MEDICAL LABORATORY ACCREDITATION PROGRAM

Scope of Accreditation

Legal Name of Accredited Laboratory:	**Département clinique de médecine de laboratoire du CIUSS du Saguenay-Lac-St-Jean (site Haute-Côte-Nord – Installation des Escoumins)**
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SCC File Number:	151214
Provider:	BNQ-EL
Provider File Number:	56410-1
Accreditation Standard(s):	ISO 15189:2012 Medical laboratories – Requirements for quality and competence
Program Specialty Area:	Medical
Initial Accreditation:	2021-12-06
Most Recent Accreditation:	2023-12-20
Accreditation Valid to:	2025-12-06

Remarque: La présente portée d'accréditation existe également en français, celle-ci est publiée séparément.
Note: This scope of accreditation is also available in French as a separately issued document.

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SCC Group Accreditation:
This laboratory is a part of a Group Accreditation with the following facilities in accordance with SCC's policy on Group Accreditation documented in the Accreditation Services Accreditation Program Overview.

- Hôpital de Chicoutimi, 305 Saint-Vallier, P. O. box 5006, Saguenay (Québec) G7H 5H6 (CCN no.: 151212 / BNQ no.: 56408-1), accredited laboratory number: 990
- Fermont Installation, 1, Aquilon, Fermont (Québec) G0G 1J0 (CCN no.: 151213 / BNQ no.: 56409-1), accredited laboratory number: 991
- Haute-Côte-Nord – Forestville Installation, 2, 7th Street, P. O. box 790, Forestville (Québec) G0T 1E0 (CCN no.: 151215 / BNQ no.: 56411-1), accredited laboratory number: 993
- Centre multiservices de santé et de services sociaux de la Minganie, 1035, promenade des Anciens, Havre-Saint-Pierre (Québec) G0G 1P0 (CCN no.: 151216 / BNQ no.: 56412-1), accredited laboratory number: 994
- Hôpital Le Royer, 635, Joliet boulevard, Baie-Comeau (Québec) G5C 1P1 (CCN no.: 151217 / BNQ no.: 56413-1), accredited laboratory number: 995
- Port-Cartier installation, 3, rue de Shelter Bay, Port-Cartier (Québec) G5B 2W9 (CCN no.: 151218 / BNQ no.: 56414-1), accredited laboratory number: 996
- Hôpital and Centre d'hébergement de Sept-Îles, 45, du Père-Divet, Sept-Îles (Québec) G4R 3N7 (CCN no.: 151219 / BNQ no.: 56415-1), accredited laboratory number: 997
- Basse-Côte-Nord Installation, 1070, Docteur-Camille-Marcoux boulevard, P. O. box 130, Blanc-Sablon (Québec) G0G 1W0 (CCN no.: 151220 / BNQ no.: 56416-1), accredited laboratory number: 998
- Hôpital de Dolbeau-Mistassini, 2000, Sacré-Cœur boulevard, Dolbeau-Mistassini (Québec) G8L 2R5 (CCN no.: 151221 / BNQ no.: 56417-1), accredited laboratory number: 999
- Hôpital d'Alma, 300, Champlain South boulevard, Alma (Québec) G8B 5W3 (CCN no.: 151222 / BNQ no.: 56418-1), accredited laboratory number: 1000
- Hôpital de la Baie, 1000, du Docteur-Desgagné, Saguenay (Québec) G7B 2Y6 (CCN no.: 151223 / BNQ no.: 56419-1), accredited laboratory number: 1001
- Hôpital and Centre de réadaptation de Jonquière, 2230, de l'Hôpital, Saguenay (Québec) G7X 7X2 (CCN no.: 151224 / BNQ no.: 56420-1), accredited laboratory number: 1002
- Hôpital, CLSC and Centre d'hébergement de Roberval, 450, Brassard, Roberval (Québec) G8H 1B9 (CCN no.: 151225 / BNQ no.: 56421-1), accredited laboratory number: 1003
- Centre de santé de Chibougamau, 51, 3e Street, Chibougamau (Québec) G8P 1N1 (CCN no.: 151226 / BNQ no.: 56422-1), accredited laboratory number: 1004
- Centre de santé Lebel, 950, Quévillon North boulevard, P. O. box 5000, Lebel-sur-Quévillon (Québec) J0Y 1X0 (CCN no.: 151227 / BNQ no.: 56423-1), accredited laboratory number: 1005
- Centre de santé Isle-Dieu, 130, Matagami boulevard, C. P. 790, Matagami (Québec) JOY 2A0 (CCN no.: 151228 / BNQ no.: 56424-1), accredited laboratory number: 1006

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

01.0 BIOCHEMISTRY

01.1 BIOCHEMISTRY – CLINICAL

01.2 BIOCHEMISTRY – HORMONAL

01.3 BIOCHEMISTRY – IMMUNOLOGY

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01.4 BIOCHEMISTRY – MEDICATION
01.5 BIOCHEMISTRY – TOXICOLOGY

02.0 MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

02.3 MOLECULAR DIAGNOSIS – INFECTIOUS DISEASES

05.0 HEMATOLOGY

05.2 HEMATOLOGY – CYTOLOGY
05.5 HEMATOLOGY – HEMOSTASIS

06.0 TRANSFUSION MEDICINE

07.0 MICROBIOLOGY

07.1 MICROBIOLOGY – BACTERIOLOGY
07.2 MICROBIOLOGY – IMMUNOSEROLOGY
07.4 MICROBIOLOGY – MYCOLOGY

DETAILS OF SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

Discipline	Sub-discipline	Nature of the test	Analytical principle	Matrix (sample)
01.0 BIOCHEMISTRY	**01.1 Biochemistry – clinical**	Osmolality measurement	**Cryoscopic Osmometry**	Blood and derived products, urine
		Research, identification and concentration determination of organic and inorganic molecules and enzyme activity	**Immunoassay - turbidimetry**	Blood and derived products
			Electrochemistry	Blood and derived products, urine
			Microscopic examination including preparation	Urine
			Enzyme immunoassays (chemiluminescence, EIA and derivatives)	Blood and derived products
			Enzymatic method	Blood and derived products
			Reflectance, refraction and visual reading	Urine
			Spectrophotometry	Blood and by-products, urine, CSF
	01.2 Biochemistry – hormonal	Research, identification and concentration determination of organic and inorganic molecules and enzyme activity	**Enzyme immunoassays (chemiluminescence, EIA and derivatives)**	Blood and derived products
			Immunochromatography	Urine

Discipline	Sub-discipline	Nature of the test	Analytical principle	Matrix (sample)
	01.3 Biochemistry – immunology	Research, identification and/or determination of the concentration of antibodies and/or antigens specific to infectious agents	**Qualitative or quantitative agglutination**	Blood and derived products
	01.4 Biochemistry – medication	Research, identification and/or determination of the concentration of xenobiotics/drugs	**Enzyme immunoassays (chemiluminescence, EIA and derivatives)**	Blood and derived products
			Spectrophotometry	Blood and derived products
	01.5 Biochemistry – toxicology	Research, identification and/or determination of the concentration of toxic substances or analytes	**Immunochromatography**	Urine
02.0 MOLECULAR BIOLOGY	**02.3 Molecular diagnosis – infectious diseases**	Research and identification and/or determination of the concentration (quantification) of viral, bacterial and fungal nucleic acids	**Detection of nucleic acids**	Feces, clinical sample
05.0 HEMATOLOGY	**05.2 Hematology – cytology**	Hemogram, research, identification and/or cells quantification	**Flow cytometry**	Blood and derived products
			Impedance measurement	
			Calculation	
			Fluorescence	
			Microscopic examination including preparation	
		Red blood cell aggregation technique	**Precipitation**	Blood and derived products
	05.5 Hematology – hemostasis	Determination of hemostasis parameters	**Coagulometry**	Blood and derived products
			Chronometric method	Blood and derived products
			Turbidimetry	Blood and derived products
06.0 TRANSFUSION MEDICINE	**06.0 Transfusion medicine**	Research and determination of erythrocyte antigens (for ABO, antibodies) Determination of blood types	**Immunological method of hemagglutination and derivative**	Blood and derived products
07.0 MICROBIOLOGY	**07.1 Microbiology – bacteriology**	Characterization of the sensitivity of bacteria to different substances	**Phenotypic determination: sensitivity tests**	Isolate
		Preparation for bacterial research and identification	**Bacterial culture**	Feces, secretions, urine, clinical sample, other biological fluids
		#N/A	**Microscopic examination including preparation**	Secretions, blood and blood products, clinical sample, other biological fluids
		Research and identification of nucleic acids, toxins, enzymes, antibodies and bacterial antigens	**Phenotypic determination: biochemical characterization**	Isolate

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		Research and identification of bacteria	**Microscopic examination including preparation**	Secretions, culture, clinical sample
	07.2 Microbiology – immunoserology	Research, identification and/or determination of the concentration of antibodies and/or antigens specific to infectious agents	**Qualitative or quantitative agglutination**	Blood and derived products
	07.4 Microbiology – mycology	Research and identification of fungi and yeast	**Fungal culture**	Clinical sample
			Microscopic examination including preparation	Clinical sample

Notes

Accreditation is granted under a flexible scope. The list of methods subject to accreditation is available.

ISO 15189:2012: Medical laboratories — Requirements for quality and competence

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This document forms part of the Certificate of Accreditation issued by the Standards Council of Canada (SCC). The original version is available in the Directory of Accredited Laboratories on the SCC website at www.scc.ca.

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