



Clinical Laboratory Department POLICY AND PROCEDURE

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SUBJECT: Stock Culture Organisms

The following organisms are used for quality control purposes in the microbiology lab. They are kept alive by sub culturing on a routine basis per the chart below:

QC #	Organism	Source/ ATCC #	Sub MWF	Sub Daily	Sub Monthly	Stock Source
1	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	25922	Y	N	Y	L/F
2	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , CAMP +	25923	Y	N	Y	L/F
3	<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> (Grp A)	19615	Y	N	Y	L/F
7	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	27853	Y	N	Y	L/F
21	<i>Neisseria gonorrhoea</i>	43069	N	Y	Y	L/F
31	<i>Hemophilus influenzae</i> , type b, , β lactamase neg	10211	N	Y	Y	L/F
43	Beta Streptooccus grp B	12386	Y	N	Y	L/F
44	Beta Streptooccus grp C	12388	N	N	N	L/F
45	Beta Streptooccus grp G	12394	N	N	N	L/F
47	<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	25285	1x/wk only	N	N	L/F
53	<i>Candida albicans</i>	10231	1x/wk only	N	N	L
55	<i>Proteus mirabilis</i>	43071	N	N	Y	L/F
65	Beta Streptooccus grp F	12392	N	N	N	L/F
66	<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	750	1x/wk only	N	N	L
78	<i>Candida krusei</i>	14243	1x/wk only	N	N	L
79	<i>Streptococcus agalactiae</i> , Grp B, nonhemolytic)	13813	N	N	N	L/F
82	<i>Candida glabrata</i>	66032	1x/wk only	N	N	L
83	<i>Staph epidermidis</i>	12228	Y	N	Y	L/F

L = Lyophilized stock organism

F = Frozen stock organism

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