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| Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); respiratory virus (eg, adenovirus, influenza virus, coronavirus, metapneumovirus, parainfluenza virus, respiratory syncytial virus, rhinovirus), includes multiplex reverse transcription, when performed, and multiplex amplified probe technique, multiple types or subtypes, 3-5 targets | • Both are multiplex amplified probe for infectious agent pathogens  
• Same number of targets  
• Similar instrumentation  
• Similar work flow, reagents, labor |

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