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## INTRODUCING COMPETENCY PROGRAMS



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### Competency Offerings Now Available

One of the top citations that laboratories receive during an inspection is the lack of competency assessment documentation. API can help laboratories meet this requirement. Our new Competency Programs provide tools to assist with evaluating and documenting the competency of testing personnel. These tools can be utilized in conjunction with the laboratory's established standards to meet the required elements of competency.

Included in Competency Programs:

- Frequent ship dates available to help laboratories stay up to date with competency assessments
- Observation checklists and quizzes to help laboratories ensure they have appropriate documentation to meet the required six elements of competency
- Samples with peer group data comparisons for direct observation of multiple personnel to ensure all members of the laboratory team can demonstrate accurate and reliable patient testing

Let API's Competency Programs provide a pathway for your Laboratory to identify quality improvement opportunities, assess workforce development needs, and demonstrate reliable patient testing.



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PROGRAM INFORMATION		PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	PRICE
Q11	Blood Gas (Competency)	Ten identical 3 mL ampules - For combination blood gas/ electrolyte analyzers.	\$195
Q12	i-STAT Chemistry (Competency)	Ten identical 3 mL ampules - For i-STAT analyzers.	\$195
Q21	Urinalysis & HCG (Competency)	One 10 mL urine - For dipstick analysis and urine hCG methods.	\$95
Q22	Fecal Occult Blood (Competency)	One 1.5 mL positive simulated stool sample - For guaiac or immunoassay methods.	\$95
Q31	Influenza A & B (Competency)	One 1 mL influenza A positive liquid sample and one 1 mL influenza B positive liquid sample - For antigen detection kits and most molecular methods.	\$105
Q32	Group A Strep Antigen (Competency)	Ten positive swabs - For rapid Group A Strep antigen detection kits.	\$145
Q33	RSV (Competency)	One 1 mL RSV positive liquid sample - For antigen detection kits and most molecular methods.	\$50
Q34	SARS-CoV-2 liquid (molecular) (Competency)	One 1.5 mL positive liquid sample. Contains the whole genome, providing sequence targets compatible with liquid based molecular assays. Includes variants of concern.	\$135

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**Shipment available upon request. Order soon, competency programs may have limited availability.**

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