

New Transport Medium for Stool Specimens

Effective Date: Feb. 15, 2017

- Recent quality control testing of Cary-Blair stool transport medium has shown product contamination.
- The contaminating organism is NOT a stool pathogen and does NOT increase the risk of generating a false positive stool culture report.
- We are actively working to replace the contaminated product as shown below:



CONTAMINATED PRODUCT (C&S Medium Stool Transport Solution for Enteric Pathogens)

- It has a yellow cap and label.
- It should NOT be used – Please discard



NEW PRODUCT (Para-Pak C&S Stool Transport Solution for Enteric Pathogens)

- It has an orange cap and label.
- Contact Client Services for replacement of Cary Blair Stool Transport or by sending a supply requisition with the lab couriers.
- Unused product can be discarded or returned to BRL via the courier service.

If you have questions, please contact Client Services (1-800-551-0488, option 5).

Laboratory Test Directory: <http://beaumontlaboratory.com/test-lab-directory>.

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