

**TEST CHANGE**

**Unusual Organism Culture**

0060714, MC UORG

**Specimen Requirements:**

**Patient Preparation:**

**Collect:** Please contact Bacteriology (801) 583-2787 at extension 2350 for specimen collection and transport instructions.

**Specimen Preparation:**

**Transport Temperature:** Please contact Bacteriology (801) 583-2787 at extension 2350 for specimen collection and transport instructions.

**Unacceptable Conditions:**

**Remarks:**

**Stability:**

**Methodology:** Culture

**Performed:** Sun-Sat

**Reported:** Varies

**Note:** Specify suspected organism with submission. This culture is for unusual organism requests, such as Streptobacillus moniliformis, ~~Haemophilus ducreyji~~, Neisseria gonorrhoeae, etc., for which there is no stand-alone culture. For Helicobacter pylori, refer to Helicobacter pylori Culture (ARUP test code 2006686). [For Haemophilus ducreyji, refer to Genital Ulcer Disease Panel by PCR \(ARUP test code 3005674\).](#) Identification and susceptibility tests are billed separately from culture.

**CPT Codes:** 87070; Identification CPT codes may vary based on method.

**New York DOH Approval Status:** This test is New York DOH approved.

**Interpretive Data:**

**Reference Interval:**

By report.