Colonies growing on TSB selective agar and colonies resembling sheep's blood agar plates (BAP) (BD Bacto) by replica plating. NaCl and the same antibiotics (TSB selective agar) and onto 5% H9262 broth (BD BBL) containing the same antibiotics. Enterococcosel agar (BD BBL) containing the same antibiotics. This broth was plated to Enterococcosel broth (BD BBL, Sparks, MD) containing vancomycin (20 mg/liter), colistin (10 mg/liter), amphotericin (2 mg/liter), and nalidixic acid (15 mg/liter) and incubated (24 to 26 h, 37°C). This broth was plated to Enterococcosel agar (BD BBL) containing the same antibiotics. Black colonies were subjected to matrix-assisted laser desorption ionization–time of flight mass spectrometry system for identification of enterococcal infections. Clin. Infect. Dis. 16:1729–1735. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1469-0691.2010.03332.x.


