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## UK NEQAS for CSF Beta 2 Transferrin

**Distribution : 163**

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**Participant : 91339**

48 out of 56 participants returned data for this distribution. 86% response rate.

### NII Responses

91944, 93168, 93470, 94674, ORG, INFO, CODEX, ORG\_G

**Sample 163-1** was an experimental sample that did not contain asialo transferrin.

**Sample 163-2** was a cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) sample.

Sample	Designated Response	Your Response	Score	OMIS
163-1	Negative	Negative	0	0
163-2	Positive	Positive	0	0
			<b>Total MIS</b>	0 

The current window of analysis comprises the previous six distributions

### Comments

Sample 163-1:

47/48 participants reported sample 163-1 as negative for beta 2 transferrin, this included nine laboratories using a nephelometric method. One laboratory using a nephelometric method reported a quantitative result but did not submit a qualitative response.

Sample 163-2:

46/48 participants reported sample 163-2 as positive for beta 2 transferrin, this included nine laboratories using a nephelometric method. One laboratory using a nephelometric method reported a quantitative result but did not submit a qualitative response. One laboratory using an electrophoretic method reported sample 163-2 as negative and should re-check their results.