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Test	LIS Code	Ordering Notes
Bacterial vaginosis screen	SCBV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Refer to MIC10110-Vaginal Swab 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>
<i>C. difficile</i>	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>
Neisseria gonorrhoeae Culture	CXGON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Add source of specimen</li></ul>
Group B Screen	SCGRB	
IUD Culture	CXIUD	
Sputum MTB NAAT/PCR	PCMTB	
MRO Screen	SCMRO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Add site of specimen</li></ul>

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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	
<i>Trichomonas</i> Screen	SCTRI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Add source of specimen</li></ul>
Urine Culture	CXURN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Add source of specimen</li></ul>
VRE Screen	SCVRE	
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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