

Department of Health of Puerto Rico Public Health Laboratories - Proficiency Testing Service Program 2021 Schedule

Shipment Departure Date	Report Deadline Date	First Testing Event				Second Testing Event				Third Testing Event		
		Feb 1	March 1	Apr 5	May 3	June 7	Sep 13	Oct 4	Nov 1	Dec 6		
		Feb 19	March 19	Apr 23	May 21	June 25	Oct 1	Oct 22	Nov 19	Dec 27		
A. Chemistry												
Routine		✓			✓			✓				
Whole Blood Glucose WBG)			✓			✓			✓			
Endocrinology		✓			✓			✓				
Toxicology		✓			✓			✓				
Special *State Regulated Only		✓			✓			✓				
Blood Gases		✓			✓			✓				
Urinalysis *State Regulated Only		✓			✓			✓				
Fecal Occult Blood		✓			✓			✓				
A. Hematology (Gen Coag.)			✓			✓			✓			
B. Body Fluid Cell Count			✓			✓			✓			
C. Immunohematology												
ABO/RH (D) groups			✓			✓			✓			
Compatibility testing			✓			✓			✓			
Unexpected Antibody Detectn			✓			✓			✓			
Antibody Identification			✓			✓			✓			
D. Genl Immunol (HIV-Hep)			✓			✓			✓			
A. Microbiology												
Bacteriology				✓			✓			✓		
Parasitology				✓			✓			✓		
B. Diagnostic Immunology												
Syphilis Serology				✓			✓			✓		
General Immunology				✓			✓			✓		
E. Virology				✓			✓			✓		

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.