



## LABORATORY QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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**320** laboratories implementing Quality Assurance activities in Cameroon.

29 hub facilities and laboratories benefit from Basic Laboratory Information System (BLIS). 15 COVID-19 testing and seven viral load laboratories in the DR Congo benefit from Continuous Quality Improvement for BLIS.

53 facilities benefit from Early Infant Diagnosis Point of Care (EID POC), External Quality Assessment (EQA) in Cameroon

laboratories benefit from C4G Basic Laboratory Information Systems (BLIS) in Cameroon.



sites involved in External Quality Assessment

implementation for HIV rapid testing in Cameroon.

sites enrolled on External Quality Assessment (EQA)

for HIV rapid testing and CD4 by the National Public Health Laboratory of Ghana.

12 health facilities benefit from Basic Laboratory Information Systems (BLIS) in Zambia.

12 Extension for Community Health Outcome (ECHO) hubs created in the 10 regions of Cameroon.

6 health facilities benefit from Basic Laboratory Information Systems (BLIS) in Gambia.

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