

OASYS® 18.0 Release Notes

What's New

Microbiology programs

The focus of this release is to enhance the submission of results for the Microbiology programs, in order to more closely mimic laboratory practice and provide participants with an improved user experience.

The enhancement includes the following programs:

- BACT - Bacterial Identification
- BLCU - Blood Culture
- GENC - Genital Culture
- THRC - Throat Culture
- URIC - Urine Culture
- MSPC - Mycobacterium Species Culture
- MOLC - Mold/Yeast Culture
- YEAC - Yeast Culture

These programs are now divided into 4 processes that reflect a more intuitive laboratory workflow. During registration, participants must first select the extent of testing of their laboratory. Based on that, participants will need to complete their registration for some or all of the processes they follow in the laboratory. During result submission, participants are asked to submit information for new analytes that will help in troubleshooting and identifying root causes of unacceptable results. Analytes other than 'Pathogen Identification' are defined based on the selected processes.

New Clinical Microscopy program

Oneworld Accuracy offers a new Clinical Microscopy program in 2018, consisting of fecal smear, fern test, KOH preparation, nasal smear, pinworm preparation, vaginal preparation, and urine sediment.

The program is offered in two formats:

- PPMP431O - Online images ONLY
- PPMP431P - Printed and online images

Participants select their tests in the Registration tab. On the Results tab, panels are split by test. Each panel displays the image for the test and, when applicable, the case history.

Urine Drugs of Abuse program

To enhance data entry, when appropriate, the cutoff information for an analyte is collected as part of the registration information, instead of as background information.

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