

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 02D0640552	(X3) Date Survey Completed 09/30/2025
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For information on the provider's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the provider or the state survey agency.		

(X4) ID Prefix Tag	Summary Statement of Deficiencies
D2016	SUCCESSFUL PARTICIPATION CFR(s): 493.803(a)(b)(c) (a) Each laboratory performing nonwaived testing must successfully participate in a proficiency testing program approved by CMS, if applicable, as described in subpart I of this part for each specialty, subspecialty, and analyte or test in which the laboratory is certified under CLIA. (b) Except as specified in paragraph (c) of this section, if a laboratory fails to participate successfully in proficiency testing for a given specialty, subspecialty, analyte or test, as defined in this section, or fails to take remedial action when an individual fails gynecologic cytology, CMS imposes sanctions, as specified in subpart R of this part. (c) If a laboratory fails to perform successfully in a CMS-approved proficiency testing program, for the initial unsuccessful performance, CMS may direct the laboratory to undertake training of its personnel or to obtain technical assistance, or both, rather than imposing alternative or principle sanctions except when one or more of the following conditions exists: (1) There is immediate jeopardy to patient health and safety. (2) The laboratory fails to provide CMS or a CMS agent with satisfactory evidence that it has taken steps to correct the problem identified by the unsuccessful proficiency testing performance. (3) The laboratory has a poor compliance history. This CONDITION is not met as evidenced by: Based on an off-site desk review of American Proficiency Institute (API) proficiency testing (PT) records and an email with the technical consultant (TC) on 9/22/25, the laboratory failed to attain a score of at least eighty (80) percent of acceptable responses for the subspecialty of parasitology in two (2) out of three (3) testing events resulting in unsuccessful PT performance. Refer to D2055.
D2055	PARASITOLOGY CFR(s): 493.829(e)

(e) Failure to achieve an overall testing event score of satisfactory performance for two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is unsuccessful performance.

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on an off-site desk review of American Proficiency Institute (API) proficiency testing (PT) records and an email with the technical consultant (TC) on 9/22/25, the laboratory failed to attain a score of at least eighty (80) percent of acceptable responses for the subspecialty of parasitology in two (2) out of three (3) testing events resulting in unsuccessful PT performance. Findings include: 1. A desk review of the laboratory's proficiency testing results revealed parasitology scores of less than eighty percent. 2. The laboratory obtained an unsatisfactory score of 60 percent for parasitology in the first testing event of 2025. 3. The laboratory obtained an unsatisfactory score of 0 percent for parasitology in the second testing event of 2025. 4. An email conversation with the TC on 09/22/25 confirmed the laboratory failed to achieve satisfactory performance for parasitology.