



IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF
HEALTH & WELFARE

Test Title	Group A <i>Streptococcus</i> (invasive), <i>emm</i> Typing Methodology: Sequencing
Sample Requirements	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sample type(s): actively growing pure culture on suitable medium2. Rejection criteria: N/A
Sampling Materials	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sample container: N/A
Procedural Notes	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Bacteriology Test Request Form
Shipping Instructions	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Temperature/preservative instructions: room temperature2. Package according to IATA packaging instruction 650 for Category B organisms.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: 4-6 working days from pure culture2. This disease must be reported to your local health district or to the Bureau of Communicable Disease Prevention and Control according to the rules and regulations governing Idaho reportable diseases (IDAPA 16.02.10).