Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 05D0688088	(X3) Date Survey Completed 02/08/2018
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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
D5217	EVALUATION OF PROFICIENCY TESTING PERFORMANCE CFR(s): 493.1236(c)(1) At least twice annually, the laboratory must verify the accuracy of any test or procedure it performs that is not included in subpart I of this part. This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on review of 2017 laboratory documents verifying accuracy of the Trioplex PCR test for Zika virus, Dengue virus, and Chikunganya virus, and patients test results; the lack of laboratory documents, and interview with the Laboratory Director, the laboratory failed to at least twice annually verify the accuracy of testing in 2017. Findings include: a. The laboratory participated in CDC's proficiency testing program for 2017 as the means to satisfy the requirement to verify the accuracy of the Trioplex assay testing for Zika virus, Dengue virus, and Chikunganya virus. The results were acceptable and thus, accuracy was verified. However, CDC provided only one event. b. The laboratory was unable to provide for review additional documents verifying the accuracy of the Trioplex test system at least a second time in 2017. c. The Laboratory Director affirmed (2/08/18) the aforementioned lack of documents, and thus, the failure to meet the requirement to verify accuracy at least twice annually. d. The reliability and quality of results reported could not be assured. Based on the stated estimated annual tests volumes, the laboratory reported approximately 702 results in 2017. A few examples are as follows: Date (results reported) one Accession ---------- 3/27/17 (6) 1701279 10/23/17 (9) 1703964 12/11/17 (18) 1704760