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# ISO/IEC 17025 Accreditation Online Tools for Human and Animal Food Laboratories

APHL has gathered resources and designed tools to support governmental laboratories seeking to achieve or expand their scope of accreditation to the ISO/IEC 17025 standard.
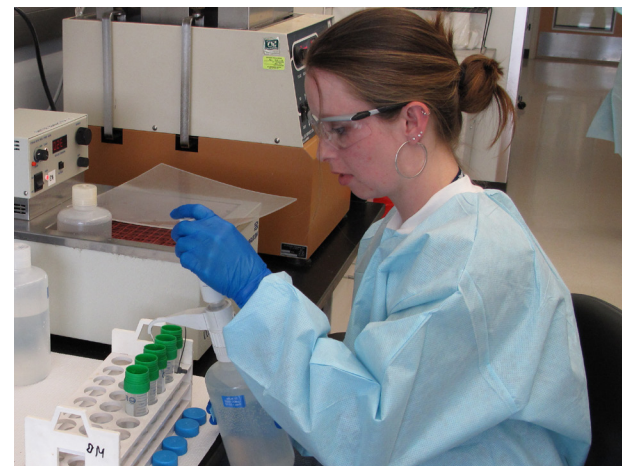
## Informational Resources

A variety of free, informational resources are available to visitors on our website who can learn more about the importance of ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation, laboratory accreditation success stories, and various projects currently on-going in the field (i.e. Regulatory Food and Feed Laboratory Professionals Curriculum Framework and Partnership for Food Protection products). Laboratorians can also find a list of ISO 17043-accredited proficiency test providers and a crosswalk of the ISO/IEC 17025:2005 and ISO/IEC 17025:2017 standards.

## Resource Repository

APHL hosts a restricted-access document repository, which houses over 250 documents from ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratories that can be downloaded and edited to meet individual laboratory needs. These documents include:

- Standard operating procedures
- Templates
- Work plans
- Sample worksheets



**Informational Resources and the Resource Repository can be found at www.aphl.org/FS_Accreditation**

**More Resources ▶**

## Quality Management Training Series

APHL has developed a Quality Management Series, which provides quality management training tools for new laboratory hires and refresher training for veteran staff. The materials consist of customizable, online modules and include:

- PowerPoint on the target topic
- Instructional document to support PowerPoint content
- Quiz and answer key on target topic
- Zip file of original documents for download and use

**The Quality Management Training Series can be found at**
**www.aphl.org/FS_QMTS**

## ISO/IEC 17025 Training Resources

APHL has compiled various training resources for laboratorians to utilize, including previously-recorded webinars, recorded meeting presentations on ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation, and a curated list of available ISO/IEC 17025 related trainings, which is updated every six months.

**ISO/IEC 17025 Training Resources can be found at**
**www.aphl.org/FS_AccreditationTraining**

## Quality Assurance Community of Practice

The Quality Assurance Community of Practice connects over 300 laboratorians, providing a forum to ask quality-related questions to peers and share possible solutions, resources and lessons learned. To join the Quality Assurance Community of Practice, please email bertina.su@aphl.org.

**For more information about the resources or site, please email foodsafety@aphl.org.**