

QUALIFICATION IN BIOREPOSITORY SCIENCES (QBRS)

Suggested Reading for Examination Preparation

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National Cancer Institute. (2016). [NCI Best Practices for Biospecimen Resources](#).

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development. [OECD Guidelines on Human Biobanks and Genetic Research Databases](#).

ONLINE

[Canadian Tissue Repository Network \(CTRNet\)](#)

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#)

[College of American Pathologists \(CAP\)](#)

[Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act \(HIPAA\)](#)

[International Air Transport Association \(IATA\) Dangerous Goods Regulations](#)

[International Conference on Harmonisation – Good Clinical Practice \(ICH-GCP\)](#)

[International Society for Biological and Environmental Repositories \(ISBER\)](#)

[Occupational Safety and Health Administration \(OSHA\)](#)

[Office for Human Research Protections \(OHRP\)](#)