

**Figure A1. Stools tested for fecal indole concentration in 50 volunteers challenged with** *Cryptosporidium.* Volunteers were grouped based on infection outcome: uninfected (no oocysts or diarrhea) and infected (oocysts + diarrhea). Boxes indicate the study day that stool samples were collected from each volunteer: Stage 1, (baseline) prior to or within 48 hours after challenge; stage 2, period when diarrhea occurred; and stage 3, period when oocyst shedding and diarrhea had resolved. Diarrheic stools are indicated (hatched). TU502 represents *C. hominis*; all other isolates are *C. parvum.* Fecal microbiota were studied in infected (#5, 29, 119, 120, 132, 178) and uninfected (#9, 123, 130, 156, 185) subjects.

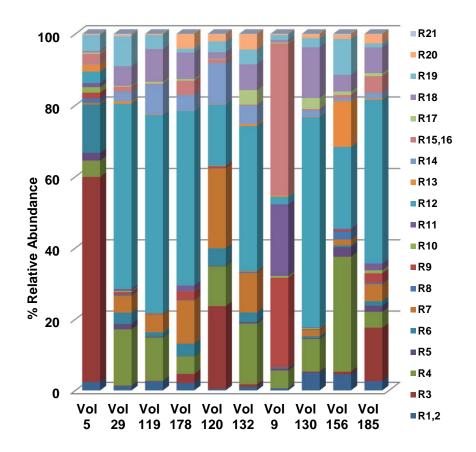


Figure A2. Percent relative abundance for 19 common bacterial taxons in the stools of 10 healthy subjects. Stools were collected prior to or within 48 hours after challenge with *Cryptosporidium*. See Table 1 for identification of bacteria represented by the coded designations in the legend.

Table A1. Indole concentration (mM) in stool samples from 17 symptomatic subjects infected with *Cryptosporidium*. Indole measurements were done at baseline (before or within 48 hours of challenge, n=18) or during diarrheal illness (n=17). Fecal indole levels are compared for parameters representing intensity of infection and severity of illness. Values represent the mean ± standard deviation for each group. Comparisons were tested using unpaired Student's t test.

	Fecal Indole Concentration (mM)			
	At Baseline		During diarrheal illness	
Onset of diarrhea		p=		p=
≤ Day 4	1.72 ± 0.65	0.984	1.33 ± 0.93	0.723
> Day 4	1.72 ± 0.94		1.49 ± 0.94	
Duration of diarrhea				
≤ 7 days	1.68 ± 0.87	0.773	1.56 ± 1.03	0.367
>7 days	1.80 ± 0.63		1.13 ± 0.63	
Total stool weight				
≤1500 g	1.76 ± 0.89	0.819	1.64 ± 0.93	0.268
>1500 g	1.67 ± 0.64		1.14 ± 0.87	
Number of unformed stools	5			
≤14	1.69 ± 0.85	0.821	1.67 ± 0.93	0.113
>14	1.78 ± 0.70		0.93 ± 0.71	
Onset of shedding				
≤ Day 6	1.42 ± 0.84	0.138	0.87 ± 0.66	0.017
> Day 6	1.99 ± 0.65		1.88 ± 0.86	
Duration of shedding				
≤ 7 days	1.63 ± 0.83	0.466	1.54 ± 0.98	0.349
>7 days	1.94 ± 0.65		1.07 ± 0.68	
Total oocysts shed				
≤10 <sup>6</sup>	1.35 ± 0.65	0.062	1.20 ± 0.56	0.394
>106	2.05 ± 0.76		1.59 ± 1.14	