

## STOOL EXAMINATION, OCCULT BLOOD

(Guaiac Method)

OCCULT BLOOD	Present / Absent	Absent
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### Comments

This test is mainly used as screening for asymptomatic ulcerated lesions of the GI tract. In order to avoid false positivity, certain dietary and drug restrictions are recommended. For 3 days before the test avoid large doses of drugs like Aspirin / NSAID / Vitamin C / Oral iron, red meat, poultry, fish, vegetables like cucumber, horseradish & cauliflower & vigorous brushing of teeth with a hard toothbrush.

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