

GC Culture



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| Alternate Name: | Neisseria gonorrhoeae Culture |
| Test Includes: | Gram Stain Isolation and identification of Neisseria gonorrhoeae |
| Performing Lab: | New Hanover |
| Specimen Container: | Sterile container or swab Specific site of specimen must be stated. |
| Minimum Volume Required: | N/A |
| Testing Availability | Routine: 24 hours/day Stat: No |
| Turnaround Time: | Preliminary reports available after 24 hours. |
| Special Handling: | Specimens must be delivered to the laboratory within 30 minutes of collection. |
| Patient Preparation: | None |
| Specimen Stability: | |
| Reference Range: | No Neisseria gonorrhoeae isolated |
| Critical Value: | None |
| CPT Code: | 87070 |
| Testing Methodology: | |
| Causes for Specimen Rejection: | Improper labeling Specimen not collected in sterile container. Specimen container must not be contaminated on the outside. Specimens must be delivered to the laboratory within 30 minutes of collection. |

Other Comments:

Clinical Significance: