

WoSSVC Lab No:
(For internal laboratory use)

REQUEST FORM: Hepatitis B DNA testing for HEALTHCARE WORKERS (HCW) involved in EXPOSURE PRONE PROCEDURES (EPP)

OH Contact EMAIL ADDRESS FOR RESULTS:

(please use only a secure email address)

OH Contact Name:

OH Contact Tel:

Patient Surname _____

Patient Forename _____

D.O.B. ____/____/____ **Gender** Male/Female **ID / NHS / CHI No:** _____

Please send a 9ml EDTA blood tube or at least a 1ml aliquot of plasma

Requesting Laboratory: _____

Date sample collected ____/____/____ **Time sample collected** _____ am/pm

Name & address for Result and Invoice

All HCW HBV DNA testing can now be performed in a local UKAS or CPA accredited laboratory using a CE marked assay standardised to WHO international standard for HBV nucleic acid techniques and reported in IU/ml (See Integrated guidance on health clearance of HCWs and the management of HCWs infected with blood borne viruses HBV, HCV and HIV, July 2019)

PLEASE FILL OUT BOTH SECTIONS OF THIS FORM, FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN A DELAY TO TESTING

Please confirm your local laboratory does not have a CE marked assay for HBV DNA testing

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HBV Treatment information (Please tick appropriate box)

Initial clearance of HCW to perform EPP, either newly diagnosed HBV infection or commenced antiviral therapy. Two samples to be taken no less than 4 weeks apart (>28 days)

HCW is NOT on treatment (with naturally suppressed viral load OR 12 months after stopping a course of antivirals therapy). One sample to be taken annually (no earlier than 50 and no later than 54 complete calendar weeks after date of preceding sample)

HCW on treatment, continuous antiviral therapy, monitor every 12 weeks. One sample taken no earlier than 10 and no later than 14 calendar weeks after date of preceding sample

HCW breakthrough viral load ≥ 200 IU/ml has been detected for the first time. One sample taken ≥ 10 days from date of collection of the original sample

HCW is resuming EPP procedures after a break (includes HCWs where the viral load has remained ≥ 200 IU/ml on previous tests). Two samples to be taken no less than 4 weeks apart (>28 days).