

Expanded Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing for Hard-to-Treat Infections (ExAST) Authorization Form



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Instructions: Please provide the following information and submit the completed form via email to arlnutah@utah.gov with subject line "ExAST Request." If the request is approved, additional guidance will be provided for isolate submission.

Testing Requested

_____ Aztreonam-avibactam susceptibility for metallo- β -lactamase (MBL) producing Enterobacterales Carbapenemase /MDRO gene ☐ NDM ☐ VIM ☐ IMP ☐ None ☐ Unknown Other: _____

Tests non-susceptible to all beta-lactams ☐ Y ☐ No ☐ Test Not Done

Ceftazidime-avibactam susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done

Meropenem-vaborbactam susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done

_____ Imepenem-relebactam susceptibility for carbapenemase-producing Enterobacterales & *P. aeruginosa* (except *Proteus spp.*, *Providencia spp.*, *Morganella spp.*)
Imipenem susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done

_____ Meropenem-vaborbactam susceptibility for carbapenemase-producing Enterobacterales
Meropenem susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done

_____ Sulbactam-durlobactam susceptibility for extensively drug-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii*
Imipenem susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done
Meropenem susceptibility ☐ S ☐ I ☐ R ☐ Test Not Done

Patient/Isolate Information

Patient Name: _____ Patient DOB: _____

Specimen collection date: _____ Organism: _____

Specimen source: _____

Isolate ID (submitting facility ID or accession number): _____

Expected Shipping Date: _____

Submitter Contact Information

Ordering Physician : _____ **Test Request Date:** _____

Healthcare Facility Name and Address: _____

1st Point of Contact: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

Email: _____

2nd Point of Contact: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

Email: _____

State/Local Health Dept Point of Contact: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Results will be returned by lab-web portal or encrypted email.

