



IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF
HEALTH & WELFARE

Test Title	<i>Bordetella pertussis</i> Identification/Confirmation of Referred Isolate Methodology: Microscopic Morphology, Immunofluorescence, Biochemical Testing, PCR
Sample Requirements	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sample type(s): actively growing pure culture on suitable medium2. Rejection criteria: none
Sampling Materials	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sample container: sealed culture plate or tube
Procedural Notes	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Use the B. pertussis Test Request Form and Client Billing Form (if applicable). Also reference the B. pertussis Collection Instructions sheet found below the test request form.2. CPT code: 87077(ID), 87265 (FA), 87798 (PCR)
Shipping Instructions	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Temperature/preservative instructions: hold and ship at room temperature2. Package according to Biological Substance, Category B, shipping guidelines.3. Ship to: Idaho Bureau of Laboratories ATTENTION: Bacteriology Laboratory 2220 Old Penitentiary Rd Boise, ID 83712
Reporting and Turnaround Time (TAT)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. TAT: 6 business days2. This disease must be reported to your local health district or to the state Bureau of Communicable Disease Prevention according to the rules and regulations governing Idaho reportable diseases (IDAPA 16.02.10)3. Reference range: N/A