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Helicobacter pylori with Clarithromycin Resistance Prediction, Molecular Detection, PCR, Feces

Test ID: HPFRP

Explanation: The reference value and specimen stability for this test is being updated as shown below. Ambient is now the preferred temperature. Frozen specimens are no longer acceptable for testing.

Current Reference Value	
Not applicable	

New Reference Value	
Not Detected	

Current Specimen Stability			
Specimen	Temperature	Time	
Fecal	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Frozen	7 days	

New Specimen Stability				
Specimen	Temperature	Time		
Fecal	Ambient (preferred)	7 days		
	Refrigerated	7 days		

Questions

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