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INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION AND AWARD FOR EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE

This is to inform the University community that the Clinical and Research Laboratory in the Department of Virology, College of Medicine, University of Ibadan has been certified ISO 15189 (2012 version) Medical Testing Laboratory quality standards.

The accreditation was based on recommendation by the South African National Accreditation System (SANAS) assessors and approved by the Advisory Committee of the Board.

The support for this feat was provided by the APIN Public Health Initiative, CDC (USA) Abuja Office and the FMoH through the HIV treatment and care grant to the University of Ibadan.

Consequent upon the certification, the Department was also recognised for its excellent achievement during the African Society for Laboratory Medicine (ASLM) Conference in Abuja on 13 December, 2018.

It should be noted that the Clinical and Research Laboratory in the Department of Virology is the first Laboratory to attain this status in this University.

Thank you.

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