Emergency department (ED) in acute care community teaching hospital

- Reduced antimicrobial prescriptions for urinary indications among admitted patients by 50%\(^1\)
- Reduced ED patient callbacks by 40% with no untreated urinary tract infections\(^1\)
- Reduced urinalysis turnaround time by 65%\(^1\)

About the hospital\(^1\)

- 515-bed hospital in large urban center
- 73,000 ED visits annually
- 150 staff and 40 emergency physicians

BD\(^\circledR\) Specimen Management focus areas

- Prep
- Collect
- Transport
- Analyze
- Report

Our goal is to help you succeed in:

- Improving patient comfort and experience
- Minimizing specimen contamination rate
- Reducing lab turnaround time
- Maximizing diagnostic accuracy and operational efficiency

Results based on quality assurance initiative with specific BD customer—may not be indicative of future results

References