

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 33D0921605	(X3) Date Survey Completed 10/25/2022
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(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 proficiency testing (PT) desk review of the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) PT reports and PT records from the College of American Pathologists (CAP) PT program, the laboratory failed to participate and perform successfully in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the speciality General Immunology and the test analyte's Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP), Hepatitis B Core Antibody (Anti HBc) and Creatinine Kinase(CK) and Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH). The following scores were assigned: General Immunology. 2021 third event = 65% 2022 first event = 65% 2022 second event = 65% Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP) 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% 2022 second event = 60% Hepatitis B Core</p>

	<p>Antibody (Anti HBc) 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% 2022 third event = 0% This is considered repeatedly unsuccessful PT performance. Creatinine Kinase (CK) 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH). 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% This is considered unsuccessful PT performance. Refer to D2084, D2085, D2096 and D2107</p>
D2084	<p>GENERAL IMMUNOLOGY CFR(s): 493.837(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 unsuccessful performance.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on a PT desk review of the CMS PT reports and PT records from the CAP PT program, the laboratory failed to participate and perform successfully in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the test analyte Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP) Hepatitis B Core Antibody (Anti HBc) The following scores were assigned: Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP) 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% 2022 second event = 60% Hepatitis B Core Antibody (Anti HBc) 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% 2022 third event = 0% This is considered repeatedly unsuccessful PT performance</p>
D2085	<p>GENERAL IMMUNOLOGY CFR(s): 493.837(g)</p> <p>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.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on a PT desk review of the CMS PT reports and PT records from the CAP PT program, the laboratory failed to participate and perform successfully in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the speciality General Immunology. The following scores were assigned: 2021 third event = 65% 2022 first event = 65% 2022 second event = 65% This is considered repeatedly unsuccessful PT performance</p>
D2087	<p>ROUTINE CHEMISTRY CFR(s): 493.841(a)</p> <p>Failure to attain a score of at least 80 percent of acceptable responses for each analyte in each testing event is unsatisfactory analyte performance for the testing event.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on PT desk review of the CMS PT data reports and PT records from the CAP PT program, the laboratory failed to participate successfully in proficiency testing for the test analyte Total Lactate Dehydrogenase (LDH) The following scores were assigned: 2022 first event = 0% This is considered unsatisfactory PT performance.</p>
D2096	<p>ROUTINE CHEMISTRY CFR(s): 493.841(f)</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 unsuccessful performance.

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on a PT desk review of the CMS PT reports and PT records from the CAP PT program, the laboratory failed to participate and perform successfully in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the test Creatinine kinase (CK) The following scores were assigned: 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% This is considered unsuccessful PT performance

D2107

ENDOCRINOLOGY

CFR(s): 493.843(f)

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 unsuccessful performance.

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on a PT desk review of the CMS PT reports and PT records from the CAP PT program, the laboratory failed to participate and perform successfully in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the test analyte Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH). The following scores were assigned: 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% This is considered unsuccessful PT performance.

D6000

MODERATE COMPLEXITY LABORATORY DIRECTOR

CFR(s): 493.1403

The laboratory must have a director who meets the qualification requirements of 493.1405 of this subpart and provides overall management and direction in accordance with 493.1407 of this subpart.

This CONDITION is not met as evidenced by:

Based on PT desk review of the PT CMS data reports and CAP PT program records, the laboratory director failed to fulfill the laboratory director's responsibilities and ensure that the laboratory achieved a satisfactory performance and successfully participate in a PT program, for the specialty General Immunology and the test analyte's AFP, Anti- HBc, CK, TSH and LDH. Refer to D6016.

D6016

LABORATORY DIRECTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

CFR(s): 493.1407(e)(4)(i)

The laboratory director is responsible for the overall operation and administration of the laboratory, including the employment of personnel who are competent to perform test procedures, and record and report test results promptly, accurate, and proficiently and for assuring compliance with the applicable regulations. (e) The laboratory director must-- (e)(4)(i) Ensure that the proficiency testing samples are tested as required under Subpart H of this part;

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:
Based on PT desk review of the CMS PT and CAP PT program records, the laboratory director failed to fulfill the laboratory director's responsibilities and ensure that the laboratory achieved a satisfactory performance and successfully participate in a PT program, approved by CMS, for the speciality General Immunology and the test analyte's AFP, Anti HBC, CK, TSH and LDH. The following scores were assigned: General Immunology. 2021 third event = 65% 2022 first event = 65% 2022 second event = 65% Alpha Fetoprotein (AFP) 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% 2022 second event = 60% Hepatitis B Core Antibody (Anti HBc) The following scores were assigned: 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% 2022 third event = 0% This is considered repeatedly unsuccessful PT performance. Creatinine Kinase (CK) 2022 first event = 0% 2022 second event = 0% Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH). 2021 third event = 60% 2022 first event = 60% This is considered unsuccessful PT performance. Total Lactate Dehydrogenase (LDH) The following scores were assigned: 2022 first event = 0% This is considered unsatisfactory PT performance.