**Section 186.110 Scope and Applicability**

a) This Part establishes general provisions applicable to the accreditation program for laboratories administered by the Agency. Requirements of this Part are applicable to all laboratories that are accredited or seeking accreditation, regardless of their size, volume of business or field of testing.

b) Nothing in this Part shall prevent laboratories from performing any quality control or other tests when the State has not required those tests to be performed by an accredited laboratory.

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