

ArcherDx forms NGS partnership, 7/16

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Under terms of an agreement with Illumina, ArcherDx will lead the development of a series of diagnostic tests, using ArcherDx's Anchored Multiplex PCR chemistry, that will run on the Illumina MiSeqDx instrument.



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Genomics and DNAnexus collaborate, 7/16

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July 2016—Genomics plc, a company that develops algorithms and software solutions to uncover the relationships between genetic variation and human disease, has entered into a research collaboration with DNAnexus, a cloud-based genome informatics and data management platform.



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Maternal serum control, 7/16

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July 2016—Bio-Rad Laboratories released its Liquichek Maternal Serum II Control, a frozen liquid human serum-based material designed to monitor the precision of laboratory test procedures used during maternal serum second trimester screening.



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[BRCA1/2 panel, 7/16](#)

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July 2016—Bioo Scientific has launched the Nextflex BRCA1 and BRCA2 Amplicon Panel for FFPE Illumina-compatible sequencing. The panel detects clinically relevant somatic mutations in DNA isolated from formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded samples to facilitate variant discovery and confirmation.



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[Systemic sclerosis test gets CE mark, 7/16](#)

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July 2016—Protagen gained CE marking for its Multilisa BICD2 test. BICD2 is a proprietary biomarker discovered by Protagen using the SeroTag technology platform.

FFPE DNA repair kit, 7/16

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July 2016—Oxford Gene Technology introduced its SureSeq FFPE DNA Repair Mix for repairing a broad range of damage in formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded-derived DNA.

Embedder station, 7/16

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July 2016—Tanner Scientific's second-generation embedder station, the TN1550, with a dispensing module and separate cold plate, is now available.

[Myriad Web portal, acquisition, 7/16](#)

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July 2016—Myriad Genetics launched a Web portal on ms360.myriad.com that allows patients to access their personal test results and to access other tools and ideas to help them make health care decisions. The first phase of the portal will provide access to test results for the company's hereditary cancer and prostate cancer tests.



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[Qiagen adds Horizon QC, 7/16](#)

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July 2016—Qiagen announced that it will offer an extensive package of quality control data, generated through the application of Horizon Discovery Group's reference standards, with its GeneReader NGS System.



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Ultrasensitive assays, 7/16

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July 2016—Aushon BioSystems has launched the Ciraplex Ultra Ultrasensitive Assays with femtogram/milliliter level detection to address multiple biomarkers in a wide range of therapeutic areas.



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