

## Reproductive health Vaginal microbiome test

## Name

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### **Results Summary**

Dear .....,

Thank you for choosing ScreenMe. We have completed screening your vaginal microbiome sample for all bacteria. In this report, you will find a summary of all the identified species and their classification.

We have prepared a detailed report that covers all relevant information regarding your screening, including any identified issues, recommended actions, and additional insights. This report will provide a more comprehensive understanding of your screening outcomes.

Parameters		Results	
1	Dysbiosis	-Ve	Optimal
2	Vaginal community state type	Туре І	Optimal
3	Vaginal microbiome diversity score	0.60	Optimal
4	Vaginal bacterial composition	<ul> <li>Lactobacillus (useful bacteria)– 96.65%</li> <li>Commensals (other bacteria)-0.31%</li> <li>Pathogens &amp; pathobionts (harmful bacteria) – 0.06%</li> </ul>	
5	Vaginal bacterial abundance (bacteria/ml)	<mark>4,771,989,000=4.77</mark> E+09	High
6	Vaginal yeast abundance (yeast/ml)	9,000=9.00E+03	Above Average
7	Candida presence	-ve	

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High bacterial load	> 1E+7
Medium bacterial load	1E+5-1E+7
Low bacterial load	<1E+5



Vaginal community state type

### Your Community State Type is: Type I <sub>Optimal</sub>

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**Community State Type:** This is a classification of the vaginal microbial community. Different Types are strong indicators of vaginal health and comfort, reproductive health, fertility and other immune factors such as susceptibility to infections and STDs.

**Your Community State Type:** Your Community State Type 1 is dominated by beneficial Lactobacillus bacteria. The dominant strain is Lactobacillus crispatus and Gallinarum . This community type is ideal and shows the most resilience and stability. People with a CST I have a <u>lower risk of infections like vaginosis, stronger immune response</u> to sexually transmitted infections (STIs), including chlamydia and an increased chance of full-term delivery.



## **3** Vaginal microbiome diversity



- Vaginal health is typically associated with <u>low microbial diversity</u>. Especially when it is also associated with the dominance of Lactobacillus species, it indicates a balanced vaginal microbiome.
- When the diversity increases, the vaginal microbiome is out of balance (dysbiosis).
- An imbalanced microbiome can predispose you to bacterial vaginosis (BV) and put you at higher risk of contracting urinary tract infection (UTI) or sexually transmitted infection (STI)
- Often, vaginal microbiome balance is controlled by your levels of oestrogen. Low levels of oestrogen may lead to higher diversity.
- \*An overgrowth of lactobacillus which reduces the diversity of the vaginal microbiome, may also lead to cytolytic vaginosis in some women. This will be discussed in your consultation.



#### 04a Detailed bacterial compositions

Lactobacillus	actobacillus Qty(%)*	
Genus	Relative quantity	Absolute quantity/per ml
Lactobacillus;scrispatus	99.55	4.75E+09
Lactobacillus;siners	0.1	4.77E+06

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\*percentage relative to the client's entire vaginal bacterial microbiota

#### 04a Detailed bacterial compositions

Opportunistic bacteria and pathogens

Genus	Relative quantity	Absolute quantity/ per ml
Helcococcus;ssp31256	0.01	4.77E+05
Peptoniphilus;scoxii	0.01	4.77E+05
Peptoniphilus;sgrossensis	0.03	1.43E+06
Oligella;surethralis	0.01	4.77E+05

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All bacteria categorised as pathogenic or pathobiont are highlighted in orange. All other bacteria over 1% also highlighted in orange.

Clinicians and practitioners should refer to the appendix at the back of this report for guidance on the analysis and categorisation methods used in this report.

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## Vaginal yeast abundance

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- Absolute abundance of yeast is measured by looking at the number of yeast genetic material per ul of sample
- When the yeast absolute abundance <u>is increased</u>, it may indicate an overgrowth of yeast in the vaginal microbiome
- Increased yeast growth can predispose you to vulvovaginal candidiasis and symptoms of thrush.
- Often, vaginal yeast levels are affected by your levels of estrogen. High levels of estrogen may lead to yeast overgrowth.
- If your absolute yeast levels are higher than average, please refer to the yeast species in section 4b for relative levels of specific yeast strains, allowing more accurate treatment where necessary.



#### 05b Detailed yeast com compositionposition

Yeast

#### **Qty(%)**\*

Genus	Relative quantity	Absolute quantity/per ml
Not Identified*	27.33	2.46E+03
Agaricomycetes;oNA;fNA;gNA;sNA	21.32	1.92E+03
Malassezia;srestricta	15.02	1.35E+03
Penicillium;sNA	14.15	1.27E+03
Malassezia;sglobosa	12.88	1.16E+03
Filobasidium;suniguttulatum	9.3	8.37E+02

\*Indicate that the species has not been classified and therefore cannot be named

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