

NEW TEST – Available Now

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Toxigenic *Clostridioides difficile* GDH Antigen and Toxin by EIA, Stool

3020774, CDIFF EIA

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Liquid or soft stool.

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 1.0 mL stool to a clean, unpreserved transport vial (ARUP Supply# 40910). Available online through eSupply using ARUP Connect(TM) or contact ARUP Client Services at 800-522-2787. (Min: 0.5 mL).

Transport Temperature: Refrigerated. Also acceptable: Frozen.

Unacceptable Conditions: Specimens preserved in Cary Blair/C&S media, formalin-based fixative (eg, formalin, SAF) or alcohol-based fixative (e.g., PVA, Totalfix, Alcorfix, etc). Formed stool.

Remarks:

Stability: Ambient 2 hours; Refrigerated 72 hours; Frozen 1 week

Methodology: Qualitative Enzyme Immunoassay (EIA)

Note:

CPT Codes: 87324; 87899

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

Interpretive Data:

This test is intended for symptomatic patients with greater or equal to 3 unformed stools in 24 hours. Testing of formed stool, asymptomatic patients, or for test of cure is not recommended. Results should always be interpreted in conjunction with clinical findings.

Reference Interval:

Test Number	Components	Reference Interval
	Toxigenic <i>C. difficile</i> Interpretation	Not Detected

HOTLINE NOTE: Refer to the Hotline Test Mix for interface build information.