

T-SPOT. TB

A MOMENT OF TRUTH



FASY

1 tube, 1 visit using routine phlebotomy and no pre-analytical steps.¹

By utilizing standard phlebotomy practices and ensuring that all up-front processing of the specimen after blood draw is done in a laboratory setting, controlled conditions are leveraged to mitigate impact of confounding variables associated with pre-analytical complexity.

ACCURATE

Extensively studied and proven to perform in immunosuppressed patient populations so you can minimize repeat tests.¹

The T-SPOT. TB test is the only interferon-gamma release assay (IGRA) with both sensitivity and specificity above 95% and an **invalid rate of less than 1%** in a study of over 645,000 tests.^{1,2}

ACCESSIBLE

Available through all Quest Diagnostics® Patient Service Centers and numerous regional laboratory partners.

The only IGRA
without a warning or
limitation in its package
insert for screening
immunocompromised
individuals^{1,3}

Comparison of IGRA tests performance in patients with confirmed TB4

Underlying condition		
End-stage renal disease:	8	(4.0%)
Liver cirrhosis:	6	(3.0%)
Diabetes mellitus:	53	(26.5%)
Solid cancer:	34	(17.0%)
Hematologic cancer:	13	(6.5%)
Steroid usage:	35	(17.5%)
Immunosuppressant:	6	(3.0%)
Transplant recipients:	5	(2.5%)
HIV infection:	16	(8.0%)
Autoimmune disorder:	10	(5.0%)
Immunocompromised:	186	(93.0%)

Sensitivity of the ELISPOT test is higher than the ELISA in patients with active TB*

	Patient group	ELISPOT	ELISA
Sensitivity	Culture confirmed TB	88% (86/98)	65% (64/98)
Sensitivity	Culture confirmed and probable TB	83% (96/115)	66% (71/108)
Indeterminate	All enrolled	N/A	7% (14/200)
Invalid	All enrolled	2% (4/200)	N/A

^{*}Including confirmed and probable TB

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