



CAP Checklists Used to Inspect COVID-19 Test Activities

Use this document to determine which checklist(s) can be used to inspect COVID-19 related testing. The specific checklist used is automatically assigned when a laboratory updates its activity menu in Organization Profile on cap.org. The assigned checklist is based on the specific test performed and on other testing already performed in that laboratory section/department. You can download your customized checklist on cap.org by logging into e-LAB Solutions Suite.

Test/Activity Name	Checklists Used
Antibody testing	
nCoV 2019 antibodies	Chemistry, Immunology, or Limited Service Laboratory
nCoV 2019 antibodies, flow cytometry	Flow Cytometry
nCoV 2019 antibodies, rapid test, POCT	Point-of-Care Testing
Antigen Testing	
SARS (CoV) antigen, EUA, waived	Immunology, Microbiology, or Limited Service Laboratory
SARS (CoV) antigen, EUA, waived, POCT	Point-of-Care Testing
SARS (CoV-2) antigen, EUA, non-rapid method	Chemistry, Immunology, or Limited Service Laboratory
Molecular Testing	
nCoV 2019, NAA, EUA waived	Immunology, Microbiology, or Limited Service Laboratory
nCoV 2019, NAA, EUA waived, POCT	Point-of-Care Testing
nCoV 2019, NAA, EUA, non-waived *	Microbiology
nCoV 2019, NAA, LDT*	Microbiology
Next Generation Sequencing (NGS)*	
NGS, analytical wet bench, Molecular Pathology	Microbiology and Molecular Pathology
NGS, bioinformatics, Molecular Pathology	Microbiology and Molecular Pathology
NGS, interpretation, Molecular Pathology	Microbiology and Molecular Pathology
NGS, microbiology	Microbiology and Molecular Pathology
Other Testing	
nCoV 2019, interferon gamma release, immunoassay	Chemistry or Immunology
MALDI TOF mass spectrometry, COVID-19 testing	Microbiology

* If testing is done by NGS, laboratories must include the applicable activities from the Molecular Testing and NGS sections of the table that relate to the testing performed.