

## 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 [Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines](#) 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 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