

## CHRONIC AND RECURRENT URINARY TRACT INFECTIONS (UTI) ARE A COMMON PROBLEM

- 20-40% of females with an initial UTI will experience a second UTI.<sup>2</sup>
- 25-50% of women experience multiple recurrent episodes a year.<sup>2</sup>

**GUIDANCE<sup>®</sup> UTI USES ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY THAT IDENTIFIES PERSONALIZED ANTIBIOTIC OPTIONS RIGHT FROM THE START.**

## PATH·NOSTICS<sup>®</sup> ·PROMISE·

Patient Assistance Program

Our promise is to provide accurate and affordable testing for all patients. We support all patients—with or without insurance—by offering interest-free payment plans and patient assistance programs to all who qualify. Our dedicated Patient Advocacy team is here to handle all of your billing inquiries.

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Suffering  
from  
**UTI**  
symptoms?

Talk to your provider about...

**GUIDANCE<sup>®</sup> UTI**

An advanced UTI test that quickly identifies personalized antibiotic options.



## GUIDING YOU TOWARD A PERSONALIZED SOLUTION

**GUIDANCE® UTI USES ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY TO HELP FIND THE RIGHT ANTIBIOTIC QUICKLY**

### WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE GUIDANCE® UTI TEST?

#### PATIENTS WHO:

- Have been suffering from complicated, persistent, or recurrent UTIs.
- Are considered at elevated risk.
- Need to rule out Interstitial Cystitis (IC).



### A UNIQUE TEST FOR YOUR UNIQUE NEEDS

- Guidance® UTI identifies organisms causing the UTI and features unique technology to provide personalized antibiotic options for infections with multiple organisms.
- Guidance® UTI has been shown to increase detection of UTI-causing bacteria by 43% compared to urine culture.<sup>1</sup>
- Guidance® UTI delivers results significantly faster than urine culture.

### HOW WILL THE GUIDANCE® UTI TEST HELP ME?

- Quicker results allow for more rapid directed treatment.
- Higher sensitivity is more likely to find the organisms causing the UTI.
- A comprehensive report includes antibiotic resistance genes and pooled antibiotic susceptibility results, giving your doctor more information to make a treatment decision.

**Guidance® UTI points to personalized treatment options.**

### HOW DO I GET THE GUIDANCE® UTI TEST?

Guidance® UTI can be ordered by your health care provider. Please discuss with your provider whether Guidance® UTI is right for you.



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