
2002838 *Clostridium difficile* toxin B gene (tcdB) by PCR

CDIFF PCR

Specimen Required: Collect: Soft or liquid stool.

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 1 mL stool to a clean, unpreserved transport vial (ARUP Supply# 40910). Available online through eSupply using ARUP Connect™ or contact ARUP Client Services at (800) 522-2787. (Min: 0.5 mL).

Storage/Transport Temperature: Refrigerated.

Unacceptable Conditions: Specimens in media or preservatives.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): Ambient: 48 hours; Refrigerated: 5 days; Frozen: **1 week**