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New Products



M100

Performance Standards for Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing, 31st Edition

This document includes updated tables for the Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute antimicrobial susceptibility testing standards M02, M07, and M11.



VET02

Development of Quality Control Ranges, Breakpoints, and Interpretive Categories for Antimicrobial Agents Used in Veterinary Medicine, 4th Edition

This guideline discusses the necessary and recommended data for selecting appropriate quality control ranges, breakpoints, and interpretive categories for antimicrobial agents for veterinary use.



M54

Principles and Procedures for Detection and Culture of Fungi in Clinical Specimens, 2nd Edition

This guideline includes protocols, quality control parameters, and interpretive criteria for culturing fungi and for detecting and identifying fungi in direct examinations.

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Upcoming Live Webinars

- **AST Annual Update Webinar 1*** | April 28, 2021 | 1:00-2:30 PM EDT
- **AST Annual Update Webinar 2*** | April 29, 2021 | 3:00-4:30 PM EDT

Identify the major changes in the 31st edition of CLSI document M100. Learn to design a strategy for implementing the updates in M100-Ed31 into laboratory practices and get communication strategies for informing clinical staff of significant AST and reporting changes.

** The webinar will be hosted each day at different times, but the content will be the same. The recording will also be available for on-demand access in May 2021.*

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Volunteer Opportunities

Applications for volunteer positions are now being accepted for:

- A document revision: GP34—*Validation and Verification of Tubes for Venous and Capillary Blood Specimen Collection*, 2nd Edition

- A new document: GP50—*Clinical Testing for Early Detection and Management of Sepsis*, 1st Edition

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Lab Week 2021

Medical Laboratory Professionals Week, April 18-24, 2021, is an annual celebration of medical laboratory professionals and pathologists who play a vital role in health care and patient advocacy. Be on the lookout for CLSI's annual Lab Week activities. You can nominate your lab hero, win an Amazon gift card, complete our Lab Week crossword, and more!

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COVID-19 Resources: CDC OneLab

CDC OneLab is a collaborative network between clinical laboratory training professionals and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to:

- Identify and respond to urgent COVID-19 training needs.
- Share and disseminate free education and training resources to help your learners prepare for challenges related to COVID-19 and other public health emergencies.
- Connect with other clinical laboratories and exchange lessons learned and best practices.

The long-term goal of CDC OneLab is to establish a sustainable learning community of clinical, public health, and CDC laboratory professionals to collectively support rapid, large-scale emergency responses. Representatives with responsibility for education and training within clinical laboratory professional organizations, manufacturers, large commercial laboratories, and large hospital systems are invited to join.

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Latest Insights

Learn more about preparing for the next public health emergency, read a recap of CLSI's Future Focus Forum, and watch an interview with CLSI's new President, Dr. Victor Waddell.



Read the Latest

Global Training Updates

Together with our Zambian colleagues in Ministry of Health, CDC, and CIDRZ LIFE, GHP congratulates the Chest Diseases Laboratory (CDL) in Zambia on its achievement of international accreditation aligned to the ISO 15189 standard for medical laboratories and Nchanga North General Hospital Laboratory for its achievement of a successful periodic assessment by the accreditation body. The CDL was a new addition to the mentorship program just last year; with some fine tuning to its quality management system, the lab achieved accreditation this year. Nchanga North General Hospital Laboratory was one of the first laboratories, with the support of the CLSI mentors in Zambia, to become accredited a few years ago. We are very happy for these recent successes, and we congratulate both laboratories!



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As a CLSI member, you have access to the most up-to-date laboratory standards. Using CLSI products is crucial to ensure patients receive the best care based on the most accurate test results.

Learn how CLSI membership can help improve your lab.

Part of a laboratory system? CLSI also offers a Health System Membership to cover multiple sites. Learn more [here](#).

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