



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

WHEREAS, *medical diagnosis and treatment decisions rely heavily on timely and accurate clinical laboratory test results; and*

WHEREAS, *billions of these laboratory tests are performed in the United States each year in hospital and commercial laboratories and other sites; and*

WHEREAS, *critical decisions regarding public health, such as the control of disease outbreaks, are dependant upon the accurate and timely analysis performed by laboratory professionals; and*

WHEREAS, *the exacting standards of modern medical practice require scientific precision of clinical and public health tests performed daily by laboratory professionals; and*

WHEREAS, *the medical and public health fields rely on the dedicated efforts of laboratory professionals to maintain the high standards of quality in laboratory practice; and*

WHEREAS, *New Jersey's approximately 10,000 laboratory professionals perform 100 million laboratory tests a year to support the health of our residents and help provide a complete picture of an individual patient's health; and*

WHEREAS, *the more than 265,000 laboratory professionals across the country are being honored this week for their dedication to serving individual patients and the public;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip D. Murphy, Governor of the State of New Jersey, do hereby proclaim:

APRIL 24 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2022

AS

MEDICAL LABORATORY PROFESSIONALS WEEK

in New Jersey.



GIVEN, under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of New Jersey, this fourteenth day of March in the year two thousand twenty-two, the two hundred forty-sixth year of the Independence of the United States.


Lt. GOVERNOR


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