



# STI Testing – ED & Inpatient Collection

Epic Test Name / Code	Acceptable source(s)	Specimen Container	Notes
<p><b>Vaginitis Panel PCR (LAB9518)</b> Panel includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anaerobic bacteria associated with BV</li> <li><i>Candida</i> group</li> <li><i>Candida glabrata</i> and/or <i>Candida krusei</i></li> <li><i>Trichomonas vaginalis</i> (TV)</li> </ul>	Vaginal	 <p><b>Cotton - discard</b></p> <p><b>Flocked</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: For patients &lt; 15 years old, TWO Xpert vaginal swab collection kits must be used for collection if CTNG is ordered along with Vaginitis panel or TV.</b></p> <p><b>For patients ≥ 15 years old, ONE vaginal collection kit can be used if combination of testing is requested.</b></p>	<p>Use ONLY small <b>flocked</b> swab for sample collection.</p> <p>Larger <b>cotton</b> swab is <u>NOT ACCEPTABLE</u> for sample collection and should ONLY be used for removing excess mucus for endocervical collections (then discarded).</p>
<p><b><i>N. gonorrhoeae</i>/ <i>C. trachomatis</i> Amplification (CTNG) (LAB4887)</b></p>	Vaginal Endocervical Rectal Throat		
<p><b><i>Trichomonas vaginalis</i> PCR (TV) (LAB3870)</b></p>	Vaginal Endocervical		

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<p><b><i>N. gonorrhoeae/ C. trachomatis</i></b>  <b>Amplification (CTNG)</b>  <b>(LAB4887)</b></p>	<p>Urine</p>	 <p>The image shows the Xpert Urine Specimen Collection Kit, which includes a white collection bag with a yellow cap and a clear plastic collection cup. The bag is labeled with 'GeneXpert', 'Xpert Urine Specimen Collection Kit', and various regulatory symbols like CE, UKCA, and IVD.</p>	<p><b>Xpert Urine Specimen Collection Kit</b></p>	<p>Minimum volume: 7 mL  Collection container <b><i>MUST</i></b> be filled to black dotted line.   ONE collection container can be used for testing both CTNG and TV.</p>
<p><b><i>Trichomonas vaginalis</i></b>  <b>PCR (TV)</b>  <b>(LAB3870)</b></p>				

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<p><b>High Risk HPV and Genotyping</b>  <b>(LAB5298)</b></p> <p>*ordered as part of cervical cancer screening order set</p>	<p>Endocervical  Vaginal</p>	 <p>The image shows a white plastic bottle of ThinPrep PreservCyt Solution. The label includes the product name, 'REF 70097-002', storage instructions '0-30°C', and manufacturer information for Hologic, Inc. in Marlborough, MA, USA.</p>	<p><b>Thinprep PreservCyt Solution</b></p>	
<p><b><i>N. gonorrhoeae/ C. trachomatis</i></b>  <b>Amplification (CTNG)</b>  <b>(LAB4887)</b></p>	<p>Endocervical</p>			
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