

## Food and Environmental Proficiency Testing Unit

Laboratory identification no. (check): <Lab No>  
Dispatch date: 17 February 2025  
Final date for return of results: 14 March 2025

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Results to be returned on-line through the website: [www.phe-ega.org.uk/](http://www.phe-ega.org.uk/)

You will need your log-in details for this process.

Download the on-line web instructions:  
[Information on uploading results - Food and Environmental Proficiency Testing Unit](#)

[Hospital Tap Water - Food and Environmental Proficiency Testing Unit](#)

## Hospital Tap Water Scheme Request/Report Form

Distribution No: HTW32	Sample numbers: HTW32A and HTW32B
Download the sample instruction sheet. Video on sample processing:	<a href="#">Hospital Tap Water instruction sheet</a> <a href="#">Processing samples - Hospital Tap Water</a>
Download the safety data sheet:	<a href="#">Safety Data Sheet - LENTICULE</a>
<b>If you cannot examine any of these samples return your results as 'Not examined'</b>	
Request:	Please examine the sample for <i>P. aeruginosa</i> , if present determine the levels per 100mL using your routine method.

### Results:

Sample Number	Enumeration	Not examined	Analyst		Conclusion or Comment/s (Please tick)	
HTW32A	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> per 100mL	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nominated result:		Satisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Comply with local policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
					No further action required	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Result 2:		Unsatisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Retest (pre-/post-flush)	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Risk-assess and retest (pre-/post-flush) as stated in HTM 04-01 part B	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Result 3:		No comments/interpretation by laboratory provided	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Other, please state	<input type="checkbox"/>

Store LENTICULE® samples at -20°C ± 5°C

Sample Number	Enumeration	Not examined	Analyst		Conclusion or Comment/s (Please tick)	
HTW32B	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> per 100mL	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nominated result:		Satisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Comply with local policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
					No further action required	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Result 2:		Unsatisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Retest (pre-/post-flush)	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Risk-assess and retest (pre-/post-flush) as stated in HTM 04-01 part B	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Result 3:		No comments/interpretation by laboratory provided	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Other, please state	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please indicate the method used	<input type="checkbox"/>	MPN (most probable numbers)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	MF (Membrane filtration)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other
Please indicate the media used	<input type="checkbox"/>	PCFC/CFC ( <i>Pseudomonas</i> , cetrimide, fucidin and cephaloridine)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	PCN ( <i>Pseudomonas</i> cetrimide sodium nalidixate agar)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pseudalert®
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other
Standard/Guideline followed	<input type="checkbox"/>	ISO 16266-2:2018
	<input type="checkbox"/>	ISO 16266:2006
	<input type="checkbox"/>	HTM 04-01 part B
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local guidelines or legislation
	<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 12780
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Microbiology of Drinking Water (2015) – part 8
Additional comments		

Authorised by:

Date reported: