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**PARTICIPANT STATISTICS**

**SECOND QUADRIMESTER 2018**

**C. difficile Toxin / Antigen Detection**

**C. Difficile Toxin A  
(enterotoxin)**

Method	Specimen 1			Specimen 2			Specimen 3			Specimen 4			Specimen 5			
	Negative	Positive	Positive for A or B	Negative	Positive	Positive for A or B	Negative	Positive	Positive for A or B	Negative	Positive	Positive for A or B	Negative	Positive	Positive for A or B	
Alere C df Tox A/B I,II	4			4				1	3		4				1	3
Alere Quik Chek Complet	24			24				14	10		24				14	10
Alere Tox A/B Quik Chek	7			7			1			6	6	1			1	6
Cepheid	2			2				1	1		2				1	1
Meridian Illumigene	7	1		8				3	5		8				3	5
Meridian ImmunoCard	8			8				3	5		8				2	6
Quidel AmpliVue	2			2				1	1		2		2			
Remel Xpect	2			2						2	2					2
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>	
<b>Flagging</b>		***	***		***	***	***				***	***	***			

**C. Difficile Toxin B  
(cytotoxin)**

Method	Specimen 1		Specimen 2		Specimen 3		Specimen 4		Specimen 5	
	Negative	Positive	Negative	Positive	Negative	Positive	Negative	Positive	Negative	Positive
Alere Quik Chek Complet	4		4		4		4			4
Cepheid	3		3		3		3			3
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Flagging</b>		***		***	***			***	***	

Correct responses are defined as those reflecting agreement among 80% or more of all participants or referees. Unacceptable responses are indicated by "\*\*\*\*\*" on the Flagging line of each specimen.