

ONLINE EVALUATION FORM

Training: Accreditation Seminar

Facilitator(s): Ned Gravel

Location: Online

Date: August 10 to 21, 2009

Item	Met Participant Needs?				
	1 No	2	3 OK	4	5 Yes
Course Objectives:	√ as appropriate below				
Were the course objectives well defined?				1	
Were the course objectives achieved?					1
Course Material:					
Was the course material appropriate?					1
Was the course content too complex?			1		
Was the course material clear to you?				1	
Was the course volume appropriate?				1	
Did the downloads fit with the training - did they help?					1
Threaded Discussion Area:					
Did the course organization allow for sufficient discussion?					1
Were you encouraged to post in the discussion area?					1
Did the discussion posts help bring out new group ideas?					1
Did the discussion posts help you understand the material?					1
Would you recommend this course to others?					1

Comments	Response
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As I discussed with Ned, some things need to be updates in the course material and on the website. • The link for IHS Canada does not work (it rather directs you to vitamins on-line store) 	Very astute observations. We will correct our references accordingly.
Question 3 .- All of the provinces have the requirement for the test results to come from the accredited laboratories, so the answer that only some have is incorrect. Please see my notes for discussion topic 3.1. Out of the three territories only Yukon has defined such policy, whereas other ones follow the federal requirements. However, the question is about Provinces. The answer should be FALSE.	Very astute observations. We will correct our references accordingly.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Question 5.- CAEAL is in partnership with both the SCC and the NRC... As per my and Ned's communication and per 2.3.3.2 CAEAL was in partnership with SCC, as was NRC, but CAEAL and NRC were not in partnership. Furthermore, as of August of 2008 CALA is an independent accreditation body. So answer should be FALSE. 	<p>Very astute observations. We will correct our references accordingly.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I have a question regarding the last one though. Ned said it is recognized by the MoE Ontario. What about us? When we go through the accreditation process who will issue the certificate (CALA or SCC) if we are successful in our process? 	<p>It depends on whom you ask to accredit you. Each issue their own certificate the one you get will be from the organisation that assessed your lab.</p>

Other Comments

- Regarding the discussion forum improvement, this actually depends on the number of participants. But being the only one taking this course at this time I had Ned's undivided attention and help. Thank you Ned!
- Sometimes, even the conversation with Ned helps clarify some things and he is excellent in pointing out the very essence of the course.
- Other than that, everything was great. Thanks again to all of you.