# AffiCHECK<sup>®</sup> Neisseria gonorrhoeae DNA PCR Qualitative Positive Control



## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

AffiCHECK<sup>®</sup> *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* DNA - PCR Qualitative Control is a high-quality, reliable standard containing known quantities of *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* DNA. It's designed using modified and non-infectious bacteria to ensure stability, thereby contributing to accurate and reliable results in PCR applications.

#### **INTENDED USE:**

**AffiCHECK**<sup>®</sup> *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* **DNA - PCR Qualitative Control** serves as a comprehensive process control for the evaluation of the performance of nucleic acid tests for determination of the presence of *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* nucleic acid. It's essential in validating the performance of PCR assays in clinical, research, and diagnostic settings.

## **PRODUCT FEATURES:**

<u>Specificity:</u> Tailored for *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* DNA detection. <u>Formulation:</u> Lyophilized for enhanced stability. <u>Convenience:</u> Ready-to-use upon reconstitution. <u>Compatibility:</u> Suitable for a wide range of PCR assays.

### **CHARACTERISTICS:**

<u>Cultivation & Extraction:</u> Cultivated in Thayer-Martin agar and extracted using a reliable genomic DNA method. <u>Quality Control:</u> Subjected to rigorous testing to ensure batch consistency and reliability. <u>Packaging</u>: Provided in a protective, heat-sealed foil pouch with silica gel.

#### **PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS:**

<u>Sensitivity:</u> Optimized for high sensitivity in PCR detection. <u>Specificity:</u> Exclusively detects *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* DNA. <u>Reproducibility:</u> Consistent results across different test runs and batches.

PACK CONTENT :		
Components	Pack Size	Note
DNA Control Lyophilized (1x10 <sup>4</sup> to 2x10 <sup>4</sup> Copies/µL)	1 Vial	Quantified by Real-Time PCR.
Buffer	500 µL	Water, DNase, RNase Free.

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

- For research use or diagnostic control purposes only.
- Follow standard laboratory practices and use PPE.
- Use <u>Sterile Filter Tips</u> to prevent contamination.
- Handle infectious specimens with precautions.
- Disinfect work surfaces.
- Maintain separate working areas for testing.
- Dispose of unused reagents and waste as per regulations.
- May contain genetic material, handle with care.
- No method ensures total absence of infectious agents.
- Follow local waste disposal rules.
- Dilute below  $10^3$  copies/µL immediately before use.
- Avoid freezing for low-copy dilutions to prevent DNA degradation.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:**

- Open the foil pouch of AffiCHECK<sup>®</sup> Neisseria gonorrhoeae DNA.
- Centrifuge AffiCHECK<sup>®</sup> Neisseria gonorrhoeae DNA Lyophilized Powder at 1000 g for 1 minute.
- Add 100 µL of the Buffer and thoroughly mix until fully reconstituted.
- The concentration will be  $1 \times 10^4$  to  $2 \times 10^4$  Copies/µL once reconstituted.
- Vortex for 1 min for complete dissolution and homogenization.

#### **RECOMMENDED STORAGE:**

- Before Reconstitution: Store at 2-8°C.
- After Reconstitution: Store at -20°C.
- Shipping: No special instructions
- Shelf Life: 12 months from production date.

### **ORDERING INFORMATION :**

Catalog Number	Description	Size
AFG-CHK-0533	AffiCHECK <sup>®</sup> Neisseria gonorrhoeae DNA PCR Qualitative Positive Control	1 vial + 500 µL Buffer