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Calcofluor White Staining Method

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A microscopy staining method that utilizes calcofluor, a fluorescent dye that preferentially stains chitin and cellulose on the cell walls of fungi, parasites, and some cysts of the *Pneumocystis* genus.