

NEW REFERRAL TEST

Notification Date: February 1, 2024 Effective Date: February 15, 2024

Itraconazole Susceptibility Testing

Explanation:

The following new orderable, referred to U.T. Health Science Ctr San Antonio will be available on February 15, 2024

Test ID: FITZS

Methods:

CLSI Broth dilution

Specimen Requirements:

Container/Tube:	Agar slant or other appropriate media	
Specimen Volume:	Organism in pure culture	
Complete and submit with specimen:	Fungus Testing Lab request form	
Collection Instructions:	Organism must be in pure culture, actively grown. Place specimen in large infectious container (T146) and label as etiologic agent/infectious substance.	

Specimen Stability Information:

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Varies	Ambient	

CPT Code:

87999-Unlisted Microbiology Procedure (Refer to patient report to apply the appropriate CPT code in place of this unlisted CPT code based on specimen organism.)

87188 x 1 mould MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

87186 x 1 yeast MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

Fee: \$100.00

Day(s) Setup: Monday-Mould; Tues and Thurs Yeast

Report Available: 21 days

Questions:

Contact MCL Referrals Supervisor Amy Bluhm at 800-533-1710.