

PREAMBLE

The Journey of Accreditations and Certifications at Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission started in the year 2010. IPC attain NABL Accreditation in the year 2011.

Walking on the path of strengthening the Quality Management System, IPC initiated the process to become WHO Prequalified Laboratories (PQCL)

Accreditations and Certifications

1. NABL Accreditation ISO/IEC 17025:2005

- IPC NABL Pre-assessment done on 17th June 2011. One auditor had done the pre-assessment of IPC.
- IPC acquired NABL 17025:2005 Accreditation on **19th to 20th September 2011** in Chemical and Microbiology Laboratories by two auditors from NABL.
- On 20-21st August 2012 onsite assessment of IPC for NABL ISO 17025:2005 done by three auditors from NABL.
- On 10-11th August 2013 NABL ISO 17025:2005 audit has been conducted. By two auditors from NABL.
- NABL ISO 17025:2005 Desktop Surveillance has been sent on 25th August 2014.
- On 6th-7th June 2015 NABL ISO 17025:2005 Audit has been conducted by three auditors.
- NABL ISO 17025:2005 Desktop Surveillance has been sent on 6th September 2016.
- 17th to 18th June 2017 NABL 17025:2005 Audit has been conducted by three auditors.
- 5th September 2018 NABL 17025:2005 Desktop Surveillance
- NABL Guideline change from 2005 to 2017 and audit will be conducted on 20th to 21st July 2019.

2. NABL RMP ISO/IEC 17034:2016

- Pre-assessment of RMP conducted on 5-6th September 2015.
- IPC acquired RMP 17034:2016 on 4th to 5th December 2015 final assessment of IPC. done by three auditors.
- The RMP Reassessment done on 28th to 29th May 2017 by three auditors of NABL.
- The reassessment to continue the compliance as per RMP 17034:2016 had been conducted on 17 to 18th March 2018.
- RMP Desktop on 17th May 2019.

3. PT ISO/IEC 17043:2010

- The Pre-assessment of NABL ISO/IEC 17043:2010 was done on 6th April 2017 by two NABL auditors.
- The final assessment has been conducted on 16th to 17th June 2017 by three auditors of NABL. The IPC had acquired the PT certification during this final assessment.
- The onsite surveillance of PT had been conducted on 30 to 31st July 2018 by two auditors of NABL.
- The re-assessment for continuing the compliance as per PT ISO/IEC 17043:2010 had been done on 10th -11th May 2019 by three auditors.

4. WHO Prequalified Laboratories (PQCL)

- IPC initiated to acquire WHO Prequalification on January 2014.
- The Pre-assessment of WHO Prequalified Laboratory had been conducted on 10th-14th February 2014.
- The final inspection for acquiring WHO Prequalified Laboratory had been conducted on 9th to 11th October 2015 by two WHO inspectors.
- The inspection for continuing the compliance for WHO Prequalified Laboratory had been conducted on 7th to 9th Jan 2019 by two WHO inspectors.