Examples of appropriate Vaginal-rectal swab commercially available options include StrepB carrot broth or Without enrichment. Granada Biphasic broth. Place in pigmented enrichment broth the false negative rate can be as high as 50% Incubate in enrichment broth x 18-24 hrs at 35-37°C Around 4% of invasive **△** isolates are non beta E hemolytic, so samples without a color change always require GBS indicator color No color change Giving PCN-allergic observed further testing women the most effective drug depends Latex agglutination, DNA probe, on YOU! Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT), Test appropriate samples for or other molecular testing GBS+ susceptibility to clindamycin and erythromycin, **Identify GBS INCLUDING** inducible clindamycin resistance Report as GBS+ GBS-GBS+ Report as GBS+ Report as GBS If PCN-allergic & at high risk for anaphylaxis, subculture and incubate 18-24 hrs at 35-37°C to conduct susceptibility testing Centers for Disease **Control and Prevention** National Center for Immunization

For more information, see http://www.cdc.gov/groupbstrep/lab CDC. Prevention of perinatal group B streptococcal disease. Revised guidelines from CDC, 2010. MMWR. 2010;59(RR-10):1-32.

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