DUTY – URINE PROCESSING FLOWCHART

**At Site**

**Participant Urine Sample**

- Dipstick Test and record results
- Divide urine sample (as per instructions)

**LOCAL NHS LAB**

- Label the sterilin tube
- Transfer urine into tube
- Place tube in specimen envelope
- Complete NHS Lab requisition form
- Store the tube until shipment to the local lab

**CENTRAL LAB**

- Label urine monovette tube
- Draw urine into tube (as per instructions)
- Place tube in transport container tube
- Secure container within ‘Safebox’
- Complete Research Lab requisition form
- Post sample box to Central Lab

**At Lab**

**LOCAL NHS LAB**

- Record ID and DOB
- Record date & time
- Perform Microscopy
- Perform Culture
- Perform Speciation/Sensitivity (if culture positive)

**CENTRAL LAB**

- Record ID and DOB
- Record date & Time
- Perform Microscopy
- Perform Culture
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**Data Entry**

- Enter data on DUTY website

**Reporting**

- Report to GP (usual practice)