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Shigella flexneri (306/305): sc-80941

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BACKGROUND

Shigella refers to a genus of proteobacteria that are non-motile, rod-shaped, Gram-negative bacteria that are closely related to *E. coli* and exist as four species, one of which is *Shigella flexneri*. Comprising nearly one third of all of the *Shigella* bacteria in the United States, *Shigella flexneri* exists as an intestinal pathogen which invades the epithelia of the colon and causes extreme dysentery, with symptoms including abdominal cramps, fever and bloody stools. In developing countries, *Shigella flexneri* are commonly found in feces-contaminated food and water and, where treatment is limited, *Shigella flexneri* infection (referred to as Shigellosis) often leads to infant mortality. *Shigella flexneri* is a highly infectious and rapidly evolving microbe which exists in many drug-resistant strains, making Shigellosis hard to treat with traditional antibiotics.

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SOURCE

Shigella flexneri (306/305) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against native *Shigella flexneri* serotype 6.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 µg IgG_1 in 1.0 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

Shigella flexneri (306/305) is recommended for detection of *Shigella flexneri* by solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, **DO NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

PROTOCOLS

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