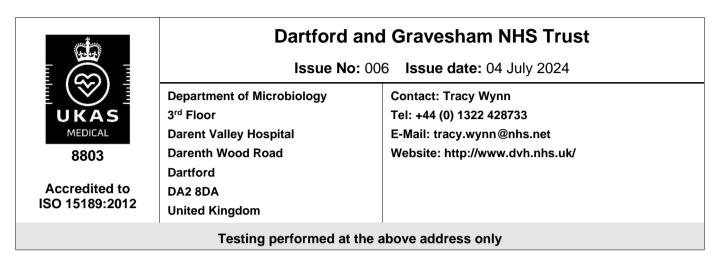
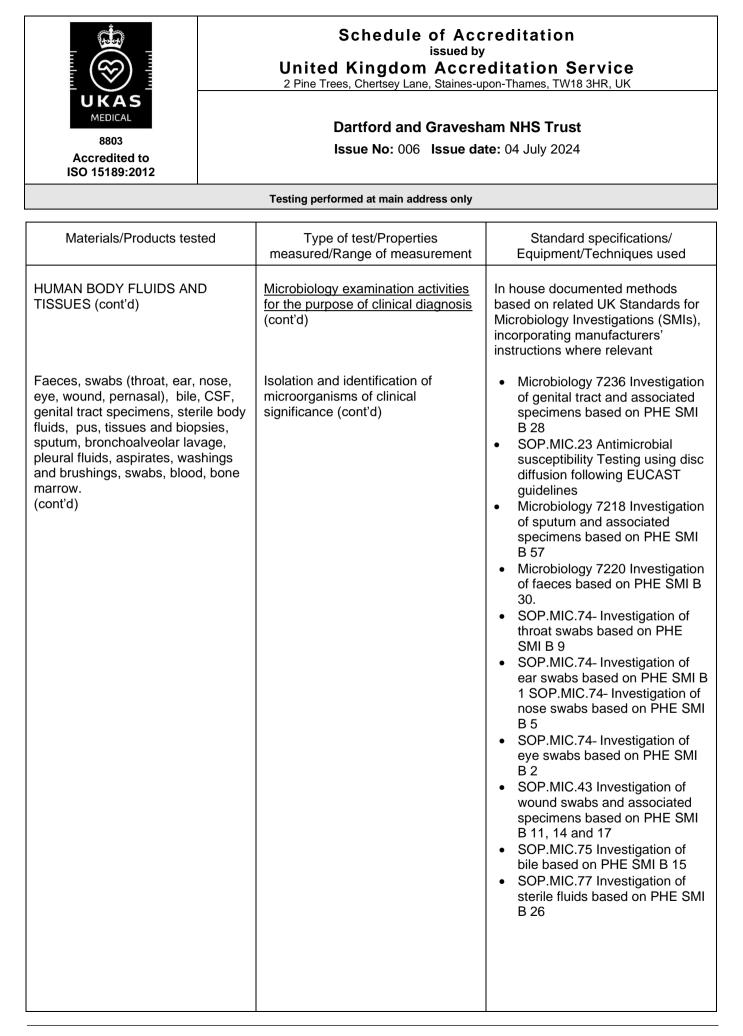
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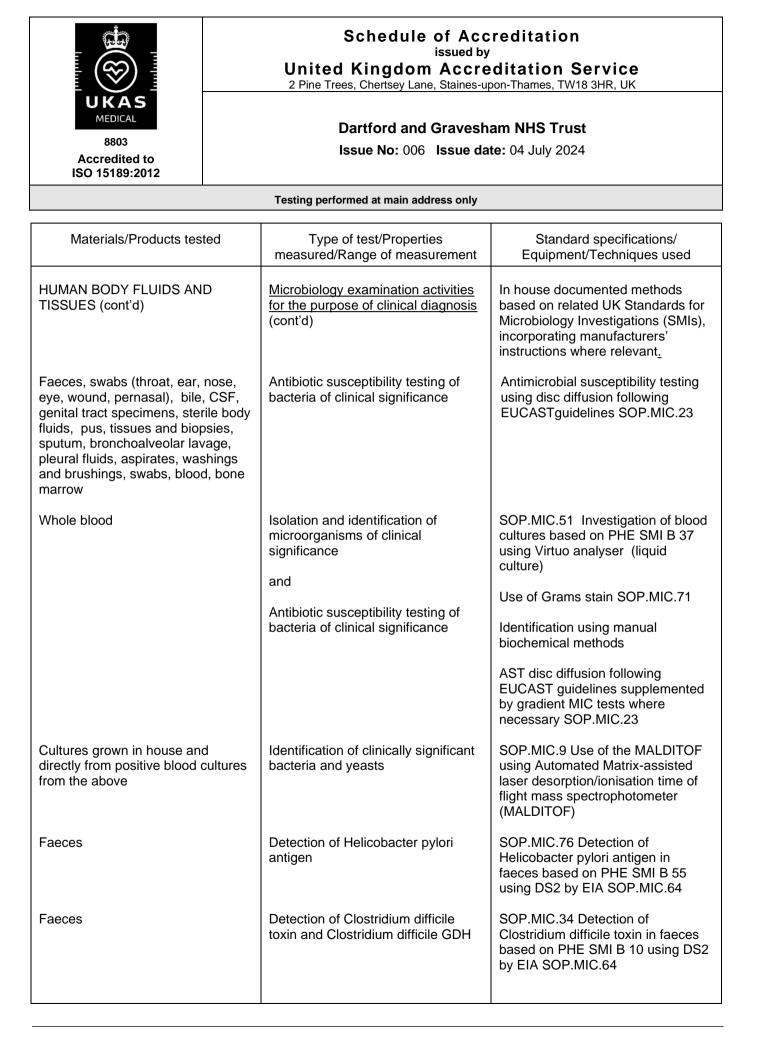
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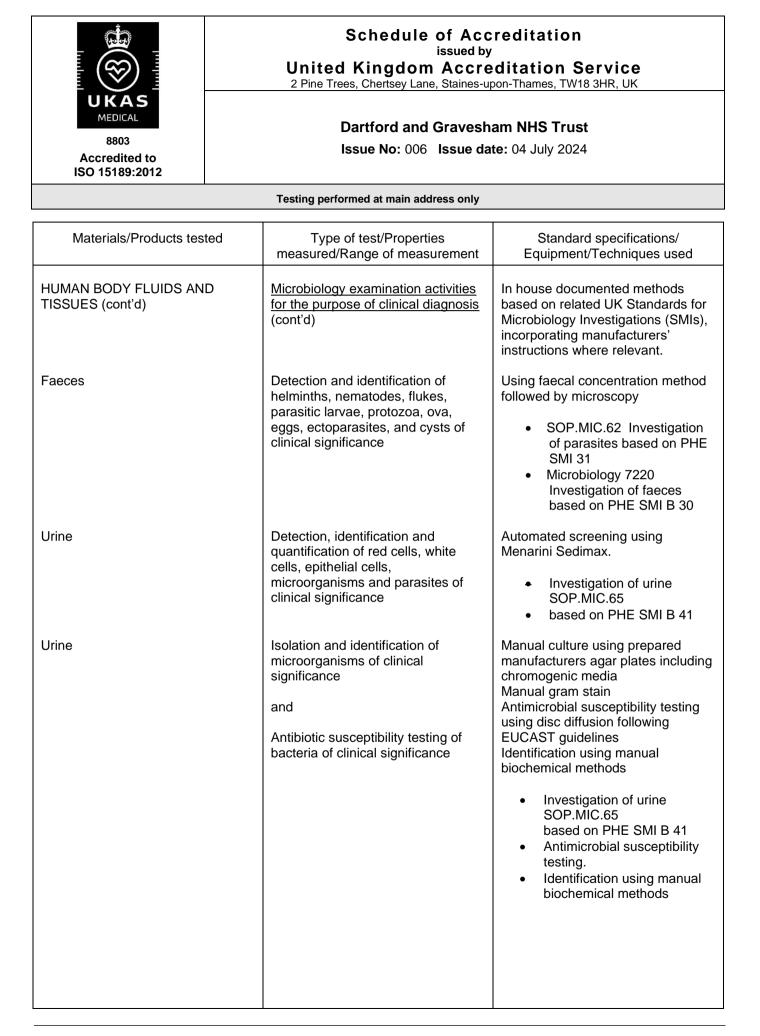


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Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
HUMAN BODY FLUIDS AND TISSUES	Microbiology examination activities for the purpose of clinical diagnosis	In house documented methods based on related UK Standards for Microbiology Investigations (SMIs), incorporating manufacturers' instructions where relevant
Swabs (noise, groin, throat, wound) and urine	Isolation and identification of MRSA	Manual culture using prepared manufacturers chromogenic agar plates
		Identification using manual biochemical methods
		SOP.MIC.40 Investigation of MRSA screening swabs based on PHE SMI B 29
Sputum, bronchoalveolar lavage, pleural fluids, aspirates, washings and brushings, cerebrospinal fluid, pus, swabs, blood, bone marrow, urine, tissues and biopsies	Isolation and presumptive identification of acid-alcohol fast bacilli (inc. <i>Mycobacterium</i> species)	BacT/Alert 3D using MP and MB liquid growth media
		Microbiology 6000 Investigation of specimens for Mycobacterium species based on PHE SMI B 40
Faeces, swabs (throat, ear, nose, eye, wound, pernasal), bile, CSF, genital tract specimens, sterile body fluids, pus, tissues and biopsies, sputum, bronchoalveolar lavage, pleural fluids, aspirates, washings and brushings, swabs, blood, bone marrow	Isolation and identification of microorganisms of clinical significance	Manual culture using prepared manufacturers agar plates including chromogenic media
		Manual gram stain SOP.MIC.71
		Identification using manual biochemical methods







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HUMAN BODY FLUIDS ANI TISSUES (cont'd)		ogy examination activities for prose of clinical diagnosis	Documented in-house methods using analysers specified			
			ELISA using DS2 SOP.MIC.64			
	Rheu	natoid IgM antibody	Rheumatoid IgM antibody: SOP.MIC.53			
Serum/plasma	Hepat VZV I	tion of itis B surface antigen gG antibody /2 confirmation	ELFA using VIDAS SOP.MIC.67			
Serum		ative and semiquantitative nination of ASO	Manual Latex agglutination using Biokit Rheumoject SOP.MIC.68			
Nasopharyngeal aspirate		tion of RSV antigens (fusion n or nucleoprotein)	Manual Immunochromatography using Meridian TRU SOP.MIC.35			
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Urine		tion of <i>Legionella</i> nophila serogroup 1 antigen	Manual Immunochromatography using BinaxNow Legionella kit SOP.MIC.38			
Urine	Detec	tion of pneumococcal antigen.	Manual Immunochromatography using BinaxNow Strep pneumoniae kit SOP.MIC.3			
Faeces		ative determination of ruses and/or adenoviruses	Manual Immunochromatography using Biopharm Ridaquick Adeno/ Rota Combi -SOP.MIC.78			

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HUMAN BODY FLUIDS AND TISSUES (cont'd) Joint fluids		Miscellaneous Tests Detection and identification of birefringent crystals	Documented in-house methods using analysers specified Manual polarising microscopy -SOP.MIC.77 Investigation of sterile fluids based on PHE SMI B 26 IDOC.MIC.170			
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