



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: July 31, 2020

Certificate Number: 3832.01

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process (including an assessment of the laboratory's compliance with the A2LA Food Testing Program Requirements, containing the 2015 "Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Food, Dietary Supplements, and Pharmaceuticals"), accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on foods, dairy, food additives, meat and poultry:

<u>Test</u>	<u>Test Method</u>
<i>Escherichia coli</i> (Petrifilm)	AOAC 991.14
<i>E. coli</i> (PCR)	AOAC-RI 050501
<i>E. coli</i> Biotype 1 (Petrifilm)	USDA MLG 3
<i>E. coli</i> O157 (PCR)	AOAC-RI 020801
<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	USDA MLG 5
Generic <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm)	AOAC 998.08
<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> (PCR)	AOAC-RI 010802
<i>L. monocytogenes</i>	USDA MLG 8
Listeria spp. (PCR)	AOAC-RI 090701
Listeria spp. (Petrifilm)	AOAC-RI 030601
<i>Salmonella</i>	FDA BAM Chapter 5, USDA MLG 4
<i>Salmonella</i> (PCR)	AOAC-RI 010803, AOAC-RI 081201

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<i>Salmonella</i> spp., <i>E. coli</i> , and Other Enterobacteriaceae (VITEK)	AOAC 2011.17
Staphylococcal Enterotoxins (VIDAS)	AOAC 2007.06, FERN MIC.0009
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (Petrifilm)	AOAC 2003.11

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## *Accredited Laboratory*

A2LA has accredited

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*Charleston, WV*

for technical competence in the field of

### **Biological Testing**

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2005 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*. This laboratory also meets the requirements of A2LA R204 – *Specific Requirements – Food and Pharmaceutical Testing Laboratory Accreditation Program*. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality management system (*refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué dated April 2017*).

Presented this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January 2019.

A blue ink signature of the Senior Director, Accreditation Services.

Senior Director, Accreditation Services  
For the Accreditation Council  
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*For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Biological Scope of Accreditation.*