



# SAMPLE REPORT

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## MICROBIOLOGY

STOOL, SPOT Result Range Units

### C. DIFFICILE TOXIN

CLOSTRIDIUM DIFFICILE: **POSITIVE**

Toxin A: Not Detected **Detected**

Toxin B: Not Detected **Detected**

Method: GDH antigen detected by immunochromatographic slide test.

#### Comment:

Clostridium difficile can present as mild to severe infection with abdominal pain, cramping, diarrhoea, fever, abdominal distention, sepsis, and acute abdominal obstruction and raised inflammatory markers.

#### Treatment

Stop the offending antibiotic. Asymptomatic patients or GDH positive but toxin negative patients may not need treatment. Close monitoring is essential with warning signs of deterioration. Repeat faecal toxin testing advised only after 28 days or worsening symptoms, as toxins may still be circulating in the system for up-to 28 days.

Mild infections: Oral Metronidazole 500 mg three times daily for 2 weeks.

Consider probiotics/herbal formulas, which can suppress C. diff without activating toxin production.

For further information about this report, please contact NutriPATH on 1300 688 522.