



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: June 30, 2024

Certificate Number: 4001.01

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 2018 “AOAC International Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Foods, Dietary Supplements, and Pharmaceuticals”), accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on animal feed, environmental samples, and food products:

<u>Test</u>	<u>Test Method(s)</u>
Aerobic Plate Count	3M Petrifilm
<i>Bacillus cereus</i>	Modified BAM
<i>Campylobacter</i>	VIDAS (CAM) (Screen); BAX (Confirmation)
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	Modified BAM
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	O157:H7 BAM; VIDAS (ECPT); Non-O157 STEC BAM (Screen)
<i>E. coli</i> /Coliform	3M Petrifilm; MPN BAM
<i>Listeria</i> spp.	Modified BAM; VIDAS (LIS), VIDAS (LPT)
<i>Salmonella</i>	Modified BAM; VIDAS (SLM), VIDAS (SPT);
<i>Staphylococcus</i>	3M Petrifilm



Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

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for technical competence in the field of

Biological Testing

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 *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 9th day of September 2022.

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Mr. Trace McInturff, Vice President, 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.