



Specimen Retention Time

7 days

Method Description

A nasal swab is inoculated onto Spectra MRSA agar, a selective and differential chromogenic medium used in qualitative detection of nasal colonization of methicillin-resistant (MRSA).

Reference Values

No growth of Methicillin-Resistant (MRSA).

Cautions

This test is intended only for screening for MRSA colonization and is not intended to diagnose MRSA infection.