

# ICON DS Strep A

DIRECT GROUP A STREPTOCOCCUS ANTIGEN TEST



**Get your Strep A patients back in the groove.**

**Test your patients quickly and accurately, the first time.**

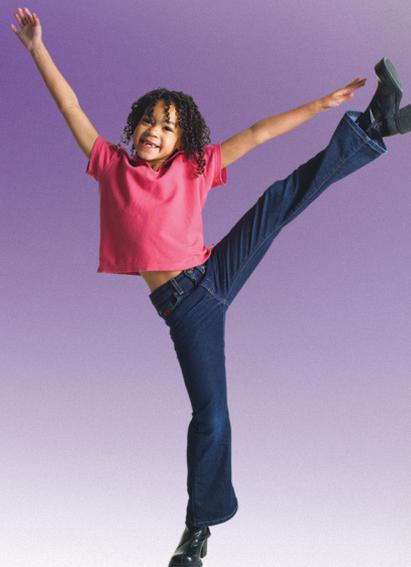
Blood Banking  
Centrifugation  
Chemistry  
Flow Cytometry  
Hematology  
Immunoassay  
Information Systems  
Lab Automation  
Molecular Diagnostics  
**Rapid Diagnostics**



ICON DS Strep A is a rapid immunochromatographic assay for the qualitative detection of Group A Strep Antigen directly from a throat swab specimen.

ICON DS Strep A is a simple, easy-to-use, CLIA-waived dipstick format test. With outstanding performance, even in low-colony-count samples, ICON DS Strep A leaves little chance for misdiagnosis, minimizing the chance of rheumatic fever or overprescription of antibiotics. In as little as 5 minutes, you will have accurate results so you can begin your patient's treatment immediately and confidently. ICON DS Strep A – your fast, easy and affordable test solution.

- 98% accuracy
- Results in 5 minutes
- Outstanding performance – even in low-colony-count samples
- Fast, easy and affordable
- Storage at 2-30°C (35-86°F)



## PERFORMANCE DATA

The following table compares the sensitivity of ICON DS Strep A to semi-quantitative SBA (Sheep Blood Agar) culture.

	SBA Culture Colony Count	Hospital Culture	Confirmed	ICON DS Strep A	SBA Culture Colony Count
Low	<20 colonies	11	11	10*	90.9
Medium	>20 and <50 colonies	29	28	28	100
High	>50 colonies	80	79	78**	98.7
TOTAL		120	118	116	98.3

Source: ICON DS Strep A Product Instructions, March 2006

\* The lower sensitivity was probably due to the presence of culture plates with a colony count of less than five.

\*\* One high positive sample was found negative in the initial testing of the swab. However, testing the colony collected from the plate by ICON DS Strep A confirmed the positive result. There might have been operator error in the initial testing. However, this was not confirmed.

### CLIA

- CPT Code\* #87880QW



### Ordering Information

**ICON DS Strep A Test Kit 395098**

- 25 Test Strips Individually Foil-wrapped to Ensure Greater Accuracy and Protection Against Moisture and Light
- 25 Throat Swabs
- 25 Disposable Extraction Test Tubes
- 1 Extraction Reagent A
- 1 Extraction Reagent B
- 1 Bottle Positive Control
- 1 Bottle Negative Control

\*Exemplar CPT provided. Refer to regional CMS fee schedule for relevant/current CPT codes and reimbursement rates.

Beckman Coulter is the leader in fecal occult blood testing and offers the very best in rapid tests designed to simplify the diagnostic process. Early detection is the single most important advantage a patient can have to survive life-threatening diseases. Beckman Coulter provides the tools and tests physicians need to aid in the diagnosis and management of a variety of disease states.

Beckman Coulter also provides a variety of Immunoassay, Chemistry, Hematology and Centrifugation instruments to aid in the diagnosis and management of a full spectrum of medical conditions. Each system's compact design and cost-effective performance makes it a perfect complement to a physician's office laboratory.

To order product, contact your medical supply distributor. For technical assistance regarding rapid test kits, call Technical Marketing at 800-877-6242 or email [askpcd@beckman.com](mailto:askpcd@beckman.com).

## Lab Testing Made Easy

### Beckman Coulter Rapid Diagnostics Product Offering

#### Hemoccult

**Hemoccult SENS A**  
**Hemoccult II SENS A elite**  
**Hemoccult ICT**

CLIA-waived rapid tests for the detection of hidden blood in feces

#### Gastrocuilt

CLIA-waived rapid test for detecting hidden blood in gastric fluid and determining gastric pH

#### ICON Hp

CLIA-waived (whole blood) and moderately complex (serum) rapid test for the detection of antibodies to *H. pylori*

#### ICON 20 hCG

#### ICON 25 hCG

CLIA-waived (urine) and moderately complex (serum) rapid tests for the detection of hCG

#### ICON Mono

CLIA-waived (whole blood) and moderately complex (serum) antibody test for infectious mononucleosis

#### ICON DS Strep A

#### ICON SC Strep A

CLIA-waived dipstick and cassette rapid format tests for the detection of Strep A, using throat swab sample



Beckman Coulter, the stylized logo, Hemoccult, Hemoccult II, SENS A, Gastrocuilt and ICON are trademarks of Beckman Coulter, Inc. and are registered with the USPTO.

For Beckman Coulter's worldwide office locations and phone numbers, please visit [www.beckmancoulter.com/contact](http://www.beckmancoulter.com/contact)

DS-17654A B2012-13778

[www.beckmancoulter.com](http://www.beckmancoulter.com)

© 2013 Beckman Coulter, Inc.