

## Oxidase Alternative Proficiency Testing Log (400-001-06-16-F)

The oxidase test, utilizing the tetramethyl derivative of the oxidase reagent (1% aqueous solution of N, N, N, N-tetramethyl-1, 4-phenylenediamine) prepared in-house, does not require enrollment in a proficiency testing program. Therefore, an alternative proficiency testing method will be utilized to verify the continuing reliability of the test. Unless otherwise noted an internal split quality control method will be utilized; each analyst will be tested a minimum of twice annually and all results will be documented on this form. Samples for Internal Split Comparison will be from a minimum of 5 samples obtained from original or rerun patient samples, proficiency tests or a combination thereof. All testing will be done in a blind method, with neither tester knowing the results until all results are completed.

Testing Personnel	Date	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3	Sample 4	Sample 5	Sample 6	Results Acceptable
		Patient ____	Patient ____	Patient ____	Patient ____	Patient ____	Patient ____	Enter Yes or explain in comments below

Note: reference Culture patient log for abbreviation key

### ALTERNATIVE PROFICIENCY TESTING, PERFORMANCE EVALUATION, REVIEW AND CORRECTIVE ACTION

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Reviewed by (Lab Director or designee): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_