

Submitting Site  
Patient Label



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ONLY

MYCOBACTERIOLOGY SPECIMEN SUBMISSION FORM

PRINT, LABEL OR STAMP:

COMPLETE ONE FORM PER SPECIMEN

<b>1. Submitting Facility (Receives Test Result):</b>  Facility / Laboratory Name (required)  Street Address  City, State Zip  Phone # (must be the # for result notification) Secure Fax #:	<b>2. Patient Information:</b>  Last Name First Name  Street Address  City, State Zip  Patient ID: Specimen ID Phone #:
<b>3. Ordering Clinician/ Phone# (required):</b>  First Name Last Name Phone #	<b>4. Gender:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> Other <b>DOB:</b> _____
<b>5. Race: (Check One)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
<b>6. Ethnicity:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic or Latino	

- 7. Test Requested:** ☐ Mycobacteria testing panel (includes AFB smear, culture, and susceptibility testing, if indicated)  
☐ Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) [Sputum, Tracheal Aspirate, BAL, or BW only]  
☐ Isolate identified by submitting site as Mycobacteria for confirmation. ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Culture, smear, Identification and Susceptibility will also be performed, if indicated.

**8. AFB Testing Completed by Submitting Facility on Specimen Prior to Submission?**

☐ N/A ☐ AFB Smear Result \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ MTB NAAT Result \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**9. Has this Specimen been Digested/Deconned Prior to Submission?** ☐ YES ☐ NO

If YES- Chemical used: ☐ NALC-NaOH ☐ Oxalic Acid ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**10. Collection Date: (required)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Collection Time: (required)** \_\_\_\_\_

**11. Specimen Source: (required – one form per specimen)**

**Primary Specimen Source (listed alphabetically)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Abscess: Indicate Source: _____                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Lung Tissue: Site: _____                                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blood [whole blood] (no microscopy) *                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Pleural Fluid                                                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bone Marrow                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Sputum: <input type="checkbox"/> Expecterated <input type="checkbox"/> Induced |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Body Fluid: Indicate Source _____                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Stool                                                                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchoalveolar lavage (BAL) Site: _____                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Tissue: Indicate Source: _____                                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchial Wash (BW)                                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Tracheal Aspirate                                                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CSF                                                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Urine                                                                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gastric Aspirate/Washing (neutralized prior to submission) * | <input type="checkbox"/> Wound: Indicate Source: _____                                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laryngeal Swab (Throat Swab)                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                                                                   |

**Culture Isolate or Positive MGIT/Versa Trek Broth:** Indicate type of media submitted

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|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7H11 Slant/Plate           | <input type="checkbox"/> 7H10 Slant/Plate       | <input type="checkbox"/> Positive MGIT Broth       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LJ Slant                   | <input type="checkbox"/> 7H9 Broth              | <input type="checkbox"/> Versa Trek Positive Broth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chocolate Agar Slant/Plate | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Agar Slant/Plate | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____               |                                                 |                                                    |

Date Broth detected as positive \_\_\_\_\_

Date Culture Isolate Inoculated: \_\_\_\_\_  
(when did the media being submitted get inoculated with the organism to ID?)

\*Specimen collection instructions: <https://www.mass.gov/doc/specimen-collection-for-mycobacteriology-testing-instructions/download>