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<td>Option 1 - MD/DO/DPM with Illinois license OR doctoral, master, bachelor, AA degree, high school, GED AND documentation of training appropriate for the testing performed prior to analyzing patient specimens.</td>
<td>NOTE: A certificate of CLIA waived allows the facility to perform only tests categorized as CLIA waived.</td>
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**CLIA-PMP (Provider Performed Microscopy) Certificate PERSONNEL QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

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**CLIA Certificate - Moderate Complexity Laboratory - PERSONNEL QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

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<td>Option 2 - Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND one year lab training or experience directing or supervising a CLIA moderate or high complexity laboratory.</td>
<td>Option 2 - Doctoral degree in chemical physical, biological or clinical lab science AND board certified in specialty or subspecialty of service.</td>
<td>Option 2 - Illinois Licensed MD/DO/DPM AND one-year lab training or experience in non-waived testing in the designated specialty or subspecialty of responsibility.</td>
<td>Option 2 - Doctoral, master’s or bachelor’s degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical science or medical technology.</td>
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<td>Option 3 - Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND 20 CME credit hours related to lab directors practice or equivalent 20 CMEs for lab practice during medical residency.</td>
<td><em>HHS Approved Boards</em> 1. ABB-American Board of Bioanalysis. 2. ABB-Public Health Microbiology Certification. 3. ABCC-American Board of Clinical Chemistry. 4. ABCC-24mo Commission of Accreditation in Clinical Chem (COMACC) Accredited Program. 5. ABFT-American Board of Forensic Toxicology. 6. ABHI-American Board of Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics. 7. ABMG-American Board of Medical Genetics and Genomics. 8. ABMLI-American Board of Medical Laboratory Immunology. 9. ABMM-American Board of Medical Microbiology. 10. NBCC: National Registry of Cert Chemists.</td>
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<td>Option 3 - Associate degree in a chemical, physical or biological science or medical laboratory technology from an accredited institution.</td>
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<td>Option 4 - Doctoral degree in chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science with board certification OR doctorate degree and one year experience directing/supervising a CLIA-certified moderate complexity laboratory.</td>
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<td>Option 4 - High school graduate or equivalent AND documentation of training appropriate for the testing performed prior to analyzing patient specimens.</td>
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<td>Option 5 - Master degree in lab science AND board proof of one-year lab training or experience supervising a CLIA-certified moderate or high complexity laboratory.</td>
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<td>Option 6 - Bachelor degree in lab science AND two years lab training and experience and two-year supervising a CLIA-certified moderate or high complexity laboratory.</td>
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<td>Option 7 - On or before February 28, 1992, qualified under Illinois law to direct a laboratory.</td>
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**NOTE:** The laboratory director, if qualified, may perform the duties and occupy the positions of the technical consultant, clinical consultant and testing personnel, or delegate these responsibilities to qualified laboratory employees.


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<td>As specified in §493.1443, candidate must meet one or more options.</td>
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**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO AND board certification in anatomical or clinical pathology.

**Option 2-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND one-year of laboratory training during medical residency.

**Option 3-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND at least two years experience directing or supervising a high complexity CLIA-certified lab. (Note: type of experience required is clinical).

**Option 4-** Doctoral degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science with current board certification.

**Option 5-** Doctoral degree in chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science and before February 24, 2003, must have served or be serving as director of a high complexity lab with two years lab training/experience and two years experience directing or supervising a CLIA high complexity lab.

**Option 6-** On or before February 28, 1992, qualified under Illinois law to direct a laboratory.

**Option 7-** For the Subspecialty of Oral Pathology, be certified by the American Board of Oral Pathology, American Board of Pathology or the American Osteopathic Board of Pathology or possess qualifications that are equivalent to those required for certification.

**For Microbiology Subspecialties:** bacteriology, mycobacteriology, mycology, virology and parasitology.

**For Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM.

**For Option 2-** Doctoral degree in chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science AND board certified* in specialty or subspecialty of service.

**HHS Approved Boards**
- ABB- American Board of Bioanalysis.
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- ABMMG-American Board of Medical Genetics and Genomics.
- ABMLI-American Board of Medical Laboratory Immunology.
- ABMM- American Board of Medical Microbiology.
- NRCC- National Registry of Certified Chemists.

**For Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND board certified in clinical pathology.

**For Option 2-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM/PhD in lab science AND one-year of laboratory training or experience in high complexity specialty of testing.

**For Option 3-** Master’s degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science or medical technology AND two-years lab training or experience in microbiology high complexity and six-months in subspecialty of testing.

**For Option 4-** Bachelor’s degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science or medical technology AND four-years lab training or experience in microbiology high complexity and six-months in subspecialty of testing.

**For Specialties:** Immunology, Chemistry, Hematology and Radioimmunoassay.

**For Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO AND board certified in clinical pathology.

**For Option 2-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM/PhD in lab science AND one-year of laboratory training or experience in high complexity specialty of testing.

**For Option 3-** Master’s degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science or medical technology AND two-years lab training or experience in high complexity specialty of testing.

**For Option 4-** Bachelor’s degree in a chemical, physical, biological or clinical lab science or medical technology AND four-years lab training or experience in high complexity specialty of testing.

**For the Specialty: Immunohematology**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DOP and board certified in clinical pathology.

**Option 2-** Illinois licensed MD/DOP/DPM one-year of laboratory training or experience in high complexity specialty of testing.

**For the Specialty: Histocompatibility**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM/PhD in lab science AND four-years training or experience within the specialty of histocompatibility or two-years training or experience in both general immunology and histocompatibility testing.

**For the Specialty: Cytogenetics**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DOP or PhD in lab science AND four-years training or experience in genetics with two of them in clinical cytogenetics.

**For Subspecialty: Histopathology**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO AND board certified in anatomic pathology.

**For Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO/DPM AND board certified in anatomic pathology and dermatopathology or dermatology by an accredited board.

**For Option 2-** Illinois licensed MD/DOP/DPM and board certified in anatomic pathology and one-year formal post-residency training in ophthalmic pathology.

**For Subspecialty: Oral Pathology**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO AND board certified in anatomic pathology.

**For Subspecialty: Cytology**

**Option 1-** Illinois licensed MD/DO AND board certified in anatomic pathology or American Society of Cytology to practice cytopathology.

**NOTE:** The Laboratory Director, if qualified, may perform the duties and occupy the positions of the clinical consultant, technical supervisor, general supervisor and testing personnel, or delegate these responsibilities to qualified laboratory employees.


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