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1.4.10	7	1 Addition of sentence to the end of section 9(d). Where the agreed panel opinion differs from the submitted diagnosis and would result in the woman being managed differently, the facilitator will inform the laboratory and return the slide immediately. It is the responsibility of the medical head of the submitting laboratory to take any necessary follow-up action.	
1.4.10	8	2 Amendment to the second sentence of section 10.1 However, discussion between participants in the laboratory about the EQA slides must not take place until all mandatory participants (excluding absentees) have seen the slides and recorded their results.	
1.4.10	8	3 Amendment to the final sentence of section 10.1 Once all mandatory participants (excluding absentees) have submitted their responses, discussion is encouraged before the slides leave the laboratory. Interlaboratory discussion of the slides or discussion with absentees prior to their participation is not permitted.	
1.4.10	10	4 Removal of the second paragraph under 11.2 Consensus opinion and addition of this sentence to section 11.1 Individual responses, following the second sentence. The 'submitted' opinions on the slides will be released once all mandatory participants (excluding absentees) within the laboratory have viewed and reported on the EQA slides.	
1.4.10	10	5 Amendment to the last sentence of the first paragraph of section 11.2 Consensus opinion Where the consensus opinion differs from that of the submitting laboratory and would result in the woman being managed differently, the facilitator will inform the laboratory and return the slide immediately. It is the responsibility of the medical head of the submitting laboratory to take any necessary follow-up action.	
1.4.10	10	6 Removal of third paragraph from 11.2 Consensus opinion and addition of this sentence to the end of section 11.1 Individual responses. Written interim feedback will be provided as soon as possible after participation.	