

**Department of Health of Puerto Rico Public Health Laboratories - Proficiency Testing Service  
Program 2020 Schedule **OFICIAL****

Shipment Departure Date	First Testing Event					Second Testing Event				Third Testing Event		
	Feb 3	March 9	Apr 20	May 11		June 1	July 6	Sep 8		Oct 5	Nov 9	Dec 7
Report Deadline Date	Feb 21	March 27	May 8	May 29		June 19	June 24	Sep 25		Oct 23	Nov 30	Dec 28
<b>A. Chemistry</b>												
Routine	✓					✓				✓		
Whole Blood Glucose WBG)			✓				✓				✓	
Endocrinology	✓					✓				✓		
Toxicology	✓					✓				✓		
Special *State Regulated Only	✓					✓				✓		
Blood Gases	✓					✓				✓		
Urinalysis *State Regulated Only	✓					✓				✓		
Fecal Occult Blood	✓					✓				✓		
<b>A. Hematology (Gen Coag.)</b>			✓				✓				✓	
<b>B. Body Fluid Cell Count</b>			✓				✓				✓	
<b>C. Immunohematology</b>												
ABO/RH (D) groups		✓					✓				✓	
Compatibility testing		✓					✓				✓	
Unexpected Antibody Detectn		✓					✓				✓	
Antibody Identification		✓					✓				✓	
<b>D. Gen. Immunol (HIV-Hep)</b>			✓				✓				✓	
<b>E. Microbiology</b>												
Bacteriology				✓				✓				✓
Parasitology				✓				✓				✓
<b>F. Diagnostic Immunology</b>												
Syphilis Serology				✓				✓				✓
General Immunology				✓				✓				✓
<b>G. Virology</b>				✓				✓				✓

**CALENDARIO OFICIAL CORREGUIDO EL 10 de marzo 2020**

**NOTE:** If Proficiency Testing Samples are not received within **3 days** from mailing date or they arrive in poor condition, please contact the Proficiency Testing Service at: Tels. (787) 765-2929 ext: 3770 and/or Fax No. (787) 274-7708.