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	Current accreditation:	17.12.2019 to 16.12.2024
	Scope of accreditation see:	www.sas.admin.ch (Accredited bodies)

Scope of accreditation as of 18.10.2022

Medical laboratory for analyses in the fields of allergy, clinical immunology and vaccinology

Group of products or materials, field of activity	Principle of measurement ³⁾ (characteristics, measuring ranges, type of test)	Test methods, remarks (national, international standards, in-house test methods)
Specimens of human origin		
Blood / feces	ELISA - Detection of antibodies - Detection of antigens	Commercial methods
Blood	FEIA - Detection of antibodies	Commercial methods
Blood	FEIA-Multiplex - Detection of antibodies	Commercial methods
Blood	ECL - Detection of antibodies - Detection of antigens	Commercial methods
Blood	Immunodot - Detection of antibodies	Commercial methods

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2) Scope of accreditation type B (flexible)

1) Scope of accreditation type A (fix)



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Blood	Immunofluorescence - Detection of auto-antibodies	Commercial methods
Blood	Microcytotoxicity - Measurement of lymphocytotoxic auto- and allo- antibodies	Commercial methods
Blood, urine, CSF	Nephelometry/Turbidimetry - Measurement of specific proteins	Commercial methods
Blood, urine, CSF	Immunofixation / immunosub- straction - Qualitative study of gammaglobulins	Commercial methods
Blood	Cytofluorometry - Lymphocytes markers - Lymphocyte proliferation assay (CFSE) - Intra Cellular Staining (ICS)	In-house methods. Cytofluorome- try technique performed by an- other laboratory
Blood	Cytofluorometry - T and B cells crossmatch	In-house methods
Blood	Real-time RT-PCR quantitative / qualitative - Measurement of viral load	In-house methods, commercial methods
Blood	Real-time PCR quantitative / qualitative - Measurement of viral load	In-house methods, commercial methods
Blood	Sequencing NGS - Research of genotyping resistance and sub-types of HBV	Commercial methods NGS tech- nique performed by another labor- atory
Blood	- Genotyping resistance to HIV-1	Commercial methods NGS tech- nique performed by another labor- atory
Blood	 Genotyping resistance to HCV and genotyping 	Commercial methods NGS tech- nique performed by another labor-
	- HLA class I and II typing	atory Commercial methods NGS tech- nique performed by another labor- atory
Blood	Real-time PCR - SSP - HLA class I and II typing	Commercial methods
Blood	Spectrophotometry - Proteins quantification	In-house method

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Blood	Elispot TB, CMV, EBV - Detection of the number of cells capable of secreting a specific cytokine	In-house method
Blood	Mass Cytometry (CYTOF) - Detection of primary immunodeficiencies	In-house method

The medical laboratory maintains a list with detailed information on the activities within the scope of accreditation. It is available upon request at the laboratory.

Abbreviation	Signification
CSF	Cerebrospinal fluid
CMV	Cytomegalovirus
EBV	Epstein Barr Virus
ECL	Electro Chemiluminescence
ELISA	Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay
FEIA	Fluorescence Enzyme Immuno Assay
HBV	Hepatitis B Virus
HCV	Hepatitis C Virus
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HLA	Human Leucocyte Antigen
NGS	Next generation Sequencing
PCR	Polymerase Chain Reaction
RT-PCR	Reverse Transcriptase-Polymerase Chain Reaction
ТВ	Tuberculosis

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3) Scope of accreditation type C (flexible)

Definition of flexibilty see SAS Document 741