



## Quality Management of AHT Diagnostic Services



The Animal Health Trust operates a Quality Management System. This system includes all aspects of ISO 17025, which in turn, includes all the components of ISO 9001, for which our Diagnostic Laboratory Services were previously certificated.

Animal Health Trust has superseded certification to ISO 9001 by achieving accreditation to BS EN ISO/IEC 17025:2005 – general standards for the competence for testing and calibration laboratories. This accreditation was granted to by the United Kingdom Accreditation Service (UKAS) on 14 June 2012.

Tests offered by each of our Diagnostic Services laboratories are included within our Scope of Accreditation and all aspects of our Laboratory Service operations are covered within our Quality Management System. It is our intention to continually expand our scope of ISO 17025 accredited tests.

For details of the tests included in the Schedule of the ISO 17025 Accreditation and the equipment and techniques used **click here** ([link to: Schedule of Accreditation](#))

To view our UKAS Accreditation Certificate **click here** ([link to: Accreditation Certificate](#))

Achievement of this accreditation demonstrates that we have assured technically competent external assessors, that we have stringent processes and procedures in place to produce accurate, repeatable and reliable results using effective, robust and documented test methods, which are technically sound, performed by competent personnel and implemented using good laboratory practices.

If you have questions regarding the AHT Quality Management System or would like to comment on the laboratory service you have received please e-mail [Quality@ah.org.uk](mailto:Quality@ah.org.uk).

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