



WOUND SPECIMEN COLLECTION

Superficial, Lesion, Wound, Pustule, Ulcer:

1. Disinfect surrounding area.
2. Sample advancing margin of the wound with an aerobic culture swab.

Deep Wound, Abscess

1. Disinfect surrounding area prior to obtaining specimen.
2. After specimen is obtained, transfer into appropriate transport media (aerobic and /or anaerobic).

Click Here: Anaerobic culture requires special transport media.