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Model Performance Evaluation Program (MPEP) HIV Rapid Testing Questionnaire Survey 2010

Purpose

The purpose of this communication is to:

1. explain details regarding the current Questionnaire Survey, the purpose of which is to collect information about HIV rapid testing practices, and
2. provide you with information regarding:
 - a) the **WEBSITE address** for the MPEP
 - b) how to submit your HIV Rapid Testing MPEP Questionnaire results online
 - c) your MPEP **PASSWORD**
 - d) the **deadline** for result submission

Note:

- Results are now ONLY being accepted online- no paper forms to mail.
 - MPEP is a non-regulatory quality assurance program
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Your role

The results of the survey will support our mission of improving public health through continuous improvement of testing practices. Participation in the survey is voluntary. However, it is important for statistical validity that we collect as many responses as possible. A high response rate will ensure more meaningful results. Thus, your role is very important in helping to assure reliable, consistent retroviral testing. MPEP is a non-regulatory quality assurance program

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**Website
address**

The MPEP address for online result submission is:
<http://wwwn.cdc.gov/mpep/results/login.aspx>

The Homepage for the MPEP can be found at: www.cdc.gov/mpep

**How to submit
results online**

The MPEP now accepts results only online. In order to enter your results online, you will need:

- a) the current URL (website address) for online result entry (see above),
- b) your 5-digit MPEP number, which
 - may contain leading zeros (0's), and
 - is noted above (first page, upper left) as part of your facility's address,
- c) your facility's online data entry password. Your password for entering your performance evaluation results online is:

«Password».

**SUBMISSION
DEADLINE**

Please complete & submit the enclosed survey form by:

SEPTEMBER 19, 2010

**Report of
Results**

You will receive a link to the online report of the aggregate results from all survey participants. No individual results will be analyzed or reported.

Questions?

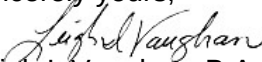
If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact

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Thank You!

We appreciate your support and participation in the CDC Model Performance Evaluation Program.

Sincerely yours,


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