



# ISHTM-AIIMS EXTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAMME

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ISHTM-AIIMS-EQAP sends specimens quarterly to each participating lab for external quality control as per the following schedule:

EQAP Code No. and Distribution	Month of specimen Dispatch
1 - 899 (odd Nos. only) [A] By } 30 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month 3901 – 4350 (both odd and even Nos.) [K] } 4351 – 4800 (both odd and even Nos.) [L] } By 15 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month 4801 - 5250 (both odd and even Nos.) [M] } 5251 - 5700 (both odd and even Nos.) [N] } By 30 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month	Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct
6151-6600 (both odd and even Nos.) [P] } 2 - 900 (even Nos. only) [B] } By 15 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month 901 - 1799 (odd Nos. only) [C] } 902 - 1800 (even Nos. only)[D] } 1801 - 2699 (odd Nos. only) [E] } By 30 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month	Feb, May, Aug, Nov
1802 – 2700(even Nos. only) [F] } 2701 – 3050 [G] } By 15 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month 3051 – 3250 [H] } 3251 – 3450 [I] } 3451 – 3900 [J] } 5701 – 6150 [O] } 6601 – 7050 [Q] } By 30 <sup>th</sup> of the tentative month	Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec

**Note:** You will also receive an email when we dispatch the specimens. If the EQAP samples do not reach you within 7 days of dispatch, please e-mail us immediately so that repeat samples can be sent. ISHTM-AIIMS- EQAP will not be responsible for sample non-receipt, if not informed timely.