



Immunoematology Reference Laboratories Accreditation Committee

CHAIR:

PURPOSE: To oversee and coordinate the Immunoematology Reference Laboratories Accreditation Program.

- CHARGES:**
1. Coordinate (outline a process/calendar) to review and validate program assessment tool, assessor guidance and member guidance documents upon release of the new edition of IRL Standards or as needed to ensure consistency with the current IRL Standards.
 2. Participate in administration of activities for AABB IRL accreditation and reaccreditation:
 - a) Maintain and review IRLAC processes.
 - b) Recruit assessors for accreditation and reaccreditation as requested.
 - c) Review self-assessments submitted by laboratories seeking AABB accreditation for IRL activities.
 - d) Maintain the IRL Proficiency Sample Program for all participating reference laboratories.
 - e) Provide technical support for corrective action plans, review as necessary.
 3. Serve as a resource to plan and conduct IRL Assessor Training and Continuing Education program as requested by the Education Advisory Accreditation Committee based on training and institutional education needs.
 4. Review sections of online The AABB Accreditation Guide that relate to IRL assessor qualifications and training, and PT activities. Provide suggestions for revisions as needed or at least with each IRL Standards cycle.
 5. Coordinate, organize and prepare the presentation of the Sally Frank Memorial Award and Lectureship. Organize the Sally Frank Program for the Annual Meeting around the Sally Frank Awardee.
 6. As directed by the APC, continually evaluate the functioning of the IRL Accreditation Committee.

Current Personnel as of November 22, 2024

Name	Roles
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Time Commitment: To learn about the time commitments for this committee, please contact the staff liaison listed in the roster above.