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GPP-Luminex Report

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	DOB	Feb 12, 1970 Age(47)		Report Date	Apr 02, 2017 21:22		Phone	
	Gender	Female		Report Version	Final Report		Fax	
	MRN			Specimen Used				
	Diagnosis Codes			Specimen : Fresh Stool				
	R19.4 Change in bowel habit			Specimen ID: 591				
R19.7		Collected: Apr 01, 2017						
		Received: Apr 02, 2017						

Lab Results

Test	Result	Note
Bacterial pathogens		
Campylobacter	Negative	
Clostridium difficile (C. difficile) toxin A/B	Positive	Comment: Three samples were processed from two vials submitted, along with two negative and three positive controls. The results were positive for Clostridium difficile toxin A/B in all three samples. (Raw data are attached for confirmation). As with any other infectious molecular testing, confirmed positive results do not rule out co-infection with other organisms that are not detected by this test, and may not be the sole or definitive cause of patient illness. This test is a qualitative test and does not provide the quantitative value of detected organism present in the sample. The xTAG GPP is not intended to monitor or guide treatment for C.difficile infections.
Enterotoxigenic E. coli	Negative	
Escherichia coli (E. coli) O157	Negative	
Salmonella	Negative	
Shiga-like Toxin producing E. coli	Negative	
Shigella	Negative	
Vibrio cholerae (V. cholerae) cholera toxin gene (ctx)	Negative	
Parasites		
Cryptosporidium	Negative	
Entamoeba histolytica	Negative	
Giardia	Negative	
Viral pathogens		
Adenovirus 40/41	Negative	
Norovirus GI/GII	Negative	
Rotavirus	Negative	



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- Additional Notes** xTAG GPP is not intended to monitor or guide treatment for *C. difficile* infections. This test is a qualitative test and does not provide the quantitative value of detected organism present. This test is not validated for *E. histolytica* and therefore the results for this pathogen should be considered research use only. All results should be used and interpreted in the context of a full clinical evaluation as an aid in the diagnosis of gastrointestinal infection. This test has been validated at Genex Laboratory Professional Corporation according to guidelines.
- Notes** ***Comment: Three samples were processed from two vials submitted, along with two negative and three positive controls. The results were positive for Clostridium difficile toxin A/B in all three samples. (Raw data are attached for confirmation). As with any other infectious molecular testing, confirmed positive results do not rule out co-infection with other organisms that are not detected by this test, and may not be the sole or definitive cause of patient illness. This test is a qualitative test and does not provide the quantitative value of detected organism present in the sample. The xTAG GPP is not intended to monitor or guide treatment for C. difficile infections.***
- Methodology & Limitations** The Gastrointestinal Pathogen Panel incorporates multiplex reverse-transcriptase polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) with Luminex's proprietary universal tag sorting system on the Luminex platform.
- For each sample, extracted nucleic acid is amplified in a single multiplex RT-PCR/ PCR reaction, then added to a hybridization/detection reaction and finally a signal or median fluorescence intensity (MFI) is generated for each bead population. These fluorescence values are analyzed to establish the presence or absence of bacterial, viral or parasitic targets and/or controls in each sample against an analyte-specific cut-off. A single multiplex reaction identifies all targets. The Data is then analyzed to provide a report summarizing which pathogens are present.
- The results of this test should not be used as the sole basis for diagnosis, treatment, or other patient management decisions. Confirmed positive results do not rule out co-infection with other organisms that are not detected by this test, and may not be the sole or definitive cause of patient illness. Negative xTAG® Gastrointestinal Pathogen Panel results in the setting of clinical illness compatible with gastroenteritis may be due to infection by pathogens that are not detected by this test or non-infectious causes such as ulcerative colitis, irritable bowel syndrome, or Crohn's disease.
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