



# Test Definition: FAMBS

## Amphotericin B Susceptibility Testing

### Overview

#### Special Instructions

- [Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines](#)
- [Fungus Testing Lab Request form](#)

#### Method Name

CLSI Broth Dilution

#### NY State Available

Yes

### Specimen

#### Specimen Type

Varies

#### Shipping Instructions

1. See [Infectious Specimen Shipping Guidelines](#)
2. Place specimen in an Infectious Container, Large (T146) and label as an etiologic agent/infectious substance.

#### Specimen Required

Complete and submit with specimen: [Fungus Testing Lab Request](#) form.

**Specimen Type:** Organism

**Supplies:** Infectious Container, Large (T146)

**Container/Tube:** Agar slant or other appropriate media

**Specimen Volume:** Isolate

#### Collection Instructions:

1. Organism must be in pure culture, actively growing.
2. Provide the name of organism/species, source, and collection date with the specimen.

#### Specimen Minimum Volume

See Specimen Required

#### Reject Due To

Specimens other than actively growing mold	Reject
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in pure culture	
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**Specimen Stability Information**

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Varies	Ambient		

**Clinical & Interpretive****Clinical Information**

Refer to <https://lsom.uthscsa.edu/pathology/reference-labs/fungus-testing-laboratory/>

**Reference Values**

Not applicable

**Performance****PDF Report**

No

**Day(s) Performed**

Monday

**Report Available**

7 to 21 days

**Performing Laboratory Location**

U.T. Health Science Ctr San Antonio

**Fees & Codes****Fees**

- Authorized users can sign in to [Test Prices](#) for detailed fee information.
- Clients without access to Test Prices can contact [Customer Service](#) 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Prospective clients should contact their account representative. For assistance, contact [Customer Service](#).

**CPT Code Information**

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)

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

**LOINC® Information**

Test ID	Test Order Name	Order LOINC® Value
FAMBS	Amphotericin B Susceptibility	Not Provided

Result ID	Test Result Name	Result LOINC® Value
FAMBS	Amphotericin B Susceptibility	Not Provided