

Customer Notification

Date: 24.02.2020

Product: Estradiol ELISA

Cat.-No.: DEH3355

Lot-Number: H 024, H 025, H 026

Dear valued Demeditec customer,

Internal stability studies indicate that after a kit duration of four months, the values found in the normal value range could be detected higher than expected. Higher concentration ranges (>100 pg/ml) seem to be excluded from this effect. The values measured within the first four months gave reasonable results. Thus the results of the measured samples within this period should be reliable.

This effect is caused by a raw component that has been replaced in subsequent batches. The problem has been identified due to our production and QC processes and the information is used as a preventive measure to avoid measuring incorrectly increased measurement results. Therefore it is important that the kits of the affected lots <u>must not</u> longer be used and discarded immediately. Of course we support you in replacing the remaining kits.

Therapeutic consequences should not be made solely on the basis of the values determined with this test, but only taking into account all clinical observations and other diagnostic methods.

Since estradiol is not considered individually, but always in connection with the clinical picture and examination as well as other laboratory diagnostic tests, the health risk is minimal.

What is to be done?

- Please check your stock situation and discard all unused kits <u>immediately</u> from the affected lots
- Please use the attached form on page 3, sign and send back to us
- Please inform your customers and forward this notice to affected persons and institutions
- We do not expect issues with the results of the patient samples, nevertheless
 please check them again. In case the results are higher than expected, the
 samples should be re-tested.
- Please tell us if you have experienced any problem with these lots and specify the details



Transmission of this customer notification:

This notice has to be passed on to all those who need to be aware within your organization or to any organization where the potentially affected product has been transferred. Please be aware of this notice and the resulting action for an appropriate period to ensure effectiveness of the preventive action. In case of further questions contact your local distributor.

Contact person for further information:

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Response Form

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Demeditec Estradiol ELISA Product code: DEH3355

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Problem description: Risk of elevated estradiol results in the as normal value

declared concentration range

Please check the following points and confirm:

- O I have received and understood the customer notification from 20.02.2020.
- O I confirm that I have forwarded this information to the end-users.

Product	Lot	Number of Kits received	Number of kits used up	Number of Kits returned/discarded
Estradiol, DEH3355	H 024, H 025, H 026			

Company Name:
Company Address:
Date:
Contact Person:
Signature:
Email address:

Please complete and return this Response Form until 28.02.2020!