Dear Customer,

DiaSorin, like all companies with global operations managing data for numbers of products across multiple countries, is pleased to inform you that to improve patient safety, streamline the healthcare supply chain and support compliance with industry and regulatory requirements, will be standardizing its product identification through the use of **GS1 Global Trade Item Numbers (GTINs)**.

The Global Trade Item Number® or GTIN® is a globally unique GS1 identification number used to identify products at every level of packaging that are sold, delivered and invoiced at any point in the supply chain.

Starting from July 2015, DiaSorin is progressively planning to transition all IVD product box labels (kits, instruments and accessories) to include GS1 symbols (barcodes).

DiaSorin is planning to transition all our IVD product box labels to contain GS1 symbols by December 2016.

In the transition period you may receive products still labeled according to the actual HIBC barcode and products labeled according to both HIBC and GS1 barcode capability. Only after September 2016, you will progressively receive products with labels containing GS1 barcodes only.

DiaSorin is committed to quality and customer care, therefore we constantly monitoring and updating our products and label according with the highest standards of safety and regulation. DiaSorin decided to implement GS1 Standards to bring uniform methodologies and best practices to the business and to efficiently manage and share accurate product data with regulators and trading partners. The new global reality of the world is that the commercial, clinical and regulatory data about the product is always as important as the product itself.

Thanks for choosing DiaSorin products.

For further information regarding GS1 you can visit [http://www.gs1.org/healthcare](http://www.gs1.org/healthcare)