

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 02D1090167	(X3) Date Survey Completed 04/04/2019
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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	<p>SUCCESSFUL PARTICIPATION CFR(s): 493.803(a)(b)(c)</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>This CONDITION is not met as evidenced by: Based on a review of American Proficiency Institute (API) proficiency testing (PT) records for 2018-2019, the laboratory unsuccessfully participated in PT for the Routine Chemistry analyte p02. See D2096</p>
D2096	<p>ROUTINE CHEMISTRY CFR(s): 493.841(f)</p> <p>Failure to achieve satisfactory performance for the same analyte or test in two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is</p>

unsuccessful performance.

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on a review of American Proficiency Institute (API) proficiency testing (PT) records for 2018-2019, the laboratory failed to achieve satisfactory analyte performance for p02 for two consecutive testing events. Findings: 1. API Chemistry Core result evaluations for 2018-3 and 2019-1 were reviewed. 2. The laboratory received the following scores for p02: a. 2018 third testing event: 60% b. 2019 first testing event: 60%