



INFORMATION FOR NEW CLIENTS

The FIG Food Water and Environmental (FWE) laboratory performs a range of microbiology investigations on water, food and environmental samples. The table below lets you know which standard reference method we are using for our investigations and the expected turnaround times.

Sample Type	Method Name	ISO Testing Method	Turn Around Time	Charge	Accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017
Food/ Environmental Sample	Total Viable Count @30°C	BS EN ISO 4833-2:2013+A1:2022	3 - 5 Days	£49.00	Yes*
	<i>Salmonella</i> Detection	BS EN ISO 6579-1:2017+A1:2020	3 - 5 Days	£49.00	Yes*
	Enterobacteriaceae	BS ISO 21528-2:2017	1 - 5 Days	£49.00	Yes*
	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	BS ISO 16649-2:2001	1 - 5 Days	£49.00	No
Water	Aerobic Colony Count @ 22°C and 37°C	BS EN ISO 6222:1999	1 - 3 Days	£49.00	Yes*
	Coliforms & <i>E. coli</i>	BS EN ISO 9308-1:2014+A1:2017	1 - 3 Days	£49.00	Yes*
	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	BS EN ISO 16266:2008	2 - 3 Days	£49.00	No
	Enterococci	BS EN ISO 7899-2:2000	2 - 3 Days	£49.00	No
	<i>Legionella</i>	BS EN ISO 11731:2017	10 - 14 Days	£98.00	No

* Accredited for the following sample types:

Food/Environmental samples – Raw fish, meat preparations, environmental swabs (including carcass swabs)

Waters (Drinking, Recreational (man-made), Healthcare) – Drinking waters, pool waters, dental line waters

Details of accreditation (including Schedule of Accreditation certificate) can be found on the UKAS website (<https://www.ukas.com/find-an-organisation/>)

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If you require food/water testing and are new to the service, please contact the laboratory in the first instance to be set-up as a customer. The laboratory requires a minimum of 24 hours' notice before submitting samples.