

KOH Preparation

Order Name: **KOH**  
Revision Date: 01/12/2013

TEST NAME		METHODOLOGY		LOINC CODE
KOH Preparation				
SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS				
Specimen	Specimen Volume (min)	Specimen Type	Specimen Container	Transport Environment
Instructions	Acceptable Specimens: Hair, nails, or skin scraping 1. Collect specimen and place in a plain, red-top tube screw-capped, sterile container or a sterile urine cup. 2. Label container with patient name (first and last) or other unique identifier, patient hospital identification number or Social Security number, date and time of collection, collector initials, and test(s) being ordered. 3. Maintain sterility and forward promptly at ambient temperature. Note: Specimen source is required on request form for processing.			
Reference Range	No fungal elements found			

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Testing Schedule	Monday through Sunday TAT: 24 hours
CPT Code(s)	87220
Lab Section	NRLS-Microbiology