

CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES

St. Vincent's HealthCare

Urinalysis/ Urine Culture Specimen Requirement Chart

Test Orders	Acceptable Specimen Type	Other Information
Urinalysis (UA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Random urine in sterile urine cup • Yellow top with blue fill line 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microscopic analysis performed if screening positive. • Cannot perform urine culture if yellow top with blue fill line used. Contains preservative for UA testing only.
UA with reflex to urine culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Random urine in sterile urine cup 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urine culture performed when WBC's are above 5.
Urine culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Random urine in sterile urine cup • Gray top urine culture tube 	