
3000265 *Aspergillus Species* by PCR

ASPERPCR

Specimen Required: Collect: Bronchoalveolar lavage (BAL), bronchial wash, sputum, or tissue.
Specimen Preparation: Transfer 1 mL bronchoalveolar lavage (BAL), bronchial wash, sputum to a sterile container. (Min: 0.9 mL)
Tissue: Transfer tissue to a sterile container and freeze immediately.
Storage/Transport Temperature: Frozen.
Remarks: Specimen source required.
Unacceptable Conditions: **Tissues in optimal cutting temperature compound.**
Stability (collection to initiation of testing): **Tissue:** Ambient: Unacceptable; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 2 weeks
All Others: Ambient: 2 weeks; Refrigerated: 2 weeks; Frozen: 2 weeks