



Product Sheet

Neisseria gonorrhoeae (ATCC® 49981™)

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Description

Designation: NHI 1

Deposited Name: *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* (Zopf) Trevisan

Propagation

Medium

ATCC® Medium 814: GC Agar/Broth Medium

Growth Conditions

Temperature: 37°C

Atmosphere: 5% CO₂

Propagation Procedure

1. Open vial according to enclosed instructions.
2. Using a single tube of #814 broth (5 to 6 mL), withdraw approximately 0.5 to 1.0 mL with a Pasteur or 1.0 mL pipette. Rehydrate pellet.
3. Aseptically transfer this aliquot back into the broth tube. Mix well.
4. Use several drops of the suspension to inoculate a second tube of broth, a slant, and/or plate.
5. Incubate all tubes and plate at 37°C with 5% CO₂ for 24 to 48 hours. Assure that screw caps are loose during incubation period.

Notes

Good growth should occur within 24 to 48 hours of incubation. Colonies are entire, glistening, circular, smooth, low convex, and light grey. The increased CO₂ is helpful for growth.

Brain Heart Infusion (BD 237500) can be used to rehydrate vial contents if #814 broth is not available, but it will not support growth as well as the GC broth.

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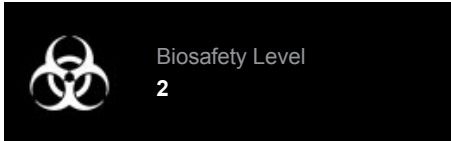


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