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DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
HUMAN BODY TISSUES/FLUIDS	Microbiology examination activities for the purpose of clinical diagnosis	In-house documented procedures as referenced and based on United Kingdom Health Security Agency (UKHSA) standards for Microbiology Investigations (SMIs) and manufacturer's instructions as appropriate
	General isolation and characterisation of micro-organisms of clinical significance	
CSF		Culture and Light Microscopy ESOP008 and ESOP 068Investigation of CSF
Genital samples		ESOP009 Investigation of genital tract and associated specimens
Mouth swabs		ESOP012 Investigation of mouth swabs
Nasal samples		ESOP013 Investigation of nasal samples
Throat swabs		ESOP015 Investigation of throat swabs
Bronchoalveolar lavage, Sputum and associated specimens		ESOP016 Investigation of Bronchoalveolar lavage, Sputum and associated specimens
Tissues and biopsies		ESOP017 Investigation of tissues and biopsies ESOP221 Orthopaedic Implants/prosethic joints associated with infection samples

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	General isolation and characterisation of micro-organisms of clinical significance (cont'd)	
Bone		ESOP020 Investigation of bone and soft tissue associated with osteomyelitis
Ear swabs and associated specimens		Culture and Light Microscopy of wet preps and Gram stains ESOP023 Investigation of ear swabs and associated specimens
Eye swabs and canaliculi pus		ESOP024 Investigation of eye swabs and canalicular pus
Skin, and wound swabs, cyst and abscess material		ESOP025 Investigation of swabs, skin and superficial soft tissue infection ESOP 026 investigation of abscesses post operative and deep seated wound infections (pus and exudate) ESOP 028 Investigation intervascular cannular and associated specimens
Urine		ESOP 010 Investigation of Urine
Bile		ESOP027 Investigation of Bile Traditional Culture and Microscopy of wet preps and Gram stains
CAPD fluid		ESOP030 Investigation of CAPD fluid

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Joint, ascitic pericardial fluid		ESOP031 Investigation of fluids from normally sterile sites/ESOP 221 Investigation of Orthopaedic implants/prosthetic joint associated infection
Intraocular fluids and corneal scrapings		ESOP033 Investigation of intraocular fluids and corneal scrapings
Nasal, groin, perineum swabs	MRSA	ESOP032 Investigation of specimens for MRSA screening
Sputum	Detection of <i>Mycobacterium</i> tuberculosis complex and detection of Rifampicin resistance genes.	ESOP278. Detection using GeneXpert and MTB/RIF Ultra.
Urine	Detection of Legionella pneumophilia serogroup 1 urinary antigen	ESOP 189, By the Sofia Legionella Fluorescent Immunoassay. (FIA)
Skin, hair and nails	Mycoses	ESOP072 Investigation of dermatological specimens for superficial mycoses using culture and Lactophenol blue wet mounts
Faeces	Enteric Pathogens	Investigation of faeces for enteric pathogens ESOP021
Faeces	Helicobacter pylori	ESOP107 Investigation of Helicobacter pylori (Antigen detection by ELISA on DS2)

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Faeces	Clostridium difficile Glutamate dehydrogenase	Enzyme immunoassay for the detection of C.difficile glutamate dehydrogenase (GDH) on DS2. Qualitative
	Toxins A & B	Immunocard Toxin A&B kit. By horizontal flow EIA ESOP196 and ESOP 215
	Detection of <i>Clostridium difficile</i> Glutamate dehydrogenase and Toxins A&B	ESOP215 using Techlab C.Diff Quik Check Complete
	Rotavirus	ESOP 021 (Coris Lateral Flow)

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Faeces, Intestinal fluid, bile, CSF, liver & spleen aspirates, clear adhesive tape slides, sputum & tissue biopsies	Detection of parasites of clinical significance.	Concentration of and Traditional Microscopy using ESOP022 Investigation of specimens other than blood for parasites
Faeces	Cryptosporidium oocysts	Cold Ziehl Neelsen and microscopy ESOP 021 and ESOP117
Blood	Bacterial growth detection	Automated incubation and bacterial growth detection by BD Bactec Fx ESOP 007 -investigation of blood cultures
Cultured isolates	Identification of micro-organisms	Automated identification using Vitek 2 and ESOP071 and manual identification tests
		MALDI-TOF Identification (VITEK MS) ESOP 255 and 256
Bacterial Isolates	Antimicrobial susceptibility testing	Determination of antimicrobial susceptibility by disc diffusion read manually (ESOP083) or on SIRscan i2a 2000, Gradient Mic strip (ESOP080) and Automated broth microdilution using VITEK 2 (ESOP 163). Interpretation of breakpoints and zone sizes based on EUCAST

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Serology examination activities for the purpose of	In-house documented procedures
clinical diagnosis	as referenced and based on United Kingdom Health Security Agency (UKHSA)) standards for Microbiology Investigations (SMIs) and manufacturer's instructions as appropriate
HIV antibody/antigen combination	Antibody and Antigen detection by electrochemiluminescence immunoassay (ECLIA) on Cobas 8000/e602 ESOP 101 and QMS 696
 Anti Hbs Hep B Core Hep B sAg Rubella IgG Syphilis 	 ESOP 112 ESOP102 ESOP102 ESOP105 ESOP104
Antibody / Antigen Detection for:	Antibody / Antigen detection by electrochemiluminescence immunoassay ECLIA on Cobas8000/e602
 Hepatitis B antibody Hepatitis B surface antigen HIV antigen/antibody Syphilis antibody Hepatitis C antibody 	 ESOP 112 ESOP 102 ESOP 101 ESOP 104 ESOP 097
	Detection by Chemiluminescence immunoassay (CLIA) on Liaison XL
 CMV IgM and IgG Measles IgG Hep A IgM and IgG Toxoplasmosis IgG Parvovirus B19 EBV IgM/EBV IgG/EBNA VZ IgG 	ESOP106 ESOP113 ESOP103 and 157 ESOP115 ESOP174 and QMSP698 ESOP173 ESOP116
	HIV antibody/antigen combination Anti Hbs Hep B Core Hep B sAg Rubella IgG Syphilis Antibody / Antigen Detection for: Hepatitis B antibody Hepatitis B surface antigen HIV antigen/antibody Syphilis antibody Hepatitis C antibody Hepatitis C antibody CMV IgM and IgG Measles IgG Hep A IgM and IgG Measles IgG Hep A IgM and IgG Parvovirus B19 EBV IgM/EBV IgG/EBNA

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Urine, Vulvo-vaginal swab, rectal swab, throat swab, eye swab, urthethral	Chlamydia trachomatis and Neisseria gonorrhoea	Automated extraction, amplification and utilising real-time PCR technology using the Qiagen QIASymphony and Rotor Gene Q ESOP 257 ESOP 258 ESOP056
Respiratory panel only: Throat swab Nasopharyngeal swab Nasopharyngeal aspirate Endotracheal aspirate GI panel only: Faecal swab	Detection of respiratory and/or gastrointestinal targets	Flexible Scope for targets detected by real time RT-PCR using QIAstat-DX (QIAstat-Dx Respiratory Panel or QIAstat-Dx Gastrointestinal Panel) Flexible scope protocols: ESOP 198 ESOP 266 ESOP 267 Flexible scope limited to the application of these methods for the detection of additional targets listed in QMSR068 Flexible Scope ETS
Throat swab Nasopharyngeal swab Nasopharyngeal aspirate Endotracheal aspirate	Detection of Respiratory Pathogens	Flexible Scope for targets detected by Qiagen NeuMoDx 96 Molecular System and NeuMoDx real time PCR Assays Flexible scope protocols: ESOP 198 ESOP 266 ESOP 267 Flexible scope limited to the application of these methods for the detection of additional targets listed in QMSR068 Flexible Scope ETS record

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Urine, Vulvo-vaginal swab, rectal swab, throat swab, eye swab, urethral swab	Detection Genito Urinary Pathogens	Flexible Scope for targets detected by Qiagen NeuMoDx 96 Molecular System and NeuMoDx real time PCR Assays Flexible scope protocols: ESOP 198 ESOP 266 ESOP 267
		Flexible scope limited to the application of these methods for the detection of additional targets listed in QMSR068 Flexible Scope ETS record
Serum / Plasma	Detection of Bloodborne Viruses (qualitative and quantitative)	Flexible Scope for targets detected by Qiagen NeuMoDx 96 Molecular System and NeuMoDx real time PCR Assays Flexible scope protocols:
		ESOP 198 ESOP 266 ESOP 267
		Flexible scope limited to the application of these methods for the detection of additional targets listed in QMSR068 Flexible Scope ETS record

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Vesicle, lesion and ulcer swabs, fluids and crusts	Detection of Herpes Simplex Virus 1 & 2 Varicella Zoster Virus	Extraction by Qiagen QIASymphony and detection by Rotor Gene Q by Artus kits ESOP 257 ESOP 258 ESOP226
Genital swabs	Detection of Herpes Simplex Virus 1 & 2	Extraction by Qiagen QIASymphony and detection by Rotor Gene Q by Artus Kit ESOP 257 ESOP 258E SOP226
Throat swabs Nasopharyngeal swabs using eNaat swabs	Detection of RNA targets of : B-beta coronavirus E gene and S gene	Extraction by Qiagen QIASymphony and detection by Rotor Gene Q by RealStar by Altona diagnostics using RT PCR

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Eye swab	Detection of Varicella zoster Herpes simplex virus 1 & 2, Adenovirus	Extraction by Qiagen QIASymphony and detection by Rotor Gene Q by Artus Kit ESOP 257 ESOP 258 ESOP226
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