



American Association for Laboratory Accreditation

A2LA ANNOUNCES FIRST GROUP OF
PROFICIENCY TESTING PROVIDERS
FOR NELAC
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In keeping with the A2LA proposed Timetable (issued August 5, 2005) for the Accreditation of Proficiency Testing Providers to the NELAC PTPA/PTOB Requirements, A2LA is announcing the accreditation of the first group of Proficiency Testing Providers.

A register of this group can be found at:

<http://www.a2la.org/dirsearch/nelacptproviders.cfm>

By selecting the certificate number, you can review the Certificate and Scope of Accreditation.

Users of accredited proficiency testing providers can conduct searches for specific proficiency testing samples by using the A2LA online directory:

<http://www.a2la.org/dirsearch/search9.cfm>

Users can perform searches by entering analytes in the “search for” field. The search may be narrowed by selecting “Proficiency Testing Provider” in the drop down menu under the “field of testing” field, and any other specified search criteria.

Please continue to check the above listings. Our website will periodically be updated to reflect additional accreditations as they are awarded.

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