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Mayo Medical Laboratories

Test Definition: BBLD

Bacterial Culture, Blood

Reporting Title: Bacterial Culture, Blood
Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

This test is available by special request only - pre-approval by testing lab is required.
Incubate blood bottles at 35 degrees C for 24 hours before sending.
Include a completed microbiology request form.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Whole Blood Culture	Ambient	

Ask at Order Entry (AOE) Questions:

Test ID	Question ID	Description	Type	Reportable
BBLD	Q00M0005	Specimen Source	Plain Text	No

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
BBLD	Bacterial Culture, Blood	Alphanumeric	mL	In Process

CPT Code: 1 × 87040

Reference Values:

No growth
Identification of all organisms