



External Quality Assessment Program for Fungal infections, nucleic acid detection

Labquality is announcing a new EQA scheme for Mycology: Fungal infections, nucleic acid detection. The scheme will be suitable for different nucleic acid test panels and scoring will be based on the qualitative interpretation. Samples may contain yeasts, moulds and dermatophytes. Your laboratory may participate even though the test panel in use does not recognize all of the species included and this will be taken in account when scoring.

The pilot round will include four samples that should be analysed as regular patient samples. The participants submit their results through the electronic platform LabScala and results are processed by the EQA Coordinator. Result evaluations including comments by the Scheme Expert will be published in the final report distributed to the participants.

Round 1, 2022 will be a pilot study free of charge for a limited number of participants. The pilot round will open in June. At least two rounds will be included in the 2023 program.

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- Samples:** 4 inactivated swab samples with different fungi
Distribution: 1, 2022 June – pilot study free of charge
Participation: Limited number of samples available
Registration: Please register by **May 15th, 2022** via **this link**.

Please note, if you have already registered through the general pilot registration link earlier this year, no further actions are needed.

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