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Test	LIS Code	Ordering Notes
Bacterial vaginosis screen	SCBV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer to MIC10110-BV Job Aid</li> </ul>
Blood Culture	CXSET-Aerobic and Anaerobic bottles CXBAE-Aerobic bottle only CXBAN-Anaerobic bottle only CXBPE-Pediatric bottle only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add site if indicated</li> </ul>
Body Fluid Culture	CXFLD-Fluid received in sterile container CXFBC-Fluid received in blood culture bottle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add source of specimen</li> <li>Add site of specimen</li> </ul>
C.difficile	PCCDI	
COVID-19	PCCOV SCOV2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer to Instructions for ordering COVID job aid</li> </ul>
CSF Culture	CXCSF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If from shunt, indicate in source</li> </ul>
Ear Culture	CXEAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add site of specimen</li> </ul>
Eye Culture	CXEYE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add source of specimen</li> <li>Add site of specimen</li> </ul>
Genital Culture	CXGEN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add source of specimen</li> <li>Add site of specimen</li> <li>Refer to MIC10110-BV Job Aid for vaginal swabs</li> </ul>
Gonorrhoeae Culture	CXGON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add source of specimen</li> </ul>

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Group B Screen	SCGRB	
IUD Culture	CXIUD	
MRO Screen	SCMRO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add site of specimen</li></ul>
MRSA Screen	SCMRS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li></ul>
Nose Culture	CXNOS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Screen for <i>S.aureus</i> only</li></ul>
Oral (Mouth) Culture	CXORL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Screen for yeast only</li></ul>
Respiratory Culture	CXRES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li></ul>
Tip Culture	CXTIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add site of specimen</li></ul>
Throat Culture	CXTHR	
Urine Culture	CXURN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li></ul>
VRE Screen	SCVRE	
Wet Prep	SCWPT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li></ul>
Wound Culture-Superficial	CXWDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li><li>• Add site of specimen</li></ul>
Wound Culture-Deep	CXWDD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li><li>• Add site of specimen</li></ul>
Yeast Culture	CXYST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Add source of specimen</li></ul>

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