

## **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



## **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