

Supplementary Material

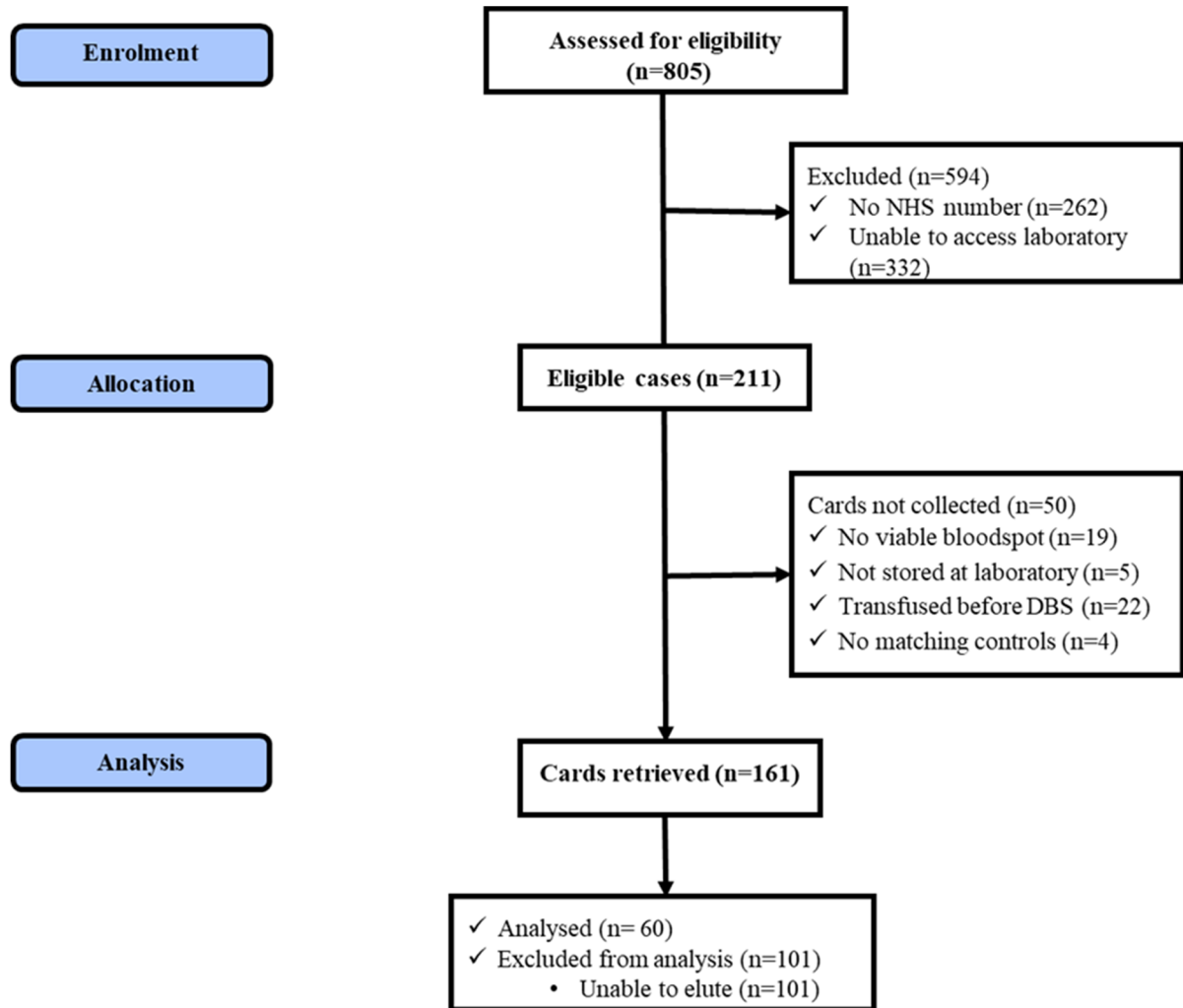


Figure S1. Consort diagram of GBS cases DBS card sample collection.

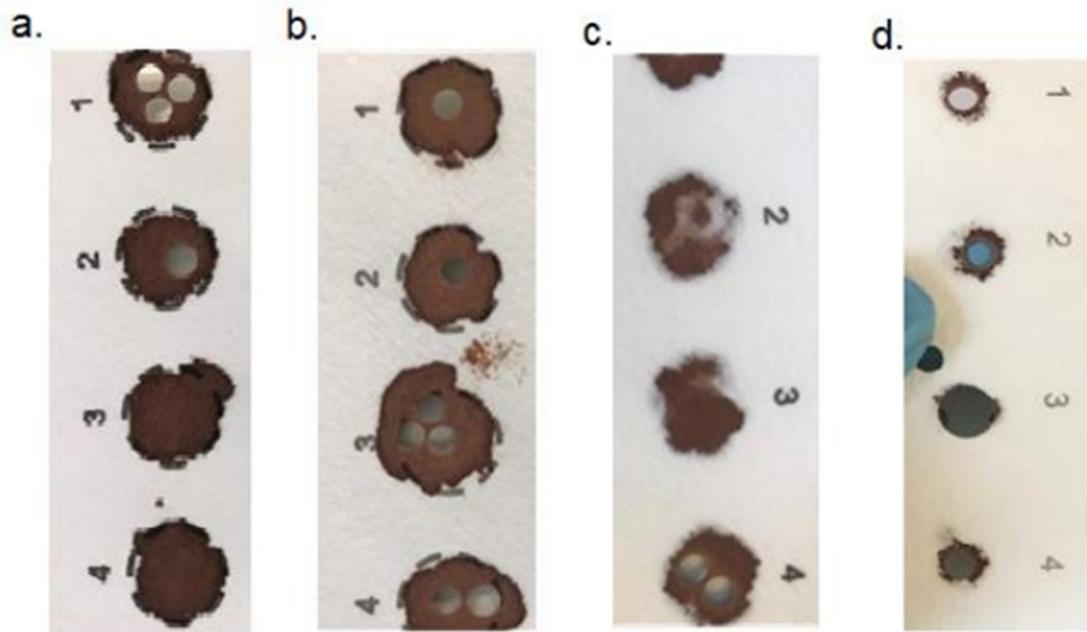


Figure S2. Viable and non-viable blood spots for collection (a. DBS 1 is inadequate, 2 is adequate, 3 and 4 are ideal. b. DBS 1 and 2 are adequate but not ideal. DBS 3 and 4 are not viable. c. DBSs are not viable as blood has not soaked through the card. d. DBS already punched for laboratory testing and there no blood is left).