



Specific Accreditation Guidance

Scope of accreditation - activity and service descriptors for Proficiency Testing Providers

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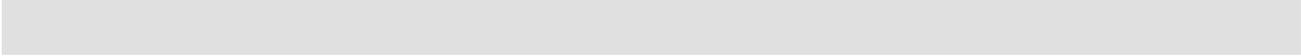
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This document lists the descriptors for activities and services currently able to be accredited for Proficiency Testing Providers.

In addition to referencing ISO/IEC 17043 and the applicable activities and services listed below, scopes of accreditation will include the material/item/product and the determination.

Scopes of accreditation will also include the technique used and the procedure adopted, however, this information will not be made public and is only available to the accredited facility.

The list below will be updated as new activities and/or services are accredited.

Activity	Service
Animal Health	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Bacteriology
	Proficiency testing scheme for chemical pathology
	Proficiency testing scheme for immunology
	Proficiency testing scheme for cytogenomics
	Proficiency testing scheme for haematology and immunohaematology
	Proficiency testing scheme for histology and cytology
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Mycology
	Proficiency testing scheme for molecular diagnostics
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Parasitology
	Proficiency testing scheme for serology
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Virology
Calibration	Proficiency testing scheme for gases

Environment	Proficiency testing scheme for biological composition
	Proficiency testing scheme for chemical composition, residues and contaminants
	Proficiency testing scheme for gases
	Proficiency testing scheme for identification of asbestos, mineral fibres (including synthetic) and organic fibres
	Proficiency testing scheme for counting of asbestos, mineral fibres (including synthetic) and organic fibres
Food and Beverage	Proficiency testing scheme for chemical composition, residues and contaminants
	Proficiency testing scheme for nutritional content
Healthcare, Pharmaceutical and Media Products	Proficiency testing scheme for contamination investigation
	Proficiency testing scheme for pharmaceuticals
Human Pathology	External Quality Assessment (EQA)
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Bacteriology
	Proficiency testing scheme for chemical pathology
	Proficiency testing scheme for immunology
	Proficiency testing scheme for cytogenomics
	Proficiency testing scheme for haematology and immunohaematology
	Proficiency testing scheme for histology and cytology
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Mycology
	Proficiency testing scheme for molecular diagnostics
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Parasitology

	Proficiency testing scheme for serology
	Proficiency testing scheme for microbiology - Virology
Infrastructure and Asset Integrity	Proficiency testing scheme for analysis of construction materials
	Proficiency testing scheme for mechanical properties
Legal	Proficiency testing scheme for chemical criminalistics
	Proficiency testing scheme for controlled substances
	Proficiency testing scheme for examination of documents
	Proficiency testing scheme for fingerprints
	Proficiency testing scheme for forensic biology
	Proficiency testing scheme for forensic toxicology
	Proficiency testing scheme for genetic analysis

Amendment Table

The table below provides a summary of changes made to the document with this issue.

Amendment
The service “External Quality Assessment (EQA)” has been added for the Human Pathology activity.