

# STREPTOCOCCI GROUP A THROAT SWAB

Profile Details | 1 Parameters

Fasting: Fasting is not mandatory | Report Time: Within 3 Days



**Specimen Required:** Throat Swab

Price- ₹2400 **₹1470**

## Parameters Included

### About This Test

A **Streptococcus Group A** test measures the presence of Group A Streptococcus (GAS) bacteria in a sample. This bacterium, also known as **Streptococcus pyogenes**, responsible for various infections, ranging from mild to severe. Here's what the test assesses: 1. **Detection of Bacteria**: Identifies the presence of Group A Streptococcus bacteria in a sample, commonly obtained from the throat, blood, or skin. 2. **Diagnosis of Infections**: Helps diagnose infections caused by Group A Streptococcus, such as: - **Strep Throat**: A common throat infection causing sore throat, fever, and swollen lymph nodes. - **Scarlet Fever**: A rash that can accompany strep throat. - **Impetigo**: A skin infection characterized by red sores. - **Cellulitis and Erysipelas**: Skin infections causing redness, swelling, and pain. 3. **Prevention of Complications**: Early detection and treatment help prevent complications of GAS infections, such as rheumatic fever and post-streptococcal glomerulonephritis, which can occur if the infection is untreated. 4. **Guidance for Treatment**: Positive results guide appropriate antibiotic treatment to effectively eliminate the bacteria and reduce the risk of transmission and complications. In summary, a Streptococcus Group A test measures the presence of GAS bacteria to diagnose infections, guide treatment, and prevent complications associated with these bacteria.



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