



## Shiga toxin-producing *Escherichia coli* (STEC) Scheme – Preliminary Intended Results Notification

These results are provided for guidance and are determined from the examinations undertaken during quality control testing of the samples.

Distribution: **STX8**      Samples: **STX015 & STX016**

### Intended results:

Target gene	<i>stx</i> 1	<i>stx</i> 2	<i>stx</i> ( <i>stx</i> 1/2)	<i>eae</i>	Serogroup	Serotype
<b>STX015</b>	Positive	Positive	Positive	Positive	O26	H11
<b>SXT016</b>	Negative	Positive	Positive	Positive	O157	H7

### Sample contents:

<b>STX015</b>	<i>E. coli</i> O26:H11, <i>Klebsiella oxytoca</i> and <i>Staphylococcus capitis</i>
<b>STX016</b>	<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7, <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> and <i>Leclercia adecarboxylata</i>

Laboratory identification numbers of participants who did not return results this distribution:

**372 and 1267**

*The distribution report providing details of your individual performance and an analysis of all participants' results will be dispatched in due course. The report may also include sample specific comments.*

**Repeat samples** are available for up to one year from date of this letter for participants who experienced problems with any of the examination. There is no need to wait until you have received the report to order repeat samples.

*The next distribution of the Shiga toxin-producing *Escherichia coli* Scheme samples will be dispatched during the week beginning 1 June 2020.*

*If you require any technical advice or wish to make comments or suggestions relating to the scheme please contact us.*

Validated by:

Date: 3 February 2020



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