Genetic Services Quality Committee

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Aims:

- Identify gaps in quality issues within diagnostic testing services:
- Harmonisation between Biochemical, Molecular and Cytogenetic disciplines.
- Commission and approve new documents relating to quality in genetic testing
- Give recommendations for those countries where no guidance is currently available
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Achievements
- Symposium on ‘Changing landscape of genetic testing with PPPC.
- Annual reports from European EQA providers
- Data on poor performance
- Determining satisfactory performance
- Reference Materials for FraX, PWS/AS and BCR/ABL adopted by WHO with input and support from GSQC
How can you help?

- Let the GSQC know of quality issues that need attention
- Let us know of country specific issues that affect quality in your country
- What are the obstacles to producing a quality system or accreditation?
- Disseminate information about the GSQC
- Newsletter/ESHG website