Outreach Collection Swabs – BayCare





White cap w/Liquid Amies and a regular flocked swab

Intended Uses:

All types of Anaerobic/Aerobic Cultures

Fungal Cultures MRSA Nasal PCR

AFB Cultures SA/MRSA PCR (Nasal Preop)

Group B Strep PCR MRSA Wound PCR Strep A PCR vanA VRE PCR

Mpox PCR Rotavirus *clean dry container is preferred

C. auris Screen PCR



Nasopharyngeal (NP) UTM/VTM Media Collection Kit (Lawson #189185) 3 mL*

Red cap with universal/viral transport media and flexible mini-tip flocked swab

Intended Uses: Respiratory Panel PCR w/ COVID 19

COVID 19 Hospital PCR; COVID 19 BC PCR COVID 19-Flu A/B- RSV PCR, RSV/COVID PCR

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Bordetella pertussis/para PCR

Legionella PCR

Atypical pneumonia PCR (Mycopl/Chlamid)

VZV PCR and HSV 1-2 PCR

CMV QUAL PCR

*In case these tubes/swabs are not available, Nasopharyngeal (NP) swabs and UTM from other manufacturers are acceptable for all the above tests; swabs in Saline tubes are acceptable for all tests that include COVID.



ESwab Flexible Mini-Tip Collection Kit (Lawson #156352)

Blue cap w/Liquid Amies and a flexible mini-tip flocked swab

Intended Uses: Nasopharyngeal Culture

Urethral Culture

Bordetella pertussis/para PCR

Legionella PCR

Atypical pneumonia PCR (Mycopl/Chlam)

VZV PCR and HSV 1-2 PCR

CMV QUAL PCR

While the blue swab is acceptable for some PCR tests the red swab is the swab of choice