

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 21D0211731	(X3) Date Survey Completed 06/30/2022
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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
D6046	<p>TECHNICAL CONSULTANT RESPONSIBILITIES CFR(s): 493.1413(b)(8)</p> <p>(b) The technical consultant is responsible for-- (b)(8) Evaluating the competency of all testing personnel and assuring that the staff maintain their competency to perform test procedures and report test results promptly, accurately and proficiently.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: This is a repeat deficiency. The laboratory was cited during the recertification survey completed on 09/24/2019 for not performing a competency evaluation for one of four testing personnel in 2018 and 2019. The laboratory's plan of correction stated that this would be corrected on 10/01/2019. Based on review of personnel records and interview with the laboratory supervisor (LS), the technical consultant failed to perform competency evaluations for two of five testing personnel (TP). Findings: 1. The Laboratory Personnel Report (form CMS-209) listed five TP. 2. Annual competency evaluations were missing for TP #2 for 2020 and 2021 and for TP #3 for 2021. 3. During the survey on 06/30/2022 at 3:50 pm, the LS confirmed that annual competency evaluations were missing for TP #2 and TP #3.</p>