

Appendix 1 : Some of the commercial companies delivering testing- appendix

Company	Services they provide
Amazon	Logistics for home delivery of test kits, collecting completed test kits from homes and delivering them to labs
Amazon Web Services (AWS)	Digital solution for ordering home test kits
AstraZeneca	<p>Analysis of samples from the completed test kits and share results with NPEX;</p> <p>New testing laboratory, set up jointly with GSK and Cambridge University, for high throughput screening for COVID-19 testing;</p> <p>With GSK, providing process optimisation support and expertise in automation and robotics to the 3 Lighthouse Labs at Milton Keynes, Alderley Park and Glasgow</p>
Boots	Helping to set up and resource drive-through testing stations
Deloitte	<p>Sends invitation text to referred employees;</p> <p>hosts and maintains the AWS platform that the test tracking system sits on;</p> <p>manages the registration and appointment booking;</p> <p>provides the capability for users to enter sample bar codes;</p> <p>responsible for holding this data and making this data available to the NHS</p>
GSK	<p>New testing laboratory, set up jointly with AstraZeneca and Cambridge University, for high-throughput screening for COVID-19 testing;</p> <p>With AstraZeneca, providing process optimisation support and expertise in automation and robotics to the 3 Lighthouse Labs at Milton Keynes, Alderley Park and Glasgow (Box 4)</p>

G4S	Facilities management for some regional test sites
Kantar	User/market research for people who have undertaken tests
Levy	Facilities management for some regional test sites
Palantir	Analysis of anonymised data
Randox	Partnered with the government to establish a major laboratory in Northern Ireland to strengthen UK testing capacity for health and care staff and other critical key workers; Developed, produced and providing sample self-collection kits, distributed through Amazon, to enable testing of critical key workers whilst they remain at home.
Roche Diagnostics	PCR test provision and platforms in NHS laboratories on which that test runs to provide a result.
Sodexo	Helping to set up drive-through testing centres

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