



News Release

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Eiken Chemical Launches the OC-FCaTM Reagent

Today, January 12, 2021, Eiken Chemical Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Taito Ward, Tokyo) launched OC-FCaTM Reagent. Provided as a CE-IVD product, OC-FCaTM Reagent is used for the quantitative measurement of calprotectin in human stool samples by latex agglutination immunoturbidimetric assay for OC-SENSOR PLEDIA.

The reagent and fully automated immunochemical analyzer, OC-SENSOR PLEDIA realize a simple and easy operation for quantitative measurement of calprotectin in human stool samples.

Calprotectin is an inflammatory protein abundantly present in neutrophils. The amount of calprotectin in human stool samples increases accompanied with intestinal mucosal inflammation. Therefore the quantitative measurement of calprotectin in human stool samples is used for distinguishing inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) from functional intestinal disorders (e.g. Irritable bowel syndrome, IBS) and monitoring ulcerative colitis (UC) disease activity.

We aim to contribute to improve efficiency of laboratory tests and better quality of life for patients by Fecal Calprotectin Test with OC-SENSOR PLEDIA.

Product Overview

Product name:	OC-FCa TM Reagent
Product code:	V-PH11
Contents:	Latex 2×8ml Buffer 2×15ml
Storage:	Store at 2–10°C

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