









SWAB REFERENCE GUIDE

Specimen Type	General Tests Associated	Photo
<p>E Swab</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultures, aerobic and anaerobic • MRSA • Group B Strep • Throat Culture 	
<p>Nasal Swab with Universal Transport Media (M4)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influenza A/B (PCR) • RSV (PCR) • SARS-CoV-2 RNA by RT-PCR 	
<p>Sterile Foam Tip (Dry) Covid Swabs must be tested within 1 hour **Do NOT place swab back in original packaging, use plastic screw cap tube for transport.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SARS-COVID19 RNA Rapid (nasal) • SARS-CoV-2 Antigen (nasal) • Influenza A/B RNA Rapid (nasal) • Strep A DNA Rapid (throat) 	
<p>Nasopharyngeal Swab Flu and RSV swabs must be tested within 4 hours</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influenza A/B RNA Rapid • RSV RNA Rapid 	

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<p>Aptima® Multitest Swab Specimen Collection Kit for Vaginal, Throat, and Rectal Swab Specimens</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GC • Chlamydia 	
<p>Aptima® Unisex Swab Specimen Collection Kit for Endocervical and Male Urethral Swab Specimens</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GC • Chlamydia 	
<p>Red Duo Swab</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture Backup Strep ***Bluffton ONLY*** 	
<p>Xpert Swab Specimen Collection Kit</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vaginal Panel DNA (MVP) 	

Culturette (BBL Culture Swab)

- Measles Virus, Molecular Detection, PCR Throat

