



September 14, 2026

bioLytical Laboratories, Inc.
Attention: Ana Subramanian
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Re: BK261388

Trade/Device Name:	INSTI® HIV-1/HIV-2 Antibody Test
Regulation Number:	21 CFR 866.3956
Regulation Name:	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) serological diagnostic and/or supplemental test
Regulatory Class:	Class II
Product Codes:	QSU
Dated:	July 31, 2026
Received:	August 18, 2026

Dear Ana Subramanian:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. Although this letter refers to your product as a device, please be aware that some cleared products may instead be combination products. The 510(k) Premarket Notification Database available at <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfpmn/pmn.cfm> identifies combination product submissions. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the **Federal Register**.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act, or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies.

You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801 and Part 809); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803) for devices or postmarketing safety reporting (21 CFR 4, Subpart B) for combination products (see <https://www.fda.gov/combination-products/guidance-regulatory-information/postmarketing-safety-reporting-combination-products>); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) for devices or current good manufacturing practices (21 CFR 4, Subpart A) for combination products; and, if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/medical-device-safety/medical-device-reporting-mdr-how-report-medical-device-problems>.

For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance>) and CDRH Learn (<https://www.fda.gov/training-and-continuing-education/cdrh-learn>). Additionally, you may contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education (DICE) to ask a question about a specific regulatory topic. See the DICE website (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance/contact-us-division-industry-and-consumer-education-dice>) for more information or contact DICE by email (DICE@fda.hhs.gov) or phone (1-800-638-2041 or 301-796-7100).

Sincerely,

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Office of Blood Research and Review
Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research

Enclosure: Indications for Use

Indications for Use

510(k) Number: BK 261388

Device Name: INSTI® HIV-1/HIV-2 Antibody Test

Indications for Use:

The INSTI HIV-1/HIV-2 Antibody Test is a single use, rapid, in vitro qualitative immunoassay for the detection of antibodies to Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 and/or Type 2 (HIV-1/HIV-2) in human venipuncture whole blood, fingerstick blood, or plasma specimens. The test is intended for use by trained personnel in point of care and laboratory situations to aid in the diagnosis of HIV infections. If multiple rapid HIV tests are available, this test is suitable for use in appropriate multi-test algorithms.

Prescription Use X AND/OR
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

Over-The-Counter Use _____
(21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CBER, Office of Blood Research and Review (OBRR)

Division Sign-Off, Office of Blood Research and Review