



Percentage of stool samples showing
Blastocystis in samples submitted to clinical labs
Western United States and US 1987-2004

Although the rate is declining, many people who got sick in the last 10 years are still sick. People who got sick in the last 7 years often report the infection is resistant to Metronidazole, the only drug ever reported to consistently work against Blastocystis infection

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