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**Percorso di Accreditamento EFI nei  
laboratori di immunogenetica:  
panoramica europea**

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# EFI Mission

## Mission and goals

It is the mission and goal of EFI:

- 1 To support the development of Immunogenetics in Europe as a discipline in medicine and promote research and training in this field.
- 2 To provide a forum for exchange of scientific information and to reinforce the skills and knowledge of young scientists and others working in the field.
- 3 To create a formal organisation of workers in the field of immunogenetics, histocompatibility testing and transplantation.
- 4 To develop recommendations for standardisation of techniques, quality control and criteria for accreditation and to support their implementation.
- 5 To promote the organisation and use of immunogenetic databases.
- 6 To develop relations with organisations with similar aims.

The association shall abstain from any type of political activity.

**Sviluppare in Europa l'Immunogenetica, promuovendo la ricerca e la formazione in questo campo**

**Promuovere scambi di informazioni scientifiche e promuovere la conoscenza sia di giovani che di altri nel settore dell'immunogenetica**

**Sviluppare raccomandazioni per la standardizzazione delle tecniche di laboratorio, della gestione della qualità, dei criteri utili al supporto del processo di accreditamento**

**Consolidare le relazioni con organizzazioni mondiali simili ad EFI**

# La Struttura di EFI

## Committees

Executive Committee

Accreditation Committee

Education Committee

EPT Committee

IT & Bioinformatics Committee

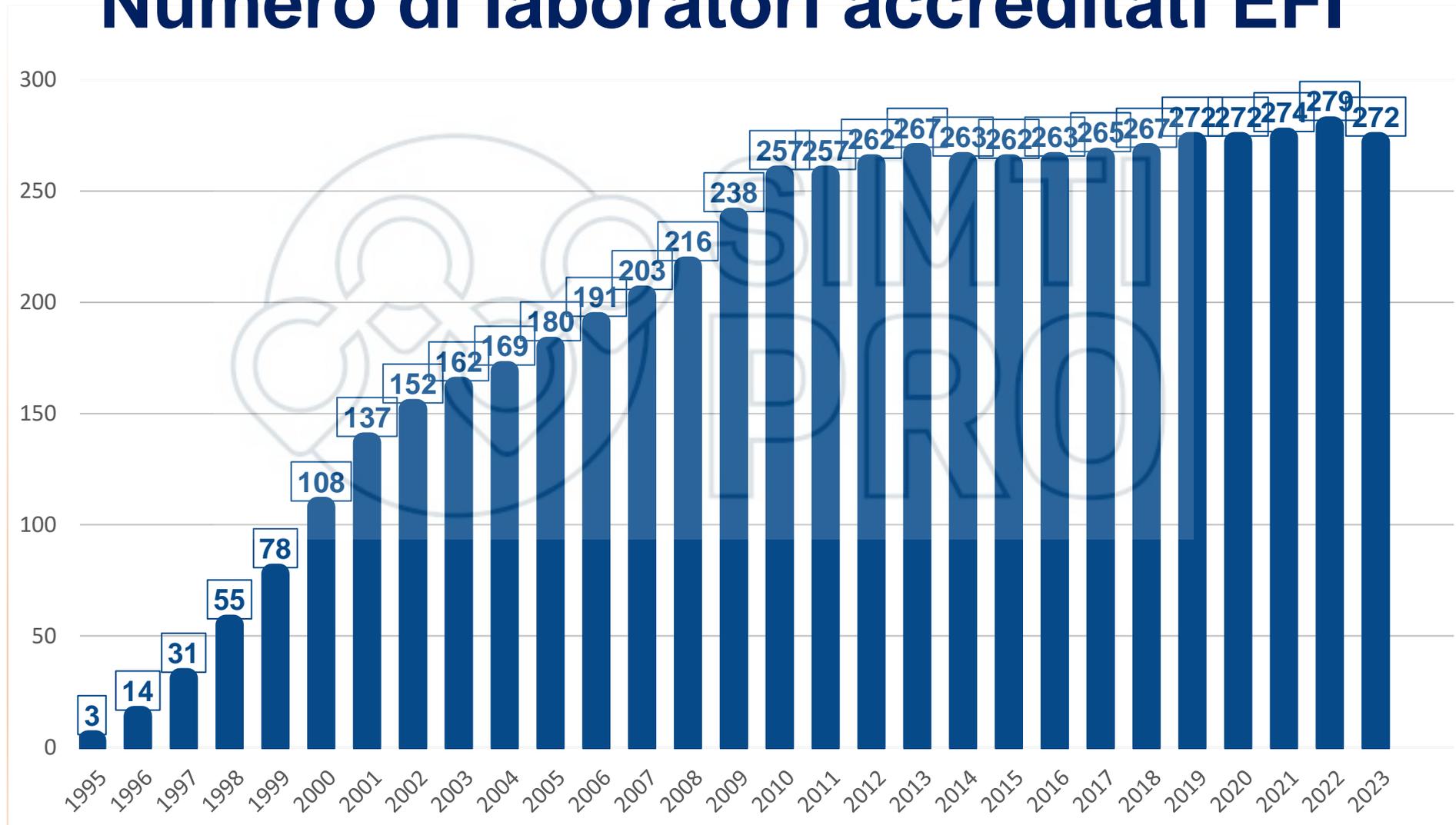
Scientific Committee

# Accreditation Committee

**Promuovere il Sistema Qualità nell'attività di trapianti di organi solidi e cellule staminali ematopoietiche**

**Rilascio di una Certificazione di Accreditamento**

# Numero di laboratori accreditati EFI



# Distribuzione dei laboratori accreditati EFI nel mondo nel 2023



REGION	ACCREDITED LABORATORIES	
01	SCANDINAVIA	12
02	BENELUX	12
03	UK + IRELAND	20
04	GERMANY	40
05	CENTRAL EUROPE	20
06+11	FRANCE + SWITZERLAND	33
07	ITALY	50
08	SE EUROPE, ISRAËL, ARMENIA	28
09+10	SPAIN + PORTUGAL	26
99	SOUTH AFRICA, CHINA, KUWAIT, COLOMBIA, USA, INDIA, ARGENTINA, BRAZIL,	12
99	COMMISSIONERS LABS	19
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>272</b>



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# Istituti internazionali che richiedono l'accreditamento EFI o ASHI

**WMDA** (World Marrow Donor Association)

**NMDP** (National Marrow Donor Program)

**JACIE** (Joint Accreditation Committee of ISCT-Europe and EBMT)

**FACT** (Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy)

**NETCORD FAHCT** (Cord Blood Sharing Organization)

**BSBMT/UKCCSG** (British Society for Bone Marrow Transplantation)

**IBMDR** (Italian Bone Marrow Donor Registry)

**EUROTRANSPLANT** (Organ Sharing Organization)

# Il percorso di accreditamento EFI



- **Clinical categories**

- Renal Transplantation and Other Solid Organ Transplant
- Haematopoietic Transplant
- Disease Association
- Blood Transfusion

- **Technical categories**

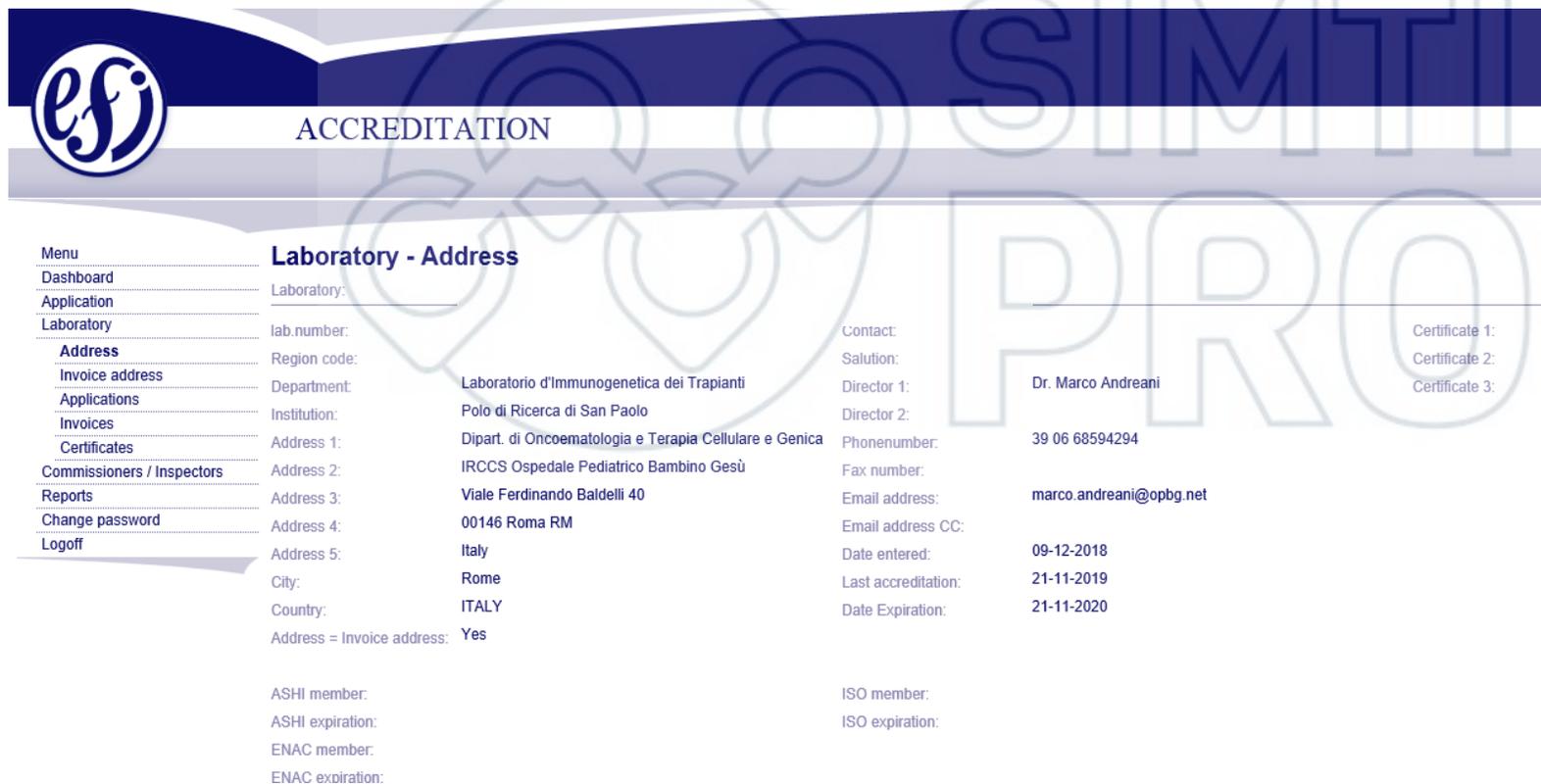
- HLA Typing
- Crossmatching
- Antibody screening & identification

Categories	Minimum Requirements	Notes
<b>Renal and/or Pancreatic Transplantation</b>		
Recipient Typing	HLA Class I and II low resolution (1st field)	A,B,DR + other loci required by national regulations
Antibody Screening	Antibody detection HLA Class I and Class II	
Antibody Identification	Antibody specificity HLA Class I and Class II	
Donor Typing	HLA Class I and II low resolution (1st field)	
Crossmatching	Antibody specificity and Crossmatching.	If Virtual Crossmatching is used for any sensitised patients specificity with single antigen beads required
<b>Other Solid Organ Transplantation</b>		
Recipient Typing	For sensitized patients	
Antibody Screening	Antibody detection HLA Class I and Class II	
Antibody Identification	Mandatory if screening is positive	
Donor Typing	For sensitized recipients	
Crossmatching	For sensitized recipients	
Categories	Minimum Requirements	Notes
<b>Haematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation</b>		
Donor Registry Typing	HLA Class I and Class II typing low resolution (1 <sup>st</sup> field)	
Related Transplantation	HLA Class I and Class II typing high resolution (2 <sup>nd</sup> field)	As required to determine identity
Unrelated Transplantation	HLA Class I and Class II typing high resolution (2 <sup>nd</sup> field)	A,B,C,DRB1 + additional loci if required by transplant protocol
Cord Blood Typing	HLA Class I and Class II low resolution	
Crossmatching	Crossmatching or antibody specificity	For haplotype-identical Tx (currently recommended, to become mandatory in future version of standards)
Chimaerism and Engraftment Monitoring	As required by the transplant protocol	
<b>Disease Association Studies</b>	HLA Class I and Class II typing low resolution and high resolution as required	Where an association is with specific alleles typing to 2 <sup>nd</sup> field is required
<b>Transfusion</b>	HLA/HPA/HNA antibody screening and typing as required	

# In cosa consiste il processo 45° di Accreditemento EFI

## On-line submission

- Application form
- Multiple supporting documents



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**Laboratory - Address**

Laboratory: \_\_\_\_\_

lab.number: \_\_\_\_\_

Region code: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: Laboratorio d'Immunogenetica dei Trapianti

Institution: Polo di Ricerca di San Paolo

Address 1: Dipart. di Oncoematologia e Terapia Cellulare e Genica

Address 2: IRCCS Ospedale Pediatrico Bambino Gesù

Address 3: Viale Ferdinando Baldelli 40

Address 4: 00146 Roma RM

Address 5: Italy

City: Rome

Country: ITALY

Address = Invoice address: Yes

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Salution: \_\_\_\_\_

Director 1: Dr. Marco Andreani

Director 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Phonenumber: 39 06 68594294

Fax number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: marco.andreani@opbg.net

Email address CC: \_\_\_\_\_

Date entered: 09-12-2018

Last accreditation: 21-11-2019

Date Expiration: 21-11-2020

Certificate 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate 3: \_\_\_\_\_

ASHI member: \_\_\_\_\_

ASHI expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

ENAC member: \_\_\_\_\_

ENAC expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

ISO member: \_\_\_\_\_

ISO expiration: \_\_\_\_\_



# Application

EFI Accreditation Program  EFI No.

## Applicationfile accreditation EFI

Please fill in: Application A  Application C  Date:

Application is filled in according to the Standards version 8.0

Laboratory/institute name:

To complete the application A/C, we kindly ask you to fill in all the sections of the application file (indicate any section which are not applicable). Also please complete the separate sections for the address data and names as they should appear on the certificate and for the accreditation 'Categories'; you will find both sections on the Accreditation website.

Submit an organogram of the laboratory with positions and names of persons at the staff and supervisory levels including the quality manager (addendum #1). If the laboratory is part of a larger department, an overview of the department must also be provided (addendum #2). Indicate the position of the quality manager on addendum #1 and/or #2 as appropriate.

I/We do hereby apply to EFI for laboratory accreditation in the area(s) indicated at the Accreditation website.

It is understood that granting of accreditation is dependent on compliance with all applicable EFI Standards. If a conflict of interest exists with any individual involved in the accreditation procedure I/we will bring that to the notice of the Chairperson of the EFI Accreditation Committee before the inspection takes place.

- The Directors confirm that all information is truthful and accurate to the best of our knowledge.
- I/we consent to the storage and use of the data submitted in this application for the purposes of EFI accreditation.

### PERSONNEL

#### Director/Co-Director Qualifications

Last name	First name	What is the average hours spent in the laboratory per week.	Is emergency consultation available during your absence?	Weeks/year away from institution? *
			Yes	
			N/A	

\*) for periods of > 3 consecutive workdays

Describe in an addendum (addendum #3) your duties in your present position, especially your role in the laboratory, including the extent to which you participate in the review, interpretation and reporting of test results, development and performance or supervision of test procedures, training and evaluation of staff and fellows and establishment of laboratory policies. Include a policy defining who may act as a designated individual for signing reports. Confirm that you are aware of the relevant national legislation.

Submit a complete Curriculum Vitae (addendum #4). This C.V. must also include the degrees earned, training received, length of time in present position.

Submit a list of publications (addendum #5).

Note: in case of change in directorship of a laboratory the commissioner must be informed immediately and no later than 7 days following the change, a CV of the new director must be provided.

**Tutti i documenti sono inizialmente valutati dal Commissario (3 in Italia)**

**Successivamente il Commissario sceglierà gli Ispettori, che valuteranno la documentazione, prima della site visit**

# In cosa consiste il processo di Accreditamento EFI

- **3 year cycle of accreditation**
  - Year 0: on-site inspection after lab Application(Packet A)
  - Year 1: & 2 document review + self inspection (Packet B1 & B2)
  - Year 3: on-site inspection (Packet C)

# La visita Ispettiva

- 1 day on site inspection by 2 inspectors
  - Observe processes, request and review documents
  - Complete checklist
  - Report sent to Commissioner for review
- Commissioner sends report to lab
  - Lab completes any required corrective actions
  - Evidence of actions submitted to Commissioner
- Accreditation granted following satisfactory completion of actions

# **EFI Standards**



# Gli Standard EFI

European Federation for Immunogenetics



STANDARDS FOR  
HISTOCOMPATIBILITY  
& IMMUNOGENETICS  
TESTING

Version 8.0

Accepted by the Standards and Quality Assurance Committee on 09 May 2019  
Accepted by the EFI Executive Committee on 20 August 2019  
Effective from January 1<sup>st</sup> 2020  
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## SECTION A – GENERAL POLICIES

## SECTION B – PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS

## SECTION C – QUALITY ASSURANCE

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## SECTION E – ANALYSIS PROCESSES

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EFI Standard		Not Applic.	Required Yes No	Recom.* Yes No
				
<b>SECTION B – PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS</b>				
B1	For the purposes of this document, EFI defines the Director as the person who is responsible for the H&I laboratory activities for which accreditation is applied for			
B2	The laboratory must employ one or more individuals who meet the qualifications and fulfil the responsibilities of:			
B3	<b>The Director and/or Co-Director</b>			
B3.1	A Director, that must:			
B3.1.1	Hold a qualification approved by EFI, such as an ESHI or national diploma, earned doctoral degree in a biological science, or be a physician, and		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.2	Have minimum qualification experience equivalent to either of the following:			
B3.1.2.1	Four years' relevant experience two of which were devoted to full time training in human H&I testing, or		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.2.2	Four years of working experience at full time in human H&I testing		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.2.3	Additional qualifications required according to national legislation also apply	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.2.4	If these tests are performed in a laboratory not performing H&I. For chimaerism, KIR, HPA, HNA two years of working experience at full time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.3	Have documentation of professional competence in the appropriate activities in which the laboratory is engaged. This should be based on sound knowledge of the fundamentals of immunology, genetics and histocompatibility testing as appropriate to the areas in which accreditation is sought		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.4	If a Co-Director is appointed, this person must also fulfil Standards B3.1.1 - B3.1.3	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5	<i>The Director or Co-Director must:</i>			
B3.1.5.1	Be available at on site to supervise the laboratory for at least 80% of the week		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.2	Provide adequate supervision of technical personnel		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.3	Utilises his/her special scientific skills in developing new procedures		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.4	Be held responsible for the proper performance, interpretation and reporting of all laboratory procedures		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.5	Ensure the laboratory's successful participation in proficiency testing.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.6	Be informed of the relevant national legislation and professional standards		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.7	Comply with the relevant national legislation and professional standards		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.5.8	Demonstrate active participation in clinically relevant professional development, such as national or international conferences or workshops		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B3.1.6	<i>The Director or Co-Director should:</i>			
B3.1.6.1	Have publications in peer-reviewed journals			<input type="checkbox"/>
B4	<b>Technical Staff</b>			
B4.1	A Technical Supervisor, that must:			

# Procedure Istruzioni e Moduli



# Lista di Procedure Istruzioni

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PO 22 LIT	GESTIONE DELLA QUALITA'	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
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PO 24 LIT	MONITORAGGIO DELLA CONTAMINAZIONE	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 25 LIT	GESTIONE DEI REAGENTI E MATERIALE MONDOUSO	3	30/09/2019	05/03/2020	01/10/2020	14/06/2022			
PO 26 LIT	PROGRAMMAZIONE DELL'ATTIVITA' E GESTIONE DEI DATI	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 27 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE HLA	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 28 LIT	ESTRAZIONE DEL DNA	3	30/09/2019	30/04/2020	01/10/2020				
PO 29 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE MEDIANTE PCR - SSP	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 30 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE MEDIANTE PCR-SSO LUMINEX	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 31 LIT	MONITORAGGIO ATTECCIMENTO	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
PO 32 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE MEDIANTE PCR - SBT	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020	dismissa				
PO 33 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE HLA MEDIANTE NGS	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020	25/11/2020				
PO 34 LIT	DETERMINAZIONE E IDENTIFICAZIONE DI ANTICORPI ANTI - HLA	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020	01/02/2021				
PO 35 LIT	ATTIVITÀ DI IMMUNOGENETICA NEL TRAPIANTO DI ORGANNO SOLIDO	3	01/10/2020	01/02/2021					
PO 36 LIT	CROSSMATCH NEL TRAPIANTO DI ORGANNO SOLIDO	3	01/10/2020	01/02/2021					
PO 37 LIT	STUDIO DEI GENI KIR NELL'ANALISI DEL DONATORE DI CSE	3	01/10/2020						
PO 38 LIT	DETERMINAZIONE CITOFUORIMETRICA NELLE ANALISI DI CROSSMATCH FC-XM E FLOW PRA	3	01/10/2020	01/02/2021					

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ISTR01 PO 26 LIT	ISTRUZIONE OPERATIVA SOFTWARE GESTIONALE CNL.tb	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
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ISTR01 PO 31 LIT	MONITORAGGIO ATTECCIMENTO KIT STR	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
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ISTR01 PO 33 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE HLA MEDIANTE NGS	3	30/09/2019	21/04/2020	01/10/2020	25/11/2020			
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ISTR02 PO 25 LIT	PREPARAZIONE DEI REAGENTI	3	30/09/2019						
ISTR02 PO 26 LIT	ESECUZIONE BACK - UP DATI	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
ISTR02 PO 27 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE HLA PER LA RICERCA DI UN DONATORE NON CORRELATO	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
ISTR02 PO 28 LIT	QUANTIFICAZIONE DEL DNA	3	01/10/2020						
ISTR02 PO 29 LIT	GEL ELETTROFORESI	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
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ISTR01 PO 33 LIT	TIPIZZAZIONE HLA MEDIANTE NGS	3	30/09/2019	01/10/2020					
ISTR01 PO 34 LIT	DETERMINAZIONE E IDENTIFICAZIONE DI ANTICORPI ANTI-HLA	3	30/09/2019	non in uso					
ISTR02 PO 24 LIT	DETERMINAZIONE DI ANTICORPI anti-HLA MEDIANTE TEST DI SCREENING FlowPRA	3	01/10/2020	01/02/2021					
ISTR03 PO 34 LIT	DETERMINAZIONE DI ANTICORPI anti-HLA CON METODOICA SCREENING LABScreen MIXED IE II	3	01/10/2020						
ISTR04 PO 34 LIT	IDENTIFICAZIONE DI ANTICORPI anti-HLA MEDIANTE TEST LUMINEX SINGLE ANTIGEN (LSA)	3	01/10/2020	01/02/2021					

# Singole Procedure Istruzioni

 Ospedale Pediatrico	<b>PROCEDURA OPERATIVA</b>		Cod. PO 28 LIT
	<b>Estrazione del DNA</b>		Rev. 1
			Pagina 1 di 6
Data di emissione:	05/04/2023	Data di entrata in vigore:	19/04/2023

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- 4 DESCRIZIONE DELLE ATTIVITA'
- 5 DOCUMENTAZIONE
- 6 RESPONSABILITA'
- 7 ALLEGATI

Preparato: Sig.ra Annalisa Guagnano	Approvato ed emesso: Responsabile LIT ..... (Dott. Marco Andreani)
Verificato: Dott.ssa Nadia Tuccini	Data: 05/04/2023
Responsabile Funzione Certificazione	

 Ospedale Pediatrico	<b>ISTRUZIONE</b>		Cod. ISTR.01 PO28 LIT
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Approvato ed emesso: Dott. Marco Andreani  
Responsabile LIT

Firma \_\_\_\_\_

Data: 22/09/2022

## 1. METODICHE DI ESTRAZIONE

### 1.1. METODICA DI ESTRAZIONE DI DNA DA SANGUE PERIFERICO, SANGUE MIDOLLARE E SOTTOPOPOLAZIONI LINFOCITARIE.

I prelievi di sangue periferico e sangue midollare e pellet delle sottopopolazioni linfocitarie (precedentemente separate e diluite in 400 ml di PBS) vengono trattati direttamente con la metodica EZ1 ® ADVANCED XL QIAGEN, in base al Manuale utente EZ1 Advanced XL 05/2009 A-5.

### 1.4. METODICA DI ESTRAZIONE CON ESTRATTORE AUTOMATICO EZ1 ® ADVANCED XL QIAGEN

#### Reagenti e Materiale

- Estrattore EZ1 ® ADVANCED XL QIAGEN.
- Cartucce reagenti (da n. 1 a n. 14 a seconda del numero di campioni da estrarre) realizzate in polipropilene alloggiare su un apposito supporto

# Alcuni esempi

**Caratteristiche delle aree e delle strutture di lavoro**

**Processo di accettazione dei campioni biologici**

**Appropriata manutenzione delle attrezzature**

**Controlli di qualità esterni**

**Qualifica del Personale**

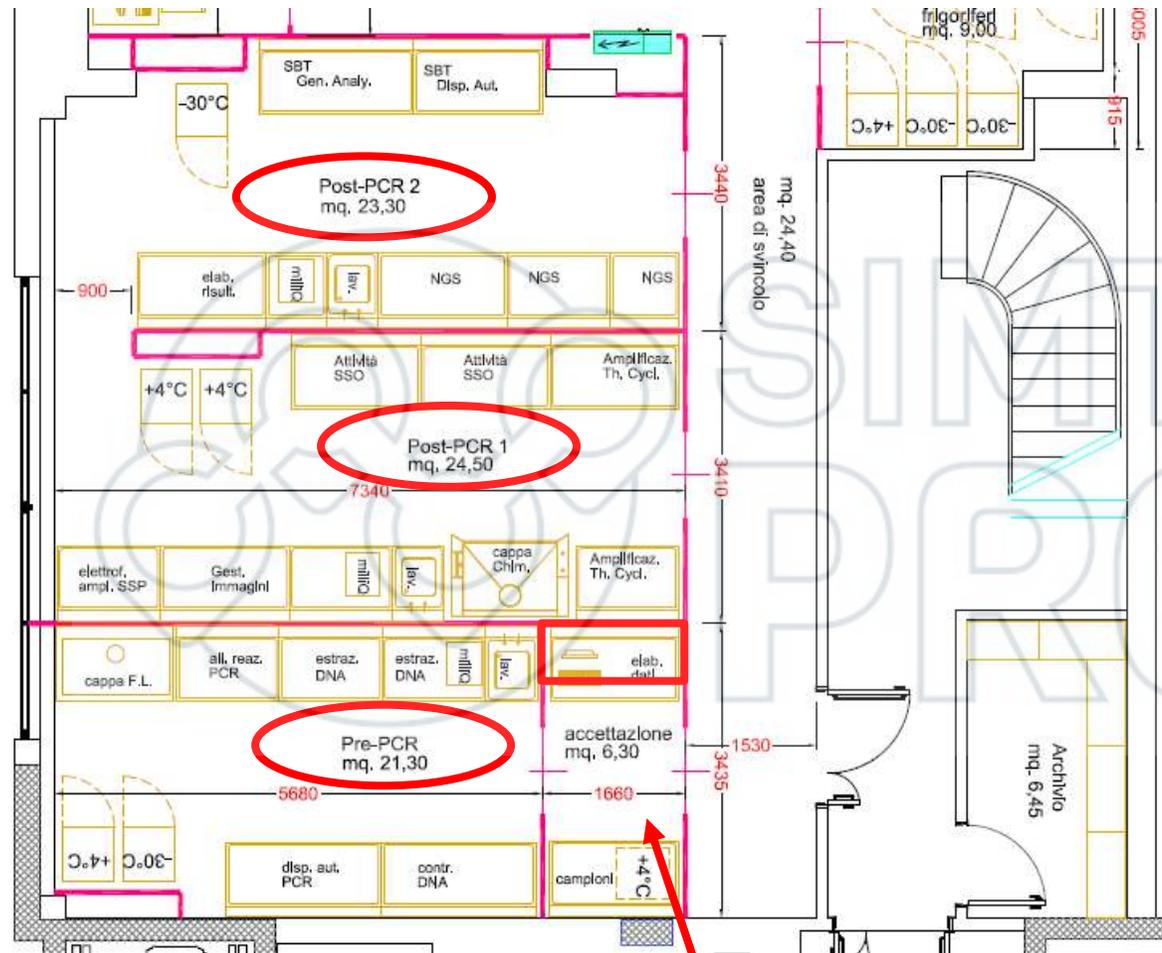
**Validazione**

## Caratteristiche delle aree e delle strutture di lavoro

C2.1.3	Laboratories performing amplification of nucleic acids must use:
C2.1.3.1	A dedicated work area with restricted traffic flow
C2.1.3.2	Physical and/or biochemical barriers to prevent DNA contamination, including the use of dedicated
C2.1.3.2.1	Equipment
C2.1.3.2.2	Laboratory coats
C2.1.3.2.3	Disposable supplies
C2.1.4	Pre-amplification procedures must be performed in an area which excludes amplified DNA that has the potential to serve as a template for amplification in any of the genetic systems tested in the laboratory
C2.1.5	All activities occurring from and including thermal cycling must take place in the post-amplification area

**I laboratori che eseguono amplificazione degli acidi nucleici, per prevenire la possibile contaminazione devono disporre di aree specifiche, strumenti, camici etc. dedicati all'area definita di Pre-PCR**

# Caratteristiche delle aree e delle strutture di lavoro



**Filter area**

# Caratteristiche delle aree e delle strutture di lavoro

- I frigoriferi e I congelatori che contengono reagenti dedicati ad attività Pre- o Post-PCR devono essere necessariamente posizionati nelle aree specifiche
- I camici del personale che transitano da aree Pre- a Post-PCR devono essere abitualmente cambiati nell'area considerate filtro



Filter Area



Pre-PCR



Post-PCR 1



Post-PCR 2

# Caratteristiche delle aree e delle strutture di lavoro

<b>C2</b>	<b>TECHNICAL</b>			
<b>C2.1</b>	<b>Facilities</b>			
<b>C2.1.1</b>	<i>The following facilities <b>must be adequate</b> and immediately available to the laboratory:</i>			
<b>C2.1.1.1</b>	Sufficient space so that all procedures <b>can be carried out</b> without crowding to the extent that errors may result, in accordance with national regulations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>C2.1.1.2</b>	Lighting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>C2.1.1.3</b>	Ventilation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	



# Processo di accettazione dei campioni biologici

<b>C3.2</b>	<b>Sample acceptance</b>			
<b>C3.2.1</b>	<i>The laboratory must:</i>			
<b>C3.2.1.1</b>	<b>Maintain</b> a system to ensure reliable specimen identification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>C3.2.1.2</b>	<b>Document</b> each step in the processing and testing of patient specimens to assure that accurate test results are recorded	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>C3.2.1.3</b>	Have criteria for specimen rejection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>C3.2.1.4</b>	Have mechanism to assure that specimens are not tested when they do not meet the laboratory's criteria for acceptability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

No SOP describing the appropriate criteria for specimen rejection is present in the lab



I laboratori devono disporre di un sistema che permetta la corretta identificazione dei campioni biologici, di documentazione che assicuri l'accuratezza dei risultati raccolti, di criteri scritti per eventualmente rigettare un campione biologico etc.

# Appropriata manutenzione delle attrezzature

**Calendario annuale che  
identifichi le date della  
manutenzione per ciascuna  
grande o piccola  
attrezzatura**

**Stabilire politiche e  
procedure per una corretta  
manutenzione delle  
apparecchiature**

C2.2.1	The laboratory must establish and employ policies and procedures for the proper maintenance of equipment, instruments and test systems by:
C2.2.1.1	Defining its preventive maintenance programme for each instrument and piece of equipment at least once a year
C2.2.1.2	Performing and documenting function checks on equipment with at least the frequency specified by the manufacturer
C2.2.1.3	The laboratory must use calibrated dispensing instruments (e.g. pipettes, etc.) to perform assays
C2.2.1.3.1	Calibration of dispensing instruments must be performed at least once a year
C2.2.1.3.2	Calibration must be documented
C2.2.2	Refrigerators and freezers:
C2.2.2.1	Acceptable ranges for each refrigerator and freezer must be documented
C2.2.2.2	Must be monitored to detect unacceptable temperatures
C2.2.2.3	Should be coupled to recording thermometers
C2.2.2.4	Should be coupled to alarm systems with an audible alarm where it can be heard 24 hours a day
C2.2.2.5	Corrective actions for when the temperature is outside the documented acceptable range must be defined and documented

# Appropriata manutenzione delle attrezzature

Report di manutenzione per  
ciascuna singola pipetta  
automatica

## Calibration Report

Pipette Serial Number A1551142T  
Pipette Second ID  
Pipette Type Pipet-Lite LTS L-1000 1ch  
Manufacturer Rainin  
Method Rainin Pipet-Lite L1000

Servizio Assistenza Tecnica  
Tel. 02.55404.333 - sat@ependorf.it  
Owner Company OSPED.BAMBIN GESU' - RM -  
Owner Department  
Owner Name  
Method Description 3 Vol. 4 Meas. 100, 500, 1000µl

### Test Conditions

Water Temperature 21,8 °C  
Humidity 60,2 %  
Abs. Air Pressure 1008,3 hPa  
Z-Factor 1,0033 µl/mg  
Z-Factor Reference ISO 8655  
Evaporation 0 µl/cycle

### Balance

Serial Number 1129140601  
Name SAG285  
Model SAG285  
Readability 0,0001 g  
Location  
Tips Puntali Rainin LTS 1000ul

### Weighings (g)(µl)

	100µl
0,1005	100,93
0,1005	100,83
0,1003	100,83
0,1003	100,63

	Results	Limits
Mean [µl]	100,76	
Systematic Error [µl]	0,76	± 8,0
Systematic Error [%]	0,76	
Random Error [µl]	0,15	3,0
Random Error [%]	0,15	
Uncertainty meas. [µl]	1,06	
Status	Passed	
Status	Passed	

### As returned

	500µl
0,4954	498,04
0,4956	498,24
0,4954	497,03
0,4958	497,44

	Results	Limits
Mean [µl]	497,69	
Systematic Error [µl]	-2,31	± 8,0
Systematic Error [%]	-0,46	
Random Error [µl]	0,55	3,0
Random Error [%]	0,11	
Uncertainty meas. [µl]	3,42	
Status	Passed	
Status	Passed	

	1000µl
0,9929	996,18
0,9884	991,66
0,9945	997,78
0,9944	997,68

	Results	Limits
Mean [µl]	995,83	
Systematic Error [µl]	-4,17	± 8,0
Systematic Error [%]	-0,42	
Random Error [µl]	2,87	3,0
Random Error [%]	0,29	
Uncertainty meas. [µl]	9,92	
Status	Passed	
Status	Passed	

Date 16/11/2021

Performed by Mila Anghileri



Notice

Cert. Tar.n. 770B184 Tested on SAG 285 s/n 1129140601 scad. 04/05/2022 C/N 0,005 a 200 g. INCERT.U 0,0000305 Ref. ASOP P39 020-11/052019 (salvo diversa specif.nal metodo)

100 µl, Systematic Error [µl]

500 µl, Systematic Error [µl]

# Controlli di qualità esterni

Specifiche SOP che determinino le modalità di esecuzione dei Controlli di Qualità Esterni

SECTION D – EXTERNAL PROFICIENCY TESTING				
<b>D1</b>	<b>PROCEDURE OF EXTERNAL PROFICIENCY TESTING</b>			
<b>D1.1</b>	<b>Registration for EPT schemes</b>			
<b>D1.1.1</b>	<i>The laboratory must participate in EPT programme(s) to cover</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.1.1.1</b>	All the accredited laboratory applications (HLA typing, antibody screening and identification, crossmatching, etc.)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.1.1.2</b>	All techniques used individually or in combination as routinely employed to produce a final result		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.1.2</b>	If no established scheme exists for a specific category (e.g. HNA antibody detection and identification) laboratory must participate in an EPT workshop or trial offered by an EPT Provider or must take part in an inter-laboratory exchange of samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.1.3</b>	If (an) EPT scheme(s) or EPT workshop(s)/trial(s) for a specific category exist(s) but the laboratory has no access, the laboratory must at least participate in an inter-laboratory exchange of samples.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.2</b>	<i>The laboratory must prospectively define core and supplemental techniques according to the Accreditation Application.</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.2.1</b>	Core techniques are used individually or in combination to produce a final result	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.2.2</b>	Supplemental techniques are used occasionally for rare cases in combination with core techniques to refine final results	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.3</b>	<i>The laboratory must</i>			
<b>D1.3.1</b>	<b>Prospectively document</b> the relevant EPT schemes or workshops on an annual basis		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.3.2</b>	<b>Have</b> a predetermined policy for testing EPT samples and <b>must document</b> this prior to the annual commencement of the EPT cycle		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.3.3</b>	<b>Have</b> a predetermined policy if they select individual shipments or samples for EPT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D1.3.4</b>	<b>Have</b> a predetermined policy for the selection of samples or shipments for supplemental techniques	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

# Controlli di qualità esterni

D1.3	The laboratory must
D1.3.1	Prospectively document the relevant EPT schemes or workshops on an annual basis
D1.3.2	Have a predetermined policy for testing EPT samples and must document this prior to the annual commencement of the EPT cycle
D1.3.3	Have a predetermined policy if they select individual shipments or samples for EPT
D1.3.4	Have a predetermined policy for the selection of samples or shipments for supplemental techniques

**Calendario che indichi le modalità di esecuzione dei Controlli di Qualità Esterni, in base alle categorie scelte per l'accreditamento e alle metodiche utilizzate in laboratorio**

# Controlli di qualità esterni

**PROGRAMMAZIONE CONTROLLI DI QUALITÀ ESTERNI ANNO 2022**  
Si prevede l'invio di 10 campioni per la tipizzazione HLA da parte dell'Istituto Superiore di Sanità.  
I campioni utilizzati come CQ esterni saranno tipizzati secondo il seguente schema.

ISS-2022	LOW RESOLUTION					HIGH RESOLUTION								
	HLA-A	HLA-B	HLA-C	DRB1	DQB1	HLA-A	HLA-B	HLA-C	DRB1	DRB3-B4-B5	DQA1	DQB1	DPB1	DPA1
<b>1° INVIO</b>														
Campione 1	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS				
Campione 2	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO LR-SSP	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ SBT/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS				
Campione 3	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
Campione 4	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-LR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
<b>2° INVIO</b>														
Campione 5	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
Campione 6	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
Campione 7	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
<b>3° INVIO</b>														
Campione 8	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
Campione 9	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS
Campione 10	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS	SSO-XR/ NGS

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**Calendario specifico per l'esecuzione dei Controlli di Qualità Esterni per la tipizzazione HLA molecolare, suddiviso per numero di campioni biologici da testare e le metodiche da utilizzare**

# Controlli di qualità esterni

D1.5	Minimum number of samples for EPT per year			
D1.5.1	<i>The minimum number of samples applies to all core techniques used to produce a final result:</i>			
D1.5.1.1	Serological typing: 10 samples	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.2	Each low resolution DNA-based typing technique: 10 samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.3	Each high resolution DNA-based typing technique: 10 samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.4	Each allelic resolution DNA-based typing technique: 10 samples	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.5	HPA/HNA/KIR/MICA typing: 10 samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.6	HLA antibody detection: 10 samples for HLA class I and 10 samples for HLA class II The same samples can be used for the detection of both classes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.7	HLA antibody identification by CDC: 10 samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.8	HLA antibody identification by solid phase assays: All HLA class I and II antibody positive samples as defined in D1.5.1.6. If the HLA antibody identification is a separate scheme the minimum number is 10 samples. A laboratory may test only for class I or class II antibodies according to their clinical requirements and D1.1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.9	HPA/MICA antibody detection and identification: 5 samples	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.10	Crossmatching: 20 tests of different donor/recipient combinations of each accredited cell subtype (B-/T-/unseparated cells) which <b>must include</b> a minimum of two cell samples and 10 different sera	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D1.5.1.11	Haematopoietic chimaerism and engraftment monitoring: 10 tests of different donor/recipient mixtures in the range 0% - 100% excluding the reference donor and recipient samples	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Specifici standard di riferimento relativi al numero minimo di campioni biologici da testare per ciascuna singola metodica nei Controlli di Qualità Esterni**

# Controlli di qualità esterni

C1.3.2.2	Regular evaluation of results obtained in external and internal QC testing
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**Controllo di Qualità nazionale**

**Schema: Tipizzazione genomica HLA - Alta risoluzione**

**REPORT FINALE - Anno 2020**

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## SECTION B – PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS

B1	For the purposes of this document, EFI defines the Director as the person who is responsible for the H&I laboratory
B2	The laboratory must employ one or more individuals who meet the qualifications and fulfil the responsibilities of:
<b>B3</b>	<b>The Director and/or Co-Director</b>
B3.1	A Director, that must:
B3.1.1	Hold a qualification approved by EFI, such as an ESHI or national diploma, earned doctoral degree in a biological science, or be a physician, and
B3.1.2	Have minimum qualifying experience equivalent to either of the following:
B3.1.2.1	Four years' relevant experience two of which were devoted to full time training in human H&I testing, or
B3.1.2.2	Four years of working experience at full time in human H&I testing
B3.1.2.3	Additional qualifications required according to national legislation also apply
B3.1.3	Have documentation of professional competence in the appropriate activities in which the laboratory is engaged. This should be based on sound knowledge of the fundamentals of immunology, genetics and histocompatibility testing
B3.1.4	If a Co-Director is appointed, this person must also fulfil Standards B1.1.1 - B1.1.3
B3.1.5	The Director and/or Co-Director must:
B3.1.5.1	Be available on site to supervise the laboratory for at least 80% of the week
B3.1.5.2	Provide adequate supervision of technical personnel
B3.1.5.3	Utilises his/her special scientific skills in developing new procedures
B3.1.5.4	Be held responsible for the proper performance, interpretation and reporting of all laboratory procedures



## European Federation for Immunogenetics Accreditation Programme

### APPLICATION FOR EFI DIRECTORSHIP

Every applicant for directorship according to EFI standards B must provide the information requested on this form and the additional documents as listed at the end of this form. Please send the completed form and the documents to your Regional Commissioner.

#### Clinical categories of the applicant's laboratory (please check boxes):

- Renal and/or pancreatic transplantation
- Other solid organ transplantation (organs: \_\_\_\_\_ )
- Haematopoietic stem cell transplantation
  - Donor registry typing
  - Related stem cell transplantation
  - Unrelated stem cell transplantation
  - Cord blood transplantation
- Transfusion
- Disease association
- Chimaerism



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**Table 1: Experience and expertise in molecular immunogenetics**

Only samples/examinations for which a technical and medical plausibility check and validation have been carried out are counted. Please specify approximate number of tests for each method. If number exceeds 1000, specifying ">1000" is sufficient.

Technical Category	Approx. number of tests	Methods
Low-resolution HLA typing (minimum HLA-A, -B, -C, -DRB1 and -DQB1 per sample)		
High-resolution HLA typing (minimum HLA-A, -B, -C, -DRB1 and -DQB1 per sample)		
Selective HLA typing (e.g. HLA-B27)		HLA antigen or allele/resolution of typing/clinical application:



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**Table 3: Experience and expertise in risk assessment and consulting.** If number exceeds 1000, specifying “>1000” is sufficient.

Risk assessment and consulting for renal and/or pancreatic transplantation	Approx. number of living donor transplantations:	Approx. number of deceased donor transplantations:
Risk assessment and consulting for other organ transplantation	Approx. number of transplantations:	Organs:
Risk assessment and consulting for stem cell transplantations	Approx. number of related donor transplantations:	Approx. number of unrelated donor transplantations:
Risk assessment and consulting for transfusion	Approx. number:	Transfusion product:
Risk assessment and consulting for disease association	Approx. number:	Diseases:
Risk assessment and consulting for chimaerism	Approx. number	

The following documents must be provided (please check boxes):

- Curriculum vitae (clearly define education e.g. biologist and PhD in biological science)**
- Description of duties in the lab**
- List of publications**
- List of continuing education (for format please see EFI Accreditation Application Packet: organiser, meeting/title of lecture, duration, level of participation)**
- ESHI diploma and/or national/international H&I specialisation diploma (if applicable)**
- I confirm that all information is truthful and accurate.
- I consent to the storage and use of the data submitted in this application for the purposes of EFI accreditation.
- Upon request by the accreditation committee, I agree to an oral discussion about my stated experience and expertise.

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Date, signature of the applicant

# Validazione

<b>C1.3</b>	<b>Systems for Continuous Test Evaluation and Monitoring</b>
C1.3.1	The laboratory must establish and employ policies and procedures, and document actions taken when:
C1.3.1.1	Test systems do not meet the laboratory's established criteria
C1.3.1.2	Quality control results are outside of acceptable limits
C1.3.1.3	Errors are detected in the reported patient results. In this instance, the laboratory must:
C1.3.1.3.1	Promptly notify the authorised person ordering or individual utilising the test results of reporting errors
C1.3.1.3.2	Issue corrected reports
C1.3.1.3.3	Maintain copies of the original report as well as the corrected report for at least two years
C1.3.2	The laboratory must have mechanisms in place for continuous monitoring of all test systems and equipment used, including:
C1.3.2.1	Validation/verification, before introduction into routine use, of all new tests, by systematic comparative evaluation of results obtained in parallel with the new and the standard system
C1.3.2.2	Regular evaluation of results obtained in external and internal QC testing
C1.3.2.3	Regular monitoring of test validity in routine testing, by recording observations diverging from the expected results (e.g. cross-reactivity of probes or primer mixes, day-to-day variations)

# Validazione

	<b>VERBALE DI VALIDAZIONE KIT HLA</b>	Cod.: MD 02 PO 25 LIT
		Data: 30/09/2019
		Ed. 3 – Rev. 0
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**IDENTIFICAZIONE DEL KIT**

Descrizione	Ditta	Temp.	Lotto	Scadenza	Spedizione	Data arrivo

**IDENTIFICATIVO VALIDAZIONE**

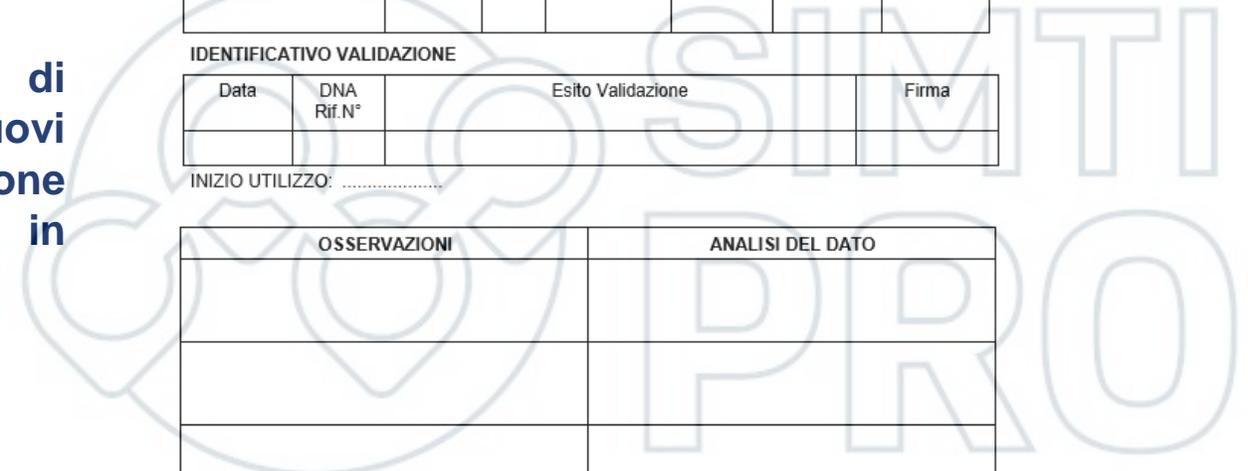
Data	DNA Rif.N°	Esito Validazione	Firma

INIZIO UTILIZZO: .....

OSSERVAZIONI	ANALISI DEL DATO

FIRMA RESP.: ..... data.....

**Evidenza scritta di validazione per nuovi reagenti o introduzione di nuove metodiche in laboratorio**



## NGS Validation

Work flow	
Platform	XY, YX etc.
Kit used	Commercial or Local
<b>Number of samples to test</b>	<b>20 – 60 up to 100</b>
Number of alleles to test	
Analyze HLA-A, -B, -C, -DRB1, -DQB1	100 – 300 up to 500 test
If used in routine, also analyze HLA-DRB3/DRB4/DRB5, -DQA1, -DPB1	100 – 600 up to 1000 test

Written evidence of comparison with previous results

# Validazione

C1.3.2.3	Regular monitoring of test validity in routine testing, by recording observations diverging from the expected results (e.g. cross-reactivity of probes or primer mixes, day-to-day variations)
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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
1			<b>Monitoraggio Qualità SSO HLA-DQB1/DQA1</b>						<b>MD 03 PO 16 LIT</b>	<b>Pag. 1/1</b>
2	<b>Data</b>	<b>DNA</b>	<b>Lotto</b>	<b>Scadenza</b>	<b>Ditta</b>	<b>Biglia</b>	<b>Tipizzazione Iniziale</b>	<b>Tipizzazione Corretta</b>	<b>Note/Natura dell'anomalia</b>	<b>Legenda</b>

**Evidenza scritta di risultati non attesi**



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REVIEW ARTICLE

# Accreditation of histocompatibility and immunogenetics laboratories: Achievements and future prospects from the European Federation for Immunogenetics Accreditation Programme

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