

## Cytomegalovirus (CMV), Molecular Detection, PCR, Varies

**Test ID:** LCMV; performed at Mayo Clinic Laboratories Florida.

**Explanation:** On the effective date, respiratory fluid specimens will no longer be an acceptable specimen type for this assay.

Current Specimen Required	New Specimen Required
<p>Submit only 1 of the following specimens:</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Body fluid  <b>Sources:</b> Spinal, pleural, peritoneal, ascites, pericardial, amniotic, or ocular  <b>Supplies:</b> Sarstedt Aliquot Tube, 5 mL (T914)  <b>Container/Tube:</b>  <b>Preferred:</b> Sterile screw cap 5-mL aliquot tube  <b>Acceptable:</b> Sterile container  <b>Specimen Volume:</b> 0.5 mL  <b>Collection Instructions:</b> Do not centrifuge.</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Respiratory fluid  <b>Sources:</b> Bronchial washing, bronchoalveolar lavage, nasopharyngeal aspirate or washing, sputum, or tracheal aspirate  <b>Supplies:</b> Sarstedt Aliquot Tube, 5 mL (T914)  <b>Container/Tube:</b>  <b>Preferred:</b> Sterile screw cap 5-mL aliquot tube  <b>Acceptable:</b> Sterile container  <b>Specimen Volume:</b> 1.5 mL</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Genital swab  <b>Sources:</b> Cervix, vagina, urethra, anal/rectal, or other genital sources  <b>Supplies:</b>            -Culturette (BBL Culture Swab) (T092)            -M4-RT (T605)  <b>Container/Tube:</b> Multimicrobe media (M4-RT) and ESswabs  <b>Collection Instructions:</b> Place swab back into multimicrobe media (M4-RT, M4, or M5)</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Swab  <b>Sources:</b> Dermal, eye, nasal, saliva, or throat  <b>Supplies:</b>            -Culturette (BBL Culture Swab) (T092)            -M4-RT (T605)</p>	<p>Submit only 1 of the following specimens:</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Body fluid  <b>Sources:</b> Spinal, pleural, peritoneal, ascites, pericardial, amniotic, or ocular  <b>Container/Tube:</b>  <b>Preferred:</b> Sterile screw cap 5-mL aliquot tube  <b>Acceptable:</b> Sterile container  <b>Specimen Volume:</b> 0.5 mL  <b>Collection Instructions:</b> Do not centrifuge.</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Genital swab  <b>Sources:</b> Cervix, vagina, urethra, anal/rectal, or other genital sources  <b>Supplies:</b>            -Culturette (BBL Culture Swab) (T092)            -M4-RT (T605)  <b>Container/Tube:</b> Multimicrobe media (M4-RT) and ESswabs  <b>Collection Instructions:</b> Place swab back into multimicrobe media (M4-RT, M4, or M5)</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Swab  <b>Sources:</b> Dermal, eye, nasal, saliva, or throat  <b>Supplies:</b>            -Culturette (BBL Culture Swab) (T092)            -M4-RT (T605)  <b>Container/Tube:</b> Multimicrobe media (M4-RT) and ESswabs  <b>Collection Instructions:</b> Place swab back into multimicrobe media (M4-RT, M4, or M5)</p> <p><b>Specimen Type:</b> Tissue  <b>Sources :</b> Brain, colon, kidney, liver, lung, etc.  <b>Supplies:</b> M4-RT (T605)  <b>Container/Tube:</b> Sterile container containing 1 mL to 2 mL of sterile saline or multimicrobe medium (M4-RT, M4, or M5)</p>

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**Specimen Volume:** Entire collection

**Collection Instructions:** Submit only fresh tissue in multimicrobe media (M4-RT) or a sterile container with 1 to 2 mL sterile saline

**Specimen Type:** Urine

**Container/Tube:** Sterile container

**Specimen Volume:** 1 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Collect a random urine specimen.

**Specimen Type:** Bone marrow

**Container/Tube:** Lavender top (EDTA)

**Specimen Volume:** 0.5 mL

**Collection Instructions:** Send bone marrow in original tube. Do not aliquot.

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## Questions

Contact Bonnie Meyers, Laboratory Resource Coordinator at 800-533-1710.