

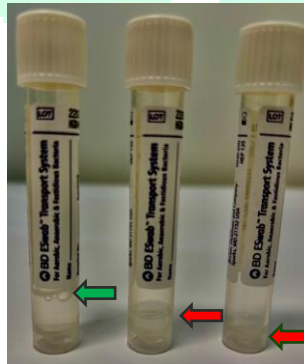
### BD ESwab Collection Kit Alert

Notification Date: 2/10/2025

**Per the Emergency Care Research Institute (ECRI):** BD ESwab collection kit vials may be empty or contain insufficient medium to process samples.

#### Recommendation:

1. **Before collecting a specimen, verify that vials have sufficient medium.** Some vials have been reported to be empty or have noticeably less than the normal level, (1 mL), of liquid medium.
2. Return affected vials to ProMedica Laboratories, NCL, Attn: Materials Management for ECRI reporting.



(Left: Normal liquid medium volume. Middle: Insufficient liquid medium volume. Right: No liquid medium)