



## **PUBLIC HEALTH SAMPLE REQUEST FORM**

**\*Failure to complete all fields on form may lead to sample rejection\***

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**CIMS REF NUMBER / OUTBREAK NAME:**

**REQUEST NUMBER (Lab use only):**

### **PATIENT DETAILS**

NHS NUMBER (if available):										
SURNAME:					FIRST NAME:					
DATE OF BIRTH (dd/mm/yyyy):						GENDER:				
ADDRESS AND POSTCODE:										

### **SENDER DETAILS**

REPORT LOCATION:	<b>ZMPTO (Health Protection Team)</b>
REQUESTOR / TEL NO.:	

### **SAMPLE DETAILS**

SAMPLE TYPE / COLLECTION DATE:	
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### **INVESTIGATIONS**

ENTERIC	VIROLOGY	
	VIROLOGY AND BACTERIAL TARGETS	
	VIROLOGY, BACTERIAL & TOXIN PRODUCING PATHOGENS	
	<b>CLEARANCE SAMPLE?</b> IF YES, ORGANISM:	
RESPIRATORY	FULL VIROLOGY RESPIRATORY PANEL	
	AVIAN FLU	
Measles PCR		
OTHER (test(s) required)		

### **CLINICAL DETAILS (please write in box below, including details of any foreign travel)**

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### **Guidance notes for submitting samples**

- When submitting samples from confirmed / likely incidents associated with containment level 3 pathogens, e.g. typhoid, dysentery, cholera, O157, HUS, VHF, HIV, Hep A-E or TB, clinical details **must** be provided.
- Test information including details of sample types and containers are available at [www.nbt.nhs.uk/severn-pathology](http://www.nbt.nhs.uk/severn-pathology)
- Use one request form for each sample submitted.
- Failure to complete all fields on form may lead to sample rejection.
- Samples must be clearly labelled with surname, forename, date of birth, NHS number (if available), sample type, date and time of sample.
- Samples delivered by post cannot be accessed by the laboratory at weekends / on bank holidays.

### **Result enquiries**

- Complete results are available on North Bristol ICE and UKHSA 'elab'.
- For other enquiries:

<b>Monday to Friday (0900 - 1700)</b>	<b>0117 414 6222</b>
<b>Urgent enquiries out of hours (1700 – 0900)</b>	<b>0117 950 5050</b>
<b>Weekends and bank holidays</b>	<b>0117 950 5050</b>