Diagnoses

Diagnostic testing is a compass, providing information that helps in the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of a range of health conditions. Abbott’s life-changing tests and diagnostic tools give you accurate, timely information to better manage your health. We’re empowering smarter medical and economic decision making to help transform the way people manage their health at all stages of life.

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Global Leadership

No. 1 Blood Screening

Leading point-of-care platform in the United States

Best-in-Class molecular tests

We create breakthrough products – in diagnostics, medical devices, nutrition and established pharmaceuticals – that help you, your family and community lead healthier lives full of unlimited possibilities.

$4.8B Net Sales

Based on 2016 sales
Abbott’s core lab business is helping to transform healthcare around the world through a broad range of innovative instrument platforms, tests and services. We are addressing the growing needs of our customers for greater efficiencies through the use of analytics, informatics and automation. Our new platforms in development for hematology, blood screening, and immunoassay and clinical chemistry will further standardize processes, reduce costs and manage labor constraints to help our customers deliver accurate and timely information to doctors as they make treatment decisions.

We are transforming molecular diagnostics, the analysis of DNA and RNA at the molecular level. With more than 40 years of experience in infectious disease testing, we currently offer infectious disease testing options that provide more accurate means of detection and monitoring of diseases, such as HIV and hepatitis. In personalized medicine, we are collaborating with partners to develop molecular companion diagnostic products aimed at transforming patient care in oncology and other therapeutic areas.

Our informatics solutions help create smarter labs while addressing the full spectrum of clinical needs — from collection of samples to testing and analysis — in an effort to provide more accurate information for patient care. Whether it’s developing a new medicine, improving water quality or providing accurate test results, our informatics solutions are transforming the lab, using analytics to connect the dots and simplify complex processes. Our unique informatics solutions also make actionable information available through mobile devices in a secure, user-friendly manner.

Our point-of-care diagnostic technologies are helping transform healthcare by bringing diagnostics directly to patients. Our point-of-care testing solution provides critical, lab-quality blood test results when and where they are needed and allows doctors to make treatment decisions for their patients in minutes rather than hours. We help improve the flow of information, which can assist providers with driving down costs to meet the increasing global demand for more efficient testing.

The i-STAT® System, our market-leading hand-held blood analyzer, is capable of performing many of the most commonly ordered blood tests at the bedside, using a few drops of blood, with one comprehensive testing platform.