



IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & WELFARE
DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Test Title	Respiratory Virus Detection: Adenovirus, RSV, Parainfluenza 1, 2 and 3, Influenza A and B Methodology: Culture Isolation/Identification
Specimen Requirements	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Specimen type(s): (1 mL minimum) nasopharyngeal, nasal, or throat swab in Viral Transport Medium (VTM); nasal wash or aspirate (1 mL), bronchoalveolar lavage, endotracheal aspirate or wash, tracheal aspirate, sputum, or lung tissue2. Rejection criteria: dry swab and wood or calcium alginate swabs are not acceptable.
Sampling Materials	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Swab or tissue in VTM, Wash
Procedural Notes	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Clinical Test Request Form2. CPT Code: 87252 (Culture), 87253 (ID)
Shipping Instructions	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Temperature/preservative instructions: Refrigerate (2-8°C) or room temperature (20-25°C)2. Package according to Biological Substance, Category B, shipping guidelines.3. Ship to: Idaho Bureau of Laboratories ATTENTION: Virology Laboratory 2220 Old Penitentiary Rd Boise, ID 83712
Reporting and Turnaround Time (TAT)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. TAT: 7 days for negative result2. A negative result does not rule out the presence of viral infection.3. RSV must be reported to the local public health district or to Idaho Bureau of Communicable Disease Prevention according to the rules and regulations governing Idaho reportable diseases (IDAPA 16.02.10).4. Reference Range: N/A