

Interpretive Data:**Background information for Cystic Fibrosis (*CFTR*), 165 Pathogenic Variants:**

Characteristics of Classic Cystic Fibrosis (CF): Chronic sino-pulmonary disease, gastrointestinal malabsorption/pancreatic insufficiency, and obstructive azoospermia. Symptoms of a *CFTR*-related disorder are often limited to a single organ system such as isolated pancreatitis, bilateral absence of the vas deferens, nasal polyposis, or bronchiectasis.

Incidence: 1 in 2,300 Ashkenazi Jewish, 1 in 2,500 Caucasians, 1 in 13,500 Hispanics, 1 in 15,100 African Americans, 1 in 35,100 Asians.

Inheritance: Autosomal recessive.

Penetrance: High for severe pathogenic variants, variable for moderate and mild pathogenic variants.

Cause of Classic CF: Two severe, or one severe and one moderate, pathogenic *CFTR* variants on opposite chromosomes.

Cause of *CFTR*-Related Disorders: Two pathogenic *CFTR* variants on opposite chromosomes in any of the following combinations: two mild, one mild and one severe or one mild and one moderate.

Pathogenic Variants Tested: See the "Additional Technical Information" document.

Clinical Sensitivity: Ashkenazi Jewish 96 percent; Caucasian 92 percent; Hispanic 80 percent; African American 78 percent; Asian American 55 percent.

Methodology: Polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and fluorescence monitoring.

Analytical Sensitivity & Specificity: 99 percent.

Limitations: Diagnostic errors can occur due to rare sequence variations. Only the 165 pathogenic *CFTR* variants and 5T variant will be interrogated.

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Note: The CF 165Variants assay includes the 23 pathogenic CF variants recommended by the American College of Medical Genetics for population carrier screening.