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#### **New Products**



#### C64

Quantitative Measurement of Proteins and Peptides by Mass Spectrometry, 1st Edition

This guideline describes the design, development, and validation of quantitative assays for proteins and peptides by mass spectrometry.



### NBS01

Dried Blood Spot Specimen Collection for Newborn Screening, 7th Edition

This standard highlights specimen collection methods, discusses acceptable techniques for applying blood drops or aliquots to the filter paper section of the specimen collection device, and provides instructions on proper specimen drying, handling, and transport to ensure quality specimens are consistently obtained for newborn screening analysis.



#### QMS26

#### Managing Laboratory Records, 1st Edition

This guideline presents recommendations for developing a records management program, including designing, creating, reviewing, retaining, and disposing of laboratory records.

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## **Upcoming Live Webinar**

M54-Ed2 Webinar | June 15, 2021 | 1:00-2:00 PM EDT

The speakers will:

- Review the purpose of CLSI document M54.
- Highlight updates made to the original material, including rearranged topics and a new format.
- Discuss new material included in the second edition, including serodiagnostics, molecular methods, taxonomy/nomenclature, and new figures.

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#### **Volunteer Opportunities**

Applications for volunteer positions are now being accepted for:

- A new document: GP50—Clinical Testing for Early Detection and Management of Sepsis, 1st Edition
- Volunteers to serve on the Expert Panel on Evaluation Protocols

View All Opportunities

### **Latest Insights**

Learn more about antimicrobial susceptibility testing by reading our blog articles on the value of the intermediate or "I"," interpretive category, what microbiologists need to know about imipenem-relebactam and aztreonam-avibactam, and re-exploring the intermediate interpretive category.







Read the Latest

#### **Global Training Updates**

Earlier this year, CLSI signed a contract with the Biomedical Research and Training Institute (BRTI) located in Harare, Zimbabwe to support continual improvement initiatives and laboratory systems strengthening efforts across Zimbabwe within testing laboratories, specimen referral hubs, and HIV pointof-care testing clinics. Our local Zimbabwe mentorship teams have been working tirelessly to perform laboratory baseline assessments, provide quality management system trainings to key laboratory personnel, build local capacity, and deliver valuable technical mentorship support. The CLSI GHP team is looking forward to sharing news of its work and progress as we continue to implement activities in Zimbabwe in close coordination with BRTI, the Ministry of Health and Child Care, and the Medical Laboratory and Clinical Scientists Council of Zimbabwe.



# SADCAS Accredits New Medical Laboratories in Zambia Under the CLSI Project

The Southern African Development Community Accreditation Services (SADCAS) has accredited medical laboratories in Zambia that were mentored under CLSI and the Zambia Ministry of Health Project.

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#### **Members Get More**

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