

Introduction to Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988

WB4497

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: This activity is designed to equip /learners with foundational information about CLIA, including the history, its importance, and implications for clinical laboratories and facilities that perform testing that are subject to the regulations.

OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of the session, the participant will be able to:

1. Describe the background and fundamental concepts of the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 (CLIA) law and regulatory program
2. Recall CLIA certification requirements for clinical laboratory testing
3. Identify the important components of the quality system standards supporting CLIA regulations
4. Recall the roles of federal agencies that support the CLIA program
5. Describe the role and responsibilities of team members associated with clinical laboratory testing, including conducting tests or supporting other activities related to the clinical testing process for obtaining a CLIA certificate.

FACULTY/ CREDENTIALS:

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EXPIRATION DATE: January 14, 2024

URL: <https://www.cdc.gov/labtraining>

HARDWARE/SOFTWARE: Computer Hardware; Internet Connection, Browser

MATERIALS: None

TARGET AUDIENCE: Physicians, (MD, DO, DPM, DDS)
Physician Assistants (PA)
Nurses, (LPN, RN, NP, Midwife)

Laboratorians (MLT, MT)
Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) paramedics

PREREQUISITES: There are no prerequisites for this course

FORMAT: This activity is **Web-based**

CONTACT INFORMATION: For additional information go to:
<https://www.cdc.gov/labtraining/training-courses/Introduction-Clinical-Laboratory-Improvement-Amendments-1988.html>

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