

Specific Accreditation Guidance

Scope of accreditation - activity and service descriptors for Research and Development

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This document lists the descriptors for activities and services currently able to be accredited for Research and Development.

In addition to referencing the relevant code or standard (e.g. ISO/IEC 17025) and the applicable activities and services listed below, scopes of accreditation will include the material/item/product, the determination, the technique used and the procedure adopted.

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

Activity	Service
Healthcare, Pharmaceutical and Media Products	Management and conduct of research and testing of anti-virals, immunotherapies, biological agents, vaccines and diagnostics
	Management and conduct of research into candidate biologic therapeutics
	Management and conduct of research into developing, characterising, creating and archiving mouse models of human disease
	Management and conduct of research into ethnic factors in pharmacogenetics
	Management and conduct of research into host and pathogenic variation
	Management and conduct of research into oncology and reproductive medicine to support diagnosis and treatment
	Management and conduct of research into pharmaceutical/biotechnology agents involving the determination of analytes in biological matrices
	Management and conduct of research into the detection and characterisation of infectious microbial agents
	Management and conduct of research into the development of assays and diagnostics for gene-based and genomics-based cancer research to support disease prevention, diagnosis and treatment
	Management and conduct of research to support pharmaceutical drug and biological agent development

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Healthcare, Pharmaceutical and Media Products; Agribusiness	Management and conduct of research to support therapeutic peptide drug discovery and development of biomarkers and biosimilars
	Management and conduct of research in protein crystallisation
Human Testing for Workplace and/or Community Screening; Legal	Management and conduct of research into toxic chemicals in matrices
Legal	Management and conduct of research into the identification and management of wildlife

Amendment Table

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

Amendment

New document replacing the previous Research and Development Classes of Test.

This new document describes the revised nomenclature for describing activities and services able to be covered by scopes of accreditation.

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