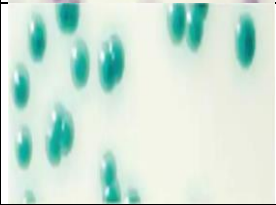
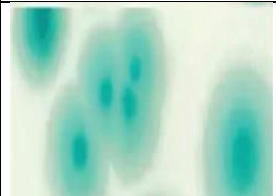


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Colour	Morphology	Picture	Suspected ID	Next steps
Pink/ purple	Appear as pink to purple colonies		<i>Candida albicans</i>	- Non-Sterile Site: No further testing - Sterile Site: Perform wet prep → YSTID
Intense turquoise	Appear as intense turquoise, spherical colonies with smooth morphotype		<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	Perform wet prep → YSTID
Pale turquoise	Appear as pale turquoise colonies that are flat and shiny with smooth morphotype, and they most commonly present a characteristic so-called "fish-eye" color pattern		<i>Candida glabrata</i>	Perform wet prep → YSTID
Turquoise/ blue	Appear as turquoise-blue colonies, with a rough morphotype, a dry appearance, and an irregular outline		<i>Candida krusei</i>	Perform wet prep → YSTID

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