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# Coronavirus Standards Working Group

# What should a Coronavirus Standards Working Group do?



Assure development and availability of standards, controls, interlab testing, knowledge to support successful rollout & scaling of 2019-nCoV testing



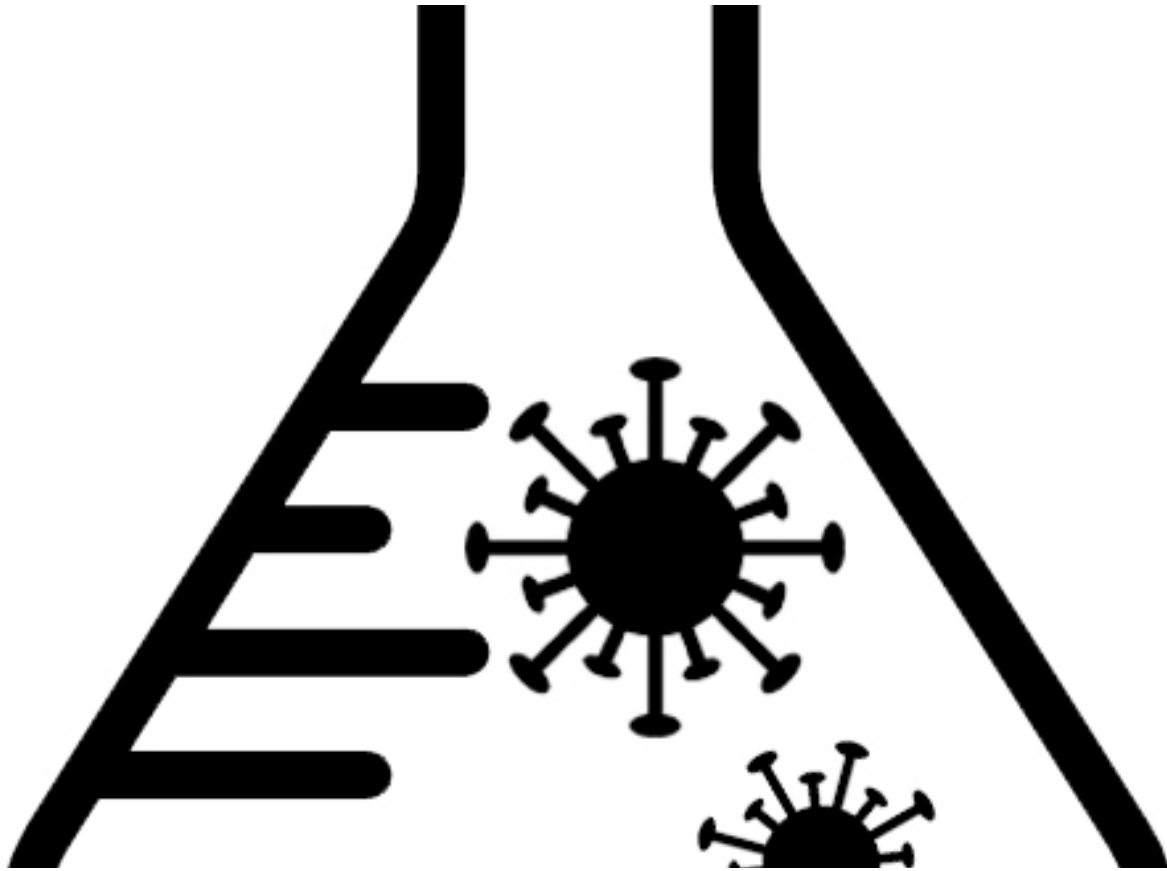
Identify and develop critical infrastructure to support...

- confidence in test results
- interoperability
- scale-up
- long-term capacity



Identify best practices that should be institutionalized

Learn what we need to so next time we have a global network in place ready to make standards.



## 15 May Agenda

- Interlab Study Proposal Follow-up
  - Monday 18 May 1000 PDT
- Rick Nolte, MUSC
  - experience from the lab
- Heinz Zeichardt
  - INSTAND PT Results

# Interlab Study

Meeting on Monday 18 May  
1000 PDT

\* Watch for email invite

Here are the questions I imagine addressing in our 2-page whitepaper — cogent answers to...

- what we'll know when we're done
- what samples will make up the population of controls/standards/reference samples (how will we select them? I recommend an open invitation)?
- what tests will make up the population of tests (how will we select them I recommend an open invitation)?
- who will operate the tests (many labs independently, 1 or 2 or some small number of WG labs? each lab/vendor/participant with a test to operate their own)?
- How will we analyze the data?
- How will we report the data? Will this need to be anonymized? Will it be a bake-off like the one happening for serology at NCI Frederick

# All other business



How are we doing?

Communications, planning, engagement, process, operations...

# Discussion

