

FOCUS ON GenQA's new EQA for ISCN

Genetic testing has developed significantly over the past few years and the **International System for Human Cytogenomic Nomenclature (ISCN)** is continuously reviewed to reflect these changes. The new 2020 Edition is out now!

Clinical reports and multiple EQAs provided by GenQA require the correct use of ISCN and errors are frequently encountered.

A new pilot educational EQA for ISCN will be provided by GenQA to enable participants to externally verify their use of ISCN across both constitutional and oncological scenarios.



2021 ISCN EQA:

- **New pilot EQA to take place in October 2021 (enrol before 15th January!)**
- **Ten online cases with karyotype ideograms and/or FISH images: abnormalities, breakpoints and FISH signal patterns will be provided for you to complete the appropriate ISCN**
- **Assessors panel includes one of the Editors of ISCN 2020**

ISCN webinar

Wednesday 27th January 2021, 2pm GMT

- **A review of the updated nomenclature in ISCN 2020**
- **Frequent ISCN errors observed by GenQA**
- **Test your current knowledge in an interactive quiz!**
- **Details of the new pilot to be introduced in 2021**
- **Competency assessment (GTACT) for individuals coming soon**
- **LIVE questions and answer session**

Register for the free webinar and live Q&A session, at <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3471846915308714254> by **22nd January 2021**

If you wish to submit a question for the Q&A session, then please email info@genqa.org
Registered participants will have priority access to the webinar for one month (if you are unable to join us on the day).

For further information on this EQA please contact us at info@genqa.org

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