# Helicobacter pylori Antigen Detection Stool

**Order Name:** HPYLORI AG  
**Test Number:** 3502325  
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## TEST NAME
- **Helicobacter pylori Antigen Detection Stool**
  - **METHODOLOGY:** Immunoassay
  - **LOINC CODE:** 80373-4

## SPECIMEN REQUIREMENTS

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<tr>
<th>Specimen</th>
<th>Specimen Volume (min)</th>
<th>Specimen Type</th>
<th>Specimen Container</th>
<th>Transport Environment</th>
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<td>Preferred</td>
<td>5g (1)</td>
<td>Stool, Random</td>
<td>Stool specimen container</td>
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**Instructions:**

- **Patient Preparation:** To avoid false negative results, no antibiotics, proton pump inhibitors, or a bismuth preparation should be administered to patient for 14 days prior to specimen collection.

  Transfer 5g(1g) stool to an unpreserved stool transport vial and Freeze.

  Unacceptable Conditions: Gastric specimens, swabs or tissue. Specimens in media or preservatives.

  Stability: Ambient: 2 hours; Refrigerated: 72 hours; Frozen: 1 month.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Testing Schedule:** Sun-Sat
- **Expected TAT:** 2 Days
- **CPT Code(s):** 87338
- **Lab Section:** Microbiology