
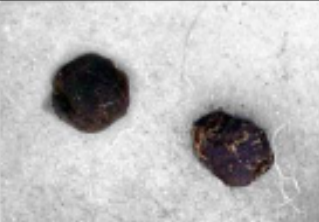











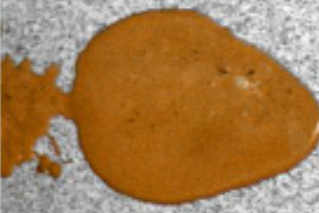


Bristol Stool Chart		
Type 1		 Separate hard dry lumps, like nuts, hard to pass
Type 2		 Sausage-shaped but lumpy
Type 3		 Like a sausage but with cracks on its surface
Type 4		 Like a sausage or snake, smooth and soft
Type 5		 Soft blobs with clear cut edges, passed easily
Type 6		 Fluffy pieces with ragged edges, a mushy stool
Type 7		 Entirely liquid and forms to the shape of the container holding it, no solid pieces

Type 7 is what *Clostridium difficile* stool samples should look like