

## Trichomonas test, 6/13:97

American Esoteric Laboratories (AEL) has expanded its test offerings for women, with the addition of its Trichomonas amplified probe test, and improved its high-risk HPV testing capabilities.

The probe is a nucleic acid amplification test designed to detect Trichomonas vaginalis. The test is cleared by the FDA for IVD use. The Trichomonas amplified probe test can be performed from a urine sample, swab collection tube, or thin prep PAP vial. The test can be ordered individually or as part of a panel.

AEL is now using the Roche polymerase chain reaction method for HPV high-risk testing, which allows HPV types 16 and 18 to be reported with every result.

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