

## THROAT SWAB CULTURE

Profile Details | 1 Parameters

Fasting: Fasting is not mandatory | Report Time: Within 5 Days



**Specimen Required:** Not Specified

Price- ₹650 ₹390

### Parameters Included

#### About This Test

A \*\*throat swab\*\* test measures the presence of bacteria, viruses, or fungi in the throat and is commonly used to diagnose infections. Here's what the test assesses: 1. \*\*Bacterial Infections\*\*: Identifies bacteria such as \*Streptococcus pyogenes\* (Group A Streptococcus), which causes strep throat. It can also detect other bacteria that cause throat infections. 2. \*\*Viral Infections\*\*: Can help identify viruses that cause throat infections, such as influenza, adenovirus, or Epstein-Barr virus (which causes mononucleosis). 3. \*\*Fungal Infections\*\*: Can detect fungi such as \*Candida\* species, which can cause oral thrush. 4. \*\*Antibiotic Sensitivity\*\*: Often includes testing to determine the sensitivity of bacteria to different antibiotics, guiding effective treatment. 5. \*\*Diagnosis of Conditions\*\*: Assists in diagnosing various conditions presenting with sore throat, such as strep throat, tonsillitis, pharyngitis, and diphtheria. In summary, a throat swab test measures the presence of pathogens in the throat to diagnose bacterial, viral, or fungal infections and guide appropriate treatment.



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