St. James's Hospital Request for Laboratory Services
MICROBIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
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N.B. This form is to be used when Powerchart is down or the test being requested is not available on EPR.

FOR LAB USE ONLY PLEASE AFFIX SPECIMEN NUMBER BARCODE LABEL HERE

Patient Details (Complete Fully OR Attach an Addressograph Label inside the dotted line below):

MRN: **Requesting Location:**

Surname:

First Name: **Male** **Female**

Date of Birth: / / **Ethnicity (if relevant)**

Patient's Address:

Consultant's Name:

Requesting Signature: **Contact Number for Reports:**

Clinical Details: **Drug / Antibiotic Therapy**

Date Specimen Taken: **Time Taken:** **Date/Time Received:**

SPECIMENS (Please Tick): **Blood** **Urine** **Stool** **Swab** **Other** →

General Microbiology: Specimen site required to ensure correct processing

Culture & Sensitivity
[ ] Urine
[ ] Swab
[ ] Fluid
Site:_____

Fungal Culture
[ ] Nail Clippings
[ ] Hair
[ ] Skin Scrapings
Site:_____

STI Molecular Investigations
[ ] CT/NG (Endocervical Swab)
[ ] CT/NG (Vaginal Swab)
[ ] CT/NG (First Void Urine)
[ ] CT/NG (Pharyngeal Swab)
[ ] CT/NG (Rectal Swab)

[ ] Sputum C/S
[ ] Sputum TB

[ ] MRSA Screen Swab
(Nasal/Throat/Groin)

[ ] Stools Investigation
[ ] Stools Ova & Parasites**
** performed only when relevant clinical details are provided.

Viral Molecular Investigations
(Green Top Viral Swab)
[ ] Herpes Simplex Virus (HSV)
[ ] Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV)
Site: _____

Serology (Order either profiles or individual Investigations as appropriate)

PROFILES	INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATIONS	
[ ] STI Screen (Syphilis, HIV, Hep B sAg	[ ] Syphilis	[ ] Hep C core Ag
[ ] Measles / Mumps / Rubella Screen IgG	[ ] HIV	[ ] Measles
[ ] Viral Hepatitis B & C Screen (Hep B sAg, Hep C Ab)	[ ] Hep B sAg	[ ] Mumps
[ ] Hepatitis B Infection Status (Hep B sAg, Hep B cAb)	[ ] Hep B sAb (Post-vaccination)	[ ] Rubella
[ ] Current Hepatitis C infection (Hep C core Ag)	[ ] Hep B core Ab	[ ] Hep A IgG
	[ ] Hep C Ab	[ ] VZV IgG
	[ ] Other (please specify): _____	

Specimen requirements and other information are available on the on-line user guide on the Intranet:
http://search.stjames.ie/Labmed/