

Supplementary Table 1. Oligonucleotides used for the molecular identification and/or characterization of the protist and microsporidia pathogens investigated in this study.

Target organism	Locus	Oligonucleotide	Sequence (5'–3')	Reference
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> spp.	<i>ssu</i> rRNA	CR-P1	CAGGGAGGTAGTGACAAGAA	(91)
		CR-P2	TCAGCCTTGCGACCATACTC	(91)
		CR-P3	ATTGGAGGGCAAGTCTGGTG	(91)
		CPB-DIAGR	TAAGGTGCTGAAGGAGTAAGG	(91)
	<i>gp60</i>	AL 3531	ATAGTCTCCGCTGTATTC	(92)
		AL 3535	GGAAGGAACGATGTATCT	(92)
		AL 3532	TCCGCTGTATTCTCAGCC	(92)
		AL 3534	GCAGAGGAACCAGCATC	(92)
<i>Giardia duodenalis</i>	<i>ssu</i> rRNA	Probe	FAM–CCC GCGGCGGTCCCTGCTAG–BHQ1	(93)
		Gd-80F	GACGGCTCAGGACAACGGTT	(93)
		Gd-127R	TTGCCAGCGGTGTCCG	(93)
<i>Enterocytozoon bieneusi</i>	ITS	EBITS3	GGTCATAGGGATGAAGAG	(97)
		EBITS4	TTCGAGTTCTTTCGCGCTC	(97)
		EBITS1	GCTCTGAATATCTATGGCT	(97)
		EBITS2.4	ATCGCCGACGGATCCAAGTG	(97)

gp60: 60Kda glycoprotein; ITS: Internal transcribed spacer; *ssu* rRNA: Small subunit ribosomal RNA.