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EQA Programs Work Schedule

SEROCON External Quality Assessment Program Year	2026		
SEROCON External Quality Assessment Programs		Name	Code
		Diabetes	GH4 and GH12
		Immunoassay	IMM4 and IMM12
		Immunoassay-S	IMM-S4
		Immunoassay-PTH	IMM4 and IMM12
		Immunoassay-ACTH	IMM4
		Immunosuppressive Drugs	ISD4
		Urine Toxicology	UT4
		Cardiac Marker	CM4 and CM12
		POCT-Cardiac Marker	POCT-CM4 and POCTCM12
		Cardiac Marker-S	CM-S4
		Clinical Chemistry	CC4 and CC12
		Coagulation	CGL4 and CGL12
		Coagulation-S	CGL-S4
		Coagulation-DDIM	CGL4 and CGL12
		Prenatal Screening	PS4
		Plasma Protein	PP4
		Plasma Protein-S	PP-S4
		Procalcitonin	PCT4
		Serum Protein Electrophoresis	SPE4
		Thalassemia	TLS4 and TLS12
		Therapeutic Drug Monitoring	TDM4
		Tumor Markers	TM4 and TM12
		Ethanol-Ammonia	EA4 ad EA12
		Hematology	HM4 and HM12
		Urine Chemistry	UC4
		Immunohematology	IH4
		Blood Gases	BG4 and BG12
		Sedimentation	ESR4
		Complete Urine Analysis	UA4 and UA12
		Complete Urine Analysis	US4 and US12
		Torch Panel	TRC4
		Viral Marker	VM4
		Glucometer	GC4 ve GC12
Announcement and Application Dates on the Internet	November 2025		
Registration Dates on the SEROCON PORTAL	Registration is possible throughout the cycle year.		
Dates for Sending External Quality Control Samples to Participants	<p>Lyophilized and blood gas samples for the program year are sent by January 15 for 12-cycle programs and by February 15 for 4-cycle programs. For Complete Urine Analysis, Ethanol-Ammonia, and Glucometer samples, 4 shipments are made per year for 4-cycle programs and 12 shipments per year for 12-cycle programs. HM12 program samples are sent in each shipment as 3-cycle samples.</p> <p>For 4-cycle Hematology, Urine Chemistry, Immunohematology, Sedimentation, Complete Urine Analysis, TORCH Panel, and Glucometer programs, 4 shipments are made per year.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Shipment: February 2026 2. Shipment: May 2026 3. Shipment: August 2026 4. Shipment: November 2026 		
Analysis Dates of External Quality Control Samples	Although analysis can be performed throughout the cycle month, the recommended analysis dates are presented in the tables below.		
Entry Dates for External Quality Control Analysis Results	Results must be entered within the first five days of the month following the cycle month.		
Entry Date for Late External Quality Control Analysis Results	No additional time is granted for entering late analysis results.		

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Report Publication Date	Reports are released after the second week of the month following the cycle.
Report Appeal Date	Appeals can be made within 7 days following the release of the results.

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Work Schedule for 12-Cycle Programs			
Working Months*	Sample Numbers	Recommended Analysis Date	Final Entry Date for Results
January	1. Sample	23.01.2026	06.02.2026
February	2. Sample	20.02.2026	06.03.2026
March	3. Sample	23.03.2026	04.04.2026
April	4. Sample	23.04.2026	05.05.2026
May	5. Sample	22.05.2026	05.06.2026
June	6. Sample	23.06.2026	04.07.2026
July	7. Sample	24.07.2026	05.08.2026
August	8. Sample	24.08.2026	04.09.2026
September	9. Sample	23.09.2026	05.10.2026
October	10. Sample	23.10.2026	05.11.2026
November	11. Sample	23.11.2026	04.12.2026
December	12. Sample	24.12.2026	05.01.2027

*The program code and LOT number are indicated on the sample bottles. The last two digits (XX) of the LOT number represent the sample number for the relevant cycle month. The user performs the analysis by referring to the XX number for the corresponding cycle month

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Work Schedule for 4 -Cycle Programs			
Diabetes – Lyophilized Whole Blood Hemolysate Sample		Procalcitonin- Lyophilized Serum Sample	
Immunoassay – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Thalassemia- Lyophilized Whole Blood Hemolysate Sample	
Immunoassay-PTH – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Therapeutic Drug Level Monitoring - Lyophilized Serum Sample	
Immunoassay-S – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Tumor Markers - Lyophilized Serum Sample	
Immunoassay-ACTH- Lyophilized Serum Sample		Glucometer – Whole Blood Sample	
Immunosuppressive Drugs – Lyophilized Whole Blood Hemolysate Sample		Ethanol-Ammonia - Liquid Sample	
Urine Toxicology – Lyophilized Urine Sample		Hematology - Whole Blood Sample	
Cardiac Marker – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Urine Chemistry - Urine Sample	
POCT-Cardiac Marker – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Immunohematology-Erythrocyte Suspension, Plasma	
Cardiac Marker-S – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Blood Gases-Liquid Sample	
Clinical Chemistry – Lyophilized Serum Sample		Sedimentation-Whole Blood Sample	
Coagulation-Lyophilized Plasma Sample		Complete Urinalysis (Urinalysis, UA)- Urine Sample	
Coagulation-S-Lyophilized Plasma Sample		Complete Urinalysis (Urine Sediment, US)-Urine Sample	
Coagulation -DDIM- Lyophilized Plasma Sample		Torch Panel-Liquid Sample	
Prenatal Screening - Lyophilized Serum Sample		Viral Marker-Liquid Sample	
Plasma Protein- Lyophilized Serum Sample		Plasma Protein-S- Lyophilized Serum Sample	
Working Months*	Sample Numbers	Recommended Analysis Date	Final Entry Date for Results
February	2. Sample	20.02.2026	06.03.2026
May	5. Sample	22.05.2026	05.06.2026
August	8. Sample	24.08.2026	04.09.2026
November	11. Sample	23.11.2026	04.12.2026

* The sample bottles display the Program Code and LOT number. The last two digits (XX) of the LOT number indicate the sample number for the relevant cycle month. The user performs the analysis by referring to the XX number for that cycle month.