

Acceptable Specimen Container

Stool for WBC

Fecal Lactoferrin **Alternate Name: Performing Lab: New Hanover Specimen Container:** Clean screw capped container **Minimum Volume Required:** 1 mL **Testing Availability** Routine: 24 hours / day Stat: No **Turnaround Time:** 24 hours Special Handling: None **Patient Preparation:** None **Specimen Stability:** N/A Negative for WBC Reference Range: **Critical Value:** N/A **CPT Code:** N/A Testing Methodology: Immunochromatographic **Causes for Specimen Rejection:** Improper labeling. Purgatives other than saline or Fleet. Other Comments: None Clinical Significance: Conditions associated with fecal leukocytes include diffuse antibiotic associated colitis, ulcerative colitis, shigellosis, salmonellosis, Campylobacter, and Yersinia infection.