Please use this form to submit a measurand for consideration by the International Consortium for Harmonization of Clinical Laboratory Results. Please provide as much information as is available in the questions that follow.

**Submitter Contact Information**

Name:

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**Representing**

If you are submitting a Measurand on behalf of an organization, please provide the information below.

Organization Name:

Mailing Address:

Type of Organization:

 Options for type of organization:

* Professional Association
* IVD Manufacturer
* Regulatory Agency
* Trade Association
* Public Health Organization
* Metrology Institute
* Standards Provider
* PT/EQA Provider
* Other

**Measurand to be Harmonized**

Measurand Description

Note: VIM 3rd edition defines a measurand as the “quantity intended to be measured” [http://www.bipm.org/utils/common/documents/jcgm/JCGM\_200\_2008.pdf]. Please provide a full description of the measurand to include: the chemical entity, subunits, epitopes, molecular forms, etc. as applicable; the clinical body fluid, and reporting units.

**Details**

Please provide the history, clinical use and importance to harmonize results for this measurand in the categories that follow. Describe how harmonization will contribute to healthcare that is more safe, timely, effective, efficient, equitable, and patient-centered. Citations should be included when available.

What specific patient group(s) will benefit from the harmonization of this measurand?

What are the incidence, prevalence and implications of disease burden for the condition for which this measurand is used clinically?

Do evidence-based clinical practice guidelines include the measurand? If yes, provide citations to the guidelines.

Is it expected that harmonization will cause a significant difference in practice patterns? If yes, describe how.

What are the costs (laboratory, total health care, societal, other) associated with the clinical condition(s) for which this measurand is used? How will harmonization impact costs?

What is the current state of harmonization of this measurand? Are there any reference materials or candidate reference measurement procedures available? If yes, specify sources and/or citations that describe potential resources for harmonization.

Are you aware of any group currently working to address harmonization of this measurand? If yes, identify the group and provide a contact if known.