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**Reinstatement of UKAS Accreditation to ISO 15189:2012 Standard**

Dear Colleague,

Following the recent suspension of the UKAS accreditation, for molecular genetics activities only, in Leeds Genetics Laboratory, Central Laboratory for the North East and Yorkshire Genomics Laboratory Hub (NEYGLH), we are writing to inform you, that all necessary actions have been successfully completed, their effectiveness verified at a follow up UKAS inspection in May 2023 and the accreditation reinstated by UKAS on the 19th of July 2023. The accreditation schedule is now up to date, fully renewed and the Leeds Genetics Laboratory will return to the regular cycle of UKAS inspections. A copy of the Leeds Genetics Laboratory accreditation schedule is available on the [UKAS website](#).

Please be notified that the UKAS accreditations of medical laboratories within Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust, including Leeds Genetics Laboratory, have now been incorporated under a single accreditation number **9862** and as a result the Leeds Genetics Laboratory accreditation number 8096 was formally resigned on the 20<sup>th</sup> of July 2023.

In closing, we would like to assure you that Leeds Genetics Laboratory continues to produce quality assured diagnostic testing and results for all patients.

With best wishes,



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