

# MedGenome receives accreditation from College of American Pathologists

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MedGenome, a major player in genetic diagnostics, announced today that its next generation sequencing technology based clinical laboratory in the IT capital, has been awarded accreditation from the College of American Pathologists.

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It is designed to go well beyond regulatory compliance.

A company release here said that during the accreditation process, inspectors do a detailed check of the laboratory's records and quality control procedures besides assessing the laboratory's staff competency, qualifications, equipment, facilities, safety programme and overall management.

This accreditation is awarded to facilities meeting the highest standard of excellence in clinical laboratory practices. With this accreditation, MedGenome's India laboratory joins the ranks of the most elite laboratories in the world. Dr Ramprasad, coo, MedGenome, said that having launched India's first validated liquid biopsy and the carrier screening tests, "we are trying to find answers to some of the most complex diseases."

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