](#) for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

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