Key Dates

August 1st to September 15th in each year
Applicants are asked to submit an initial application giving notification of their wish to register

November 30th to January 15th of the following year
Those who are eligible to apply will be asked to submit their additional papers and pay the fee

April 15th
Outcome of their application

Fees

Application for registration
80€
Includes assessment and initial five year registration cost

Renewal of registration for five years
80€

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**Clinical Laboratory Geneticists**

**About**

In accordance with the goals of the EBMG our Professional Branch Board has opened the possibility for recognition of practitioners / non-Medical Doctors working in Human Genetics diagnostics laboratories to be recognized as European registered Clinical Laboratory Geneticists (ErCLG).

**Basics**

A core curriculum for the ErCLG was established in 2012 and slightly revised in 2015.

**Profile**

The specialty profession ErCLG comprises all elements of genetic laboratory services related to the provision of medical genetics services to patients or families. CLG is a laboratory specialty on an academic level that joins all aspects of human genetic diagnostics in one skilled profession; the specialist has deep knowledge of laboratory services, procedures and results interpretation related to genetic disorders and health issues related with genetic factors.

The holders of the ErCLGs title have a certificate that they achieved the same level of competence as peers in Europe (independent if their country has a national educations scheme or not).

**European Registration Process**

**How to Submit**

**Step 1**

Start application between **August 1st and September 15th** each year.

**Step 2**

If you apply with a national CLG certificate find out if this makes you an applicant from a group 1 or group 2 country. 
If you have no national CLG certificate you apply from a group 3 country. 
In case your country is not listed at the website then you have to contact Dr. Thomas Liehr. (Thomas.Liehr@med.uni-jena.de)

**Step 3**

Find out if you are eligible to submit an application by fulfil general and the group criteria.

**Step 4**

Collect all necessary papers for online submission, and use our online submission system (only active between August 1st and September 15th in each year and between November 30th, and January 15th of the following year).

**Criteria**

**General**

General criteria to be fulfilled by all applicants from groups 1, 2 and 3 countries:

- Hold an M.Sc. and/or PhD qualification.
- Work under a contract for at least 5 years in Human Genetics (minimum of 200 reports per year).
- Applicants working for more than 7 years should have signed reports during at least 3 of the last 5 years.
- Follow the code of professional practice for clinical laboratory geneticists in Europe.
- Ongoing education: at least 35 hours per year during last 2 years.
- Fee has to be paid after pre-evaluation.

**Specific**

Specific criteria for groups 1, 2 and 3 must be consulted at https://www.eshg.org/587.0.html