

MICROBIOLOGY QAP SHIPPING DATES 2012			
DESPATCH	DATES	RETURN DATES	SURVEYS
1	13/2/2012	AUS 05/03/12 DDE* 09/03/12 OS 12/03/12	Bacteriology Program Bacteriology Modules- Faecal, Respiratory, Genital/Anaerobes, Difficult/Blood Culture Parasitology, Pneumococcal Serotyping Molecular Diagnostics – <i>Bordetella pertussis</i> , <i>mecA/nuc</i> gene, <i>Neisseria meningitidis</i>
2	26/3/2012	AUS 16/04/12 DDE* 20/04/12 OS 23/04/12	Bacteriology Program Bacterial Modules- Urine, Skin/Throat, AFB stain, Difficult/Blood Culture Molecular Diagnostics – <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> / <i>N.gonorrhoeae</i> , Enterovirus Endoscope/Bronchoscope Surveillance Cultures
		AUS 30/04/12 DDE* 04/05/12 OS 07/05/12	Mycology
		AUS 07/05/12 DDE* 11/05/12 OS 14/05/12	Mycobacteriology culture
3	7/5/2012	AUS 28/05/12 DDE* 01/06/12 OS 04/06/12	Bacteriology Program Bacteriology Modules- Faecal, Respiratory, Genital/Anaerobes, Difficult/Blood Culture. Parasitology, Pneumococcal Serotyping Molecular Diagnostics - <i>M.tuberculosis</i> , <i>M.avium</i> complex, CMV, Enterococci
4	18/6/2012	AUS 09/07/12 DDE* 13/07/12 OS 16/07/12	Bacteriology Program Bacterial Modules- Urine, Skin/Throat, AFB stain, Difficult/Blood Culture Molecular Diagnostics – <i>Herpes simplex virus</i> , <i>Varicella zoster</i> virus, <i>N.meningitidis</i>
		AUS 23/07/12 DDE* 27/07/12 OS 30/07/12	Mycology
		AUS 30/07/12 DDE* 03/08/12 OS 06/08/12	Mycobacteriology culture

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5	30/7/2012	AUS 20/08/12 DDE* 24/08/12 OS 27/08/12	Bacteriology Program Bacteriology Modules- Faecal, Respiratory, Genital/Anaerobes, Difficult/Blood Culture Parasitology, Pneumococcal Serotyping, <i>Clostridium difficile</i> laboratory detection Molecular Diagnostics - <i>Chlamydia/N.gonorrhoeae</i> , Enterovirus
6	10/9/2012	AUS 02/10/12 DDE* 05/10/12 OS 08/10/12	Bacteriology Program Bacterial Modules- Urine, Skin/Throat, AFB stain, Difficult/Blood Culture Molecular Diagnostics - <i>M.tuberculosis</i> , <i>M.avium</i> complex, CMV Endoscope/Bronchoscope Surveillance Cultures
		AUS 15/10/12 DDE* 19/10/12 OS 22/10/12	Mycology
		AUS 22/10/12 DDE* 26/10/12 OS 29/10/12	Mycobacteriology culture
7	22/10/2012	AUS 12/11/12 DDE* 16/11/12 OS 19/11/12	Bacteriology Program Bacteriology Modules- Faecal, Respiratory, Genital/Anaerobes, Difficult/Blood Culture Parasitology, Pneumococcal Serotyping Molecular Diagnostics - <i>B.pertussis</i> , <i>mecA/nuc</i> gene
8	26/11/2012	AUS 17/12/12 DDE* 21/12/12 OS 24/12/12	Bacteriology Program Bacterial Modules- Urine, Skin/Throat, AFB stain, Difficult/Blood Culture, <i>Clostridium difficile</i> laboratory detection Molecular Diagnostics - <i>H.simplex</i> , VZV, Enterococci
		AUS 31/12/12 DDE* 04/01/13 OS 07/01/13	Mycology
		AUS 07/01/13 DDE* 11/01/13 OS 14/01/13	Mycobacteriology culture

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3	7/5/2012	AUS 21/05/12 DDE 25/05/12 OS 28/05/12	Stat Microscopy
4	18/6/2012	AUS 02/07/12 DDE 06/07/12 OS 09/07/12	Urine Dipstick Chemistry
5	30/7/2012	AUS 13/08/12 DDE 17/08/12 OS 20/08/12	Stat Microscopy
6	10/9/2012	AUS 24/09/12 DDE 28/09/12 OS 02/10/12	Urine Dipstick Chemistry
7	22/10/2012	AUS 05/11/12 DDE 09/11/12 OS 12/11/12	Stat Microscopy
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