



## UK NEQAS Microbiology distribution dates (April 2009 - March 2010)

UK dispatch dates are shown. Overseas specimens are sent in advance to ensure that participants receive them on or around the UK dispatch date. While every effort is made to adhere to the stated schedule, it is sometimes necessary to alter the dates of distributions for operational reasons.

<b>AAFB microscopy</b>	<b>Diagnostic serology: exanthem</b>	<b>Molecular detection of <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i></b>
13/04/2009	03/08/2009	11/05/2009
03/08/2009	04/01/2010	31/08/2009
23/11/2009	<b>Diagnostic serology: hepatitis</b>	01/02/2010
<b>Anti-HBs detection</b>	11/05/2009	<b>Molecular detection of HPV</b>
13/04/2009	23/11/2009	11/05/2009
03/08/2009	<b>Faecal parasitology</b>	31/08/2009
23/11/2009	13/04/2009	01/02/2010
<b>Antifungal susceptibility</b>	08/06/2009	<b>Molecular detection of Mycobacteria</b>
08/06/2009	06/07/2009	13/04/2009
28/09/2009	03/08/2009	03/08/2009
01/02/2010	28/09/2009	23/11/2009
<b>Antimicrobial susceptibility</b>	23/11/2009	<b>Molecular detection of viruses in CSF</b>
13/04/2009	01/02/2010	03/08/2009
11/05/2009	01/03/2010	01/03/2010
08/06/2009	<b>Faecal pathogens</b>	<b>MRSA screening</b>
06/07/2009	03/08/2009	11/05/2009
03/08/2009	23/11/2009	06/07/2009
31/08/2009	01/03/2010	31/08/2009
28/09/2009	<b>General bacteriology</b>	26/10/2009
26/10/2009	13/04/2009	04/01/2010
23/11/2009	11/05/2009	01/03/2010
04/01/2010	08/06/2009	<b>Mycobacterium culture</b>
01/02/2010	06/07/2009	13/04/2009
01/03/2010	03/08/2009	03/08/2009
<b>Blood parasitology</b>	31/08/2009	23/11/2009
13/04/2009	28/09/2009	<b>Mycology</b>
08/06/2009	26/10/2009	08/06/2009
06/07/2009	23/11/2009	28/09/2009
03/08/2009	04/01/2010	01/02/2010
28/09/2009	01/02/2010	<b>Parasite serology</b>
23/11/2009	01/03/2010	11/05/2009
01/02/2010	<b>Genital pathogens</b>	31/08/2009
01/03/2010	06/07/2009	26/10/2009
<b>Blood-borne viruses</b>	26/10/2009	04/01/2010
13/04/2009	01/03/2010	<b>Rubella IgG serology</b>
11/05/2009	<b>HBV DNA quantification</b>	06/07/2009
08/06/2009	06/07/2009	01/02/2010
06/07/2009	23/11/2009	<b>Syphilis serology</b>
03/08/2009	<b>HCV RNA detection</b>	06/07/2009
31/08/2009	13/04/2009	01/02/2010
28/09/2009	26/10/2009	<b>Superficial infections</b>
26/10/2009	<b>Hepatitis B serology</b>	11/05/2009
23/11/2009	11/05/2009	31/08/2009
04/01/2010	31/08/2009	04/01/2010
01/02/2010	04/01/2010	<b>Throat infections</b>
01/03/2010	<b>Hepatitis C serology</b>	08/06/2009
<b>CMV DNA quantification</b>	08/06/2009	28/09/2009
08/06/2009	28/09/2009	01/02/2010
28/09/2009	01/02/2010	<b>Toxoplasma IgG serology</b>
04/01/2010	<b>HIV serology</b>	11/05/2009
<b><i>Clostridium difficile</i></b>	06/07/2009	26/10/2009
11/05/2009	26/10/2009	04/01/2010
03/08/2009	01/03/2010	<b>Toxoplasma IgM serology</b>
26/10/2009	<b>HIV1 RNA quantification</b>	11/05/2009
01/02/2010	08/06/2009	26/10/2009
<b>Community medicine</b>	28/09/2009	<b>Virus identification</b>
11/05/2009	04/01/2010	13/04/2009
31/08/2009	<b>Immunity screen</b>	26/10/2009
26/10/2009	11/05/2009	
04/01/2010	23/11/2009	