

CBG.13700 QC Confirmation of Acceptability**Phase II****Personnel review control results for acceptability before reporting patient/client results.****Evidence of Compliance:**

- ✓ Records of control result approval

REFERENCES

- 1) Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Clinical laboratory improvement amendments of 1988; final rule. *Fed Register*. 2003(Jan 24):7166 [42CFR493.1256(f)]
- 2) Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Clinical laboratory improvement amendments of 1988; final rule. *Fed Register*. 2003(Jan 24):3708 [42CFR493.1256(d)(6)]

CBG.13800 Monthly QC Review**Phase II****The laboratory director or designee reviews and assesses quality control data at least monthly.**

NOTE: The reviewer must record follow-up for outliers, trends, or omissions that were not previously addressed.

The QC data for tests performed less frequently than once per month may be reviewed when the tests are performed.

Evidence of Compliance:

- ✓ Records of QC review **AND**
- ✓ Records of corrective action taken when acceptability criteria are not met

METHODS, INSTRUMENT SYSTEMS, AND EQUIPMENT

The checklist requirements in this section should be used in conjunction with the requirements in the All Common Checklist relating to instruments and equipment.

Inspector Instructions:**DISCOVER**

- If problems are identified during the review of the methods, instrument systems, and equipment or when asking questions, further evaluate the laboratory's responses, corrective actions and resolutions
- Select a representative assay and follow the entire process from specimen receipt to final result reporting

ENZYME ASSAYS**Inspector Instructions:****READ**

- Sampling of enzyme assay policies and procedures
- Sampling of control, calibration curve records
- Sampling of patient reports for completeness

CBG.14100 Control for Interference**Phase II****Appropriate blanks are included in each run.**