

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 10D0278551	(X3) Date Survey Completed 11/13/2019
Name of Provider or Supplier Pediatric Associates	Street Address, City, State 4570 Lyons Rd Ste 110, Coconut Creek, FL	
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
D0000	An announced CLIA recertification survey was conducted at Salzman, Tarus, Pittell, Lovin & Jacobson DBA Pediatric Associates-Coconut Creek on 11/13/19. The laboratory is not in compliance with 42 CFR Part 493, Requirements for Laboratories. The following is a description of the standard level deficiencies:
D2020	<p>BACTERIOLOGY CFR(s): 493.823(a)</p> <p>Failure to attain an overall testing event score of at least 80 percent is unsatisfactory performance.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on review of API (American Proficiency Institute) proficiency testing results and interview with the Laboratory Supervisor the laboratory failed to score at least 80% for Throat Cultures in the subspecialty of Bacteriology in 1 (3rd testing event in 2019) out of 6 (1st, 2nd, 3rd testing events in 2018 and 2019) testing events reviewed. Findings Included: Review of the API proficiency testing results for the 3rd testing event in 2019 revealed a score of 60% for Throat cultures. Interview on 11/13/19 at 3:02 PM the Laboratory Supervisor confirmed the 60% failure of Throat culture proficiency testing in the 3rd testing event of 2019.</p>