Coronavirus Standards Working Group Meeting Summary

Dear Colleagues -

Thanks to Lili Wang of NIST for a great talk describing why serological assays matter, and the innovations of the team she is leading at NIST to put those assays on a solid metrological basis. Lili's slides are <u>linked here</u>, and I'm grateful that several of the members at the meeting asked for them.

Our meeting was recorded, and the recording can be viewed at this link.

Robyn Temple-Smolkin let us know that the <u>results of the August 2020 AMP Nationwide</u> <u>Molecular Testing Survey</u> have been released, and invited all to attend an AMP Virtual Town Hall meeting on 27 October at 1400 ET. Registration is open and free for this "<u>AMP</u> <u>COVID-19 Virtual Town Hall: Lessons Learned Since April.</u>"

We've had a number of responses to our survey questions about participating in our Harmonization Study from a number of members and affiliates of members. We'll have a meeting next week to discuss the inventory of candidate materials and measurement participants, and plan our next steps toward a study. I am targeting 0800 PT on Tuesday 13 October, and will send an invite out today. Please respond with your availability; if we can't get critical mass, we'll find an alternate time.

Cheers and best regards! Marc

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