

MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENTIST, MLS(ASCP) INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENTIST, MLS(ASCPⁱ)

Suggested Reading for Examination Preparation

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JOURNALS

Clinical Laboratory Science. Published by American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science. [Link to View](#)

Lab Medicine. Published by American Society for Clinical Pathology and Oxford University Press. [Link to View](#)

Medical Laboratory Observer. Published by NP Communications. [Link to View](#)

TEXTS

BLOOD BANKING (IMMUNOHEMATOLOGY)

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CHEMISTRY

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Keohane, E., Otto, C.N., and Walenga, J. (2016). *Rodak's Hematology: Clinical Principles & Applications* (5th ed.).

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Buckingham, L. (2014). *Fundamental Laboratory Mathematics: Required Calculations for the Medical Laboratory Professional*. (1st ed.). Philadelphia, PA: F.A. Davis Company. [Link to Purchase](#)

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- Davis, D. L. (2016). *Laboratory Safety A Self-Assessment Workbook*. (2nd ed.) Chicago: ASCP Press. [Link to Purchase](#)
- Estridge, B. H. & Reynolds, A. P. (2011) *Basic Clinical Laboratory Techniques* (6th ed.). Clifton Park, NY: Delmar Cengage Learning. [Link to Purchase](#)
- Kalanick, K. A. (2011) *Phlebotomy Technician Specialist* (2nd ed.). Clifton Park, NY: Delmar Cengage Learning. [Link to Purchase](#)
- McPherson, R.A. & Pincus, M.R. (2016). *Henry's Clinical Diagnosis and Management by Laboratory Methods* (23rd ed.). Philadelphia: Elsevier. [Link to Purchase](#)
- Turgeon, M. L. (2019). *Linne & Ringsrud's Clinical Laboratory Science: Concepts, Procedures, and Clinical Applications* (8th ed.). Maryland Heights, MO: Mosby. [Link to Purchase](#)

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- De La Maza, L.M. et al. (2013). *Color Atlas of Medical Bacteriology* (2nd ed.). Washington, D.C.: ASM Press. [Link to Purchase](#)
- Hata, D.J. and Thomson Jr., R.B. (2016). *Gram Stain Benchtop Reference Guide*. College of American Pathologists. [Link to Purchase](#)
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ONLINE

BLOOD BANKING (IMMUNOHEMATOLOGY)

- AABB [Link to View](#)
- Blood Bank Guy – Transfusion Medicine Education [Link to View](#)
- Indian Immunohematology Initiative [Link to View](#)

CHEMISTRY

- AACC [Link to View](#)
- AACC Laboratory Medicine Practice Guidelines [Link to View](#)
- AACC Clinical Chemistry Trainee Council (CCTC) [Link to View](#)

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ASCP Online Practice Tests

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HEMATOLOGY

CellAtlas – Blood Cell Morphology Guide

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BloodLine Image Atlas (Hematology Images)

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Hematology Outlines – Online Textbook & Atlas

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MICROBIOLOGY

ASM Clinical Microbiology Portal

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

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DPDx – CDC’s Division of Parasitic Diseases and Malaria

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