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Revolutionary approach to diagnostic testing for resource-limited settings.

> Hologic global access initiative

Global Access Initiative is our solution to mitigating the burden of viral diseases in areas of high prevalence. This cost-effective and financially sustainable program aims to transform the world of diagnostics by improving access to critical infectious disease testing.



Aptima[®] assays on the Panther[®] system.

As part of our commitment to the 2030 UNAIDS 95-95-95 goals¹, the Global Access Initiative includes HIV-1 testing and other viral targets. Qualified assays include:

Aptima[®] HIV-1 Quant Dx Assay

Aids in the diagnosis, confirmation and clinical management of HIV-1 infection. WHO prequalified.

Aptima® HCV Quant Dx Assay

Aids in the diagnosis, confirmation and clinical management of HCV infection.

Aptima[®] HBV Quant Assay

Aids in the clinical management of HBV infection.

Aptima[®] HPV Assay

Detects 14 high-risk HPV types.

* Testing services do not include ancillary costs, for example those associated with sample collection, sample transport, laboratory staff time, laboratory infrastructure, generic laboratory supplies (e.g., primary collection tubes, disposable gloves, bleach, bleach bottles, bleach enhancer, waste bottles, etc.), inventory management, or general administration and overhead costs.

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Expand testing in your space.

Infrastructure Requirements

To participate in the Hologic Global Access Initiative, laboratories must meet certain infrastructure requirements.



Physical Space

Sufficient space to accommodate the Panther system: 122 cm (w) \times 81.5 cm (d) \times 175 cm (h). Sufficient space to accommodate a rocker, centrifuge and cold storage for additional samples and reagents.



Electrical Requirements

An electrical connection that supports up to a 1400 W draw, with a dedicated 20-amp circuit.[‡] A backup generator capable of supporting all equipment.



Air Conditioning

Central or wall-mounted air conditioning with adequate capacity to maintain a temperature between 15°C to 30°C and relative humidity from 20%-85%.



Sink

A sink or washbasin for liquid-waste disposal.



Waste Management

Liquid waste is nonhazardous and does not require special handling. $\ensuremath{\$}$



Refrigerator

One or more refrigerator(s) with temperature control, maintained at 2°C to 8°C, to store samples and reagents.

Freezer

One or more freezer(s) with temperature control, maintained at -15°C to -35°C, to store calibrators and controls.

Testing Volume Requirements

To be eligible for the Hologic Global Access Initiative, the purchasing country or organization must share a site-specific forecast for any new Panther system placement, which anticipates:

Processing volumes that contribute to a national average of 30,000 patient samples per eligible instrument per year within 12 months of placement.^{II}

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[‡] Hologic will provide an uninterrupted power supply and surge protector and make necessary electrical modifications during installation.
^I Inclusive of all eligible assays and sample types.

[§] Follow local and state guidelines.

** List of eligible countries is for initiative participation. Not all assays are available in each of the countries listed.

References: 1. UNAIDS. Understanding Fast-Track: Accelerating Action to End the AIDS Epidemic by 2030. https://www.unaids.org/sites/default/files/media_asset/JC2686_WAD2014report_en.pdf. Published June 2015. Accessed April 28, 2021.

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Eligible Countries**

Angola Benin Botswana Burkina Faso Burundi Cambodia Cameroon Cape Verde Central African Republic Comoros Congo Democratic Rep. of the Congo (DRC) Egypt Eswatini Ethiopia Gambia Ghana Guinea Guinea-Bissau Haiti India Indonesia Ivory Coast Jamaica Kenya Laos Lesotho Liberia Malawi Malaysia Mali Mauritania Mongolia Mozambique Myanmar Namibia Nepal Nigeria Pakistan Papua New Guinea Rwanda South Africa Sri Lanka Tanzania Timor-Leste Togo Uganda Vietnam Zambia Zimbabwe