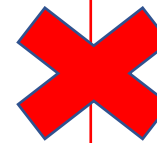
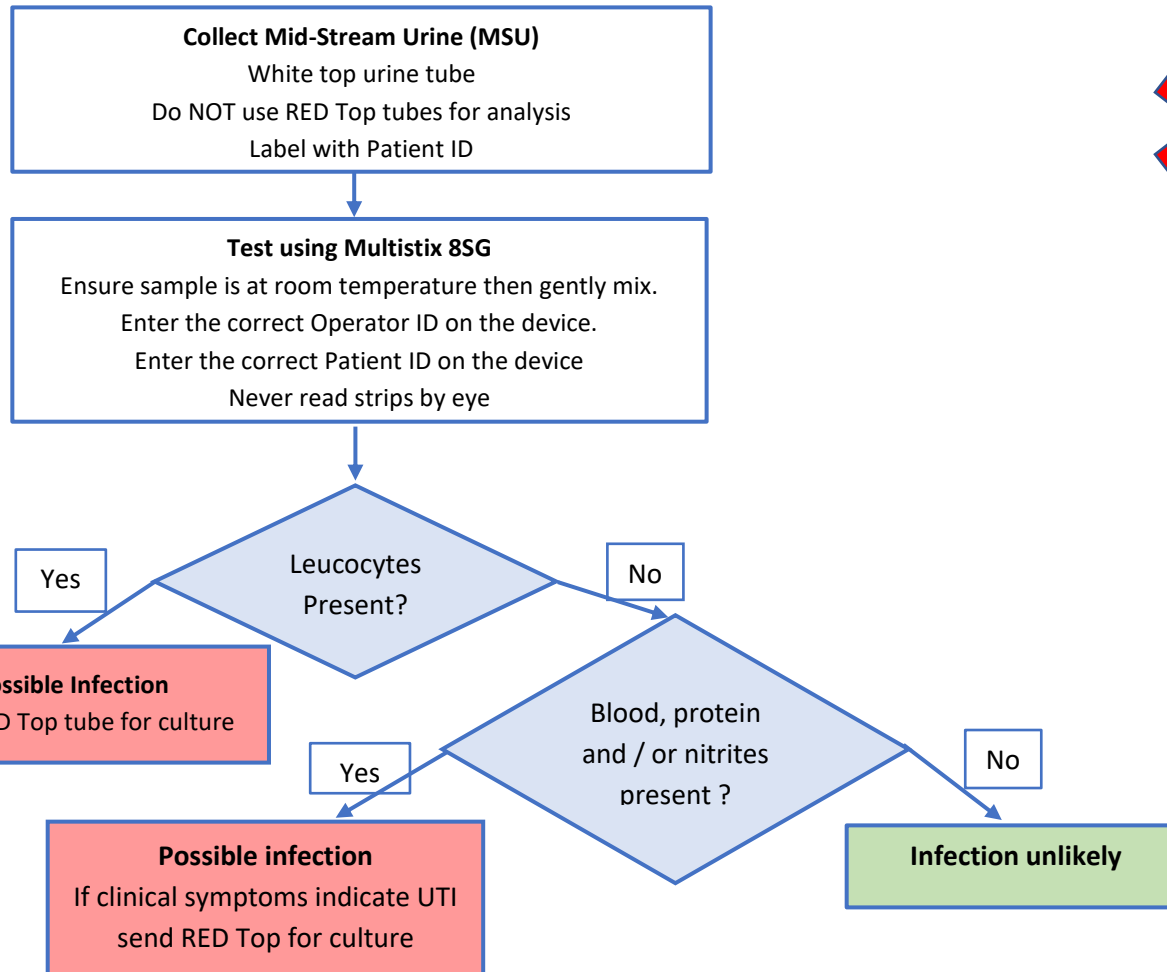


Urinalysis Flowchart for Uncomplicated UTIs (Clinitek Status and MultiStix 8SG/10SG)

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Do Not Use Multistix With:-

Heavily Blood-Stained / Pigmented Urine
Urine Collected in a RED Top tube

Do Not Use This UTI Protocol In:-

Pregnancy
Children Under 2 Years Old
Immunocompromised Patients

False negative leucocyte results may occur with:-

- Cephalexin
- Cephalathin
- Tetracycline
- Oxalic Acid

False negative blood results may occur with:-

- Captopril

Ascorbic acid (vitamin C) may interfere with all tests

The following conditions require dedicated microscopy:-

- Glomerulonephritis
- SLE
- Endocarditis
- Crystals
- Schistosomiasis
- Eosinophiluria
- Casts
- Candida

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***** False Negatives may occur*****

GUIDANCE FOR MANAGING PATIENTS USING POCT RESULTS_Urinalysis Flowchart; Sending Samples to Lab: Siemens Clinitek
You may override this protocol if there is a high clinical suspicion of UTI but full justification is required on the request form.