

WHO WE ARE

The Manitoba Association for Medical Laboratory Science (MAMLS) was incorporated in 1987 and is affiliated with Canada's certifying body, the Canadian Society for Medical Laboratory Science (CSMLS). We cover all medical laboratory professionals in Manitoba, who are essential to the healthcare system. We represent both Medical Laboratory Technologists (MLTs) and Assistants (MLAs).

OUR MEMBERS

Every day, Manitoba's Medical Laboratory Professionals collect, prepare, and process tens of thousands of potentially life-changing laboratory results within hospitals, public, and private labs. We analyze blood, tissue, and body fluids to provide accurate and precise laboratory results that aid in treatment and diagnosis of patients.

Physicians and their patients depend on our timely, professional, and accurate work in order to treat patients in the best manner possible.

COVID-19

Our medical laboratory professionals stepped up during COVID-19 to address the increased testing requirement for Manitobans while working longer hours under stressful time constraints. Medical laboratory professionals continue to be an integral part of the COVID-19 response. As we all know, testing is the key to monitoring and reopening.

OUR ASKS

- Address the critical mental health needs of laboratory professionals. Testing demand continues to increase amid a lack of resources.
- 2. Support recruitment of MLTs to rural and remote locations, ensuring ALL Manitobans have access to high-quality care.
- 3. Require that medical laboratory professionals receive standard benefits in line with the larger healthcare sector.
- 4. Support lab professionals with increased work demands and extraordinary pressure from COVID-19.



