

Supplement 7: POCTs availability at the study hospitals

Hospital	Test	Vendor
<i>St. Mary's Hospital, London</i>	Blood gas analyser	GEM 4000
	Blood glucose/ketones	Freestyle Precision Pro
	Urinalysis	Siemens Multistix 8 SG
	CRP*	Alere Afinion AS100
<i>Great North Children's Hospital, Newcastle</i>	Urine dipstick	Combur7 test
	Urine ketones	Ketodiasix Ascensia
	Urine microscopy	
	Blood glucose	Accucheck inform II
	Blood gas analyser	GEM premier 5000
	Influenza & RSV	Cepheid GeneXpert

*CRP POCTs were not available at St. Mary's Hospital at the time of study, however they previously had been available as part of a pilot