

Technical Memorandum

Clinical and Molecular Microbiology

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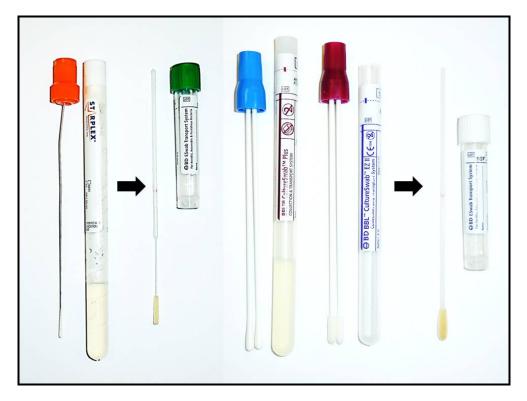
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SUBJECT: Change in bacterial transport media to the BD™ ESwab Transport System

The BD™ Liquid Amies Elution Swab (ESwab) Collection and Transport System (CTS) intended use is for the collection and transport of clinical specimens containing aerobes, anaerobes and fastidious bacteria from the collection site to the testing laboratory. The ESwab CTS will replace the current swabs as outlined in the accompanying figure.



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