

Notification Date: November 3, 2021 Effective Date: December 7, 2021

## Aspergillus Antigen, Bronchoalveolar Lavage

Test ID: ASPBA

**Explanation:** On effective date, preferred specimen stability will be updated to refrigerate.

Current Specimen Stability			
Specimen	Temperature	Time	
Lavage	Frozen (preferred)	14 days	
	Refrigerated	14 days	

New Specimen Stability			
Specimen	Temperature	Time	
Lavage	Refrigerated (preferred)	14 days	
	Frozen	14 days	

## **Questions**

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