

## **NEW REFERRAL TEST**

Notification Date: February 13, 2024 Effective Date: March 26, 2024

# Posaconazole Susceptibility Testing

**Explanation:** The following new orderable, referred to U.T. Health Science Ctr San Antonio, will be available on March 26, 2024.

Test ID: FPPOS

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:**

- 1. Organism must be in pure culture, actively growing.
- 2. Place specimen in a large infectious container (T146) and label as etiologic agent/infectious substance.

## **Specimen Stability Information:**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time
Varies	Ambient	

Fee: \$100.00

#### **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 - mould - MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

87186 - yeast - MIC microdilution or agar dilution (if appropriate)

**Day(s) Setup:** Monday **Report Available:** 7-21 days

#### Questions

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