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### Geenius™ HIV 1/2 Supplemental Assay Laboratory Submission Information Sheet

Reporting of suspect case to Maine CDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes: Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) is a Notifiable Condition. If you have not already done so, please report suspect or confirmed cases to the Maine CDC via the disease reporting line: 1-800-821-5821 (24hrs/day 7 days/week.)</li> </ul>
Required To Submit Laboratory Specimen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NO</li> </ul>
Required Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information on requisition must include: test requested, patient name, DOB, date of collection, specimen source or type, submitter name and contact information.</li> <li>• <b>Important: all specimens must be labeled with patient name, DOB or other unique identifier, and be accompanied by a HETL requisition.</b></li> </ul>
Specimen Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please refer to: HIV Combo Viral Antigen/Antibody Serum LSIS.</li> <li>• Minimum sample volume: 0.5ml serum, collected in serum separator tube</li> </ul>
Collection Instructions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Samples may be stored for no longer than 48 hours at room temperature or 7 days at 2-8°C, including the time that samples are in transit. Use frozen ice packs for shipping to lab.</li> <li>• Specimens should be centrifuged prior to shipping</li> <li>• For long-term storage, specimens should be frozen at -20°C or colder.</li> </ul>
Turn Around Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Results are generally available within 2 - 5 business days of specimen receipt</li> <li>• Requesting a HIV Confirmation test will include an EIA Antigen/Antibody screen and will not be used as a stand alone test. In order for this test to be considered a confirmatory test , it MUST be used in conjunction with the HIV EIA screen.</li> </ul>
Unacceptable Conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specimens received without a form and clinical details or with insufficient material to analyze.</li> <li>• Suspended fibrin particles, aggregates and extensive hemolysis may affect test performance</li> </ul>
Results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HIV Negative, HIV-1 Positive, HIV-2 Positive, HIV Indeterminate, HIV-1 Indeterminate, HIV-2 Indeterminate, HIV-2 Positive with HIV-1 cross reactivity, HIV Positive untypable (undifferentiated)</li> <li>• Results are generally available within 1 - 2 business days of specimen receipt</li> </ul>
Laboratory Testing Fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$72.00 includes</li> <li>• HIV Antigen/Antibody EIA (\$22.00)</li> <li>• Geenius HIV-1/HIV-2 Supplemental Assay Test (\$50.00)</li> </ul>
Applicable CPT Codes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 87389(Ag/Ab Combo EIA)</li> <li>• 86701+86702 (HIV-1/2 Supplemental Assay for Confirmation)</li> </ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bacteriology at 207-287-1704</li> <li>• Virology, Respiratory, Arbovirus, Serology, and STI at 207-287-1722</li> <li>• Molecular Biology, Sequencing, and Foodborne at 207-287-5769</li> <li>• Mycobacterium and Rabies at 207-287-1706</li> </ul>