

Processing UK NEQAS(H) Samples Using Atellica® HEMA 570 & 580 Analysers

External quality assurance samples from UK NEQAS(H) must be analysed using the 'NEQAS' mode on our Atellica HEMA 570 and Atellica HEMA 580 analysers. Samples should be prepared according to UK NEQAS(H) guidance.

Please follow instructions below for processing UK NEQAS(H) FB, DL, and RE samples.

1. FB Samples:

Select STAT mode Enter the Sample ID either manually or using the barcode reader Mode = Blood Change Sample type to 'NEQAS' Select 'DIF' as the Test

Analysis order			
	Sample ID		((1
	Mode	Blood	
	Sample type	NEQAS	
	Test	DIF	
	Order information		DM query
	Comments		Edit

Mix the sample according to UK NEQAS(H) instructions Place sample in relevant position of sample holder Select 'Start Analysis'

2. DL Samples:

Select STAT mode Enter the Sample ID either manually or using the barcode reader Mode = Control Change Sample type to 'NEQAS' Select 'DIF' as the Test



Analysis order				
	Sample ID			((1
	Mode	Control	•	
	Sample type	NEQAS	•	
	Test	DIF	•	
	Order information			DM query
	Comments			Edit

Mix the sample according to UK NEQAS(H) instructions Place sample in relevant position of sample holder Select 'Start Analysis'

3. RE Samples (Atellica 580 only):

Select STAT mode Enter the Sample ID either manually or using the barcode reader Mode = Blood Change Sample type to 'NEQAS' Select 'RET' as the Test

Analysis order			
	Sample ID		()
	Mode	Blood 🔻	
	Sample type	NEQAS 🔻	
	Test	RET	
	Order information		DM query
	Comments		Edit

Mix the sample according to UK NEQAS(H) instructions Place sample in relevant position of sample holder Select 'Start Analysis'

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