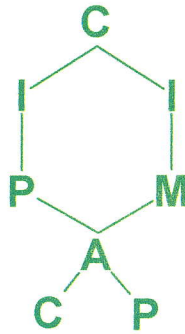


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To the conductor of a CIPAC collaborative trial

Dear colleagues,

This is to inform you about a decision of the CIPAC council meeting with respect to the presentation of collaborative trials.

To ensure an appropriate assessment of the trials and the methods, it is necessary that the method as well as the results of the trials are available to CIPAC at least two weeks before the CIPAC meeting where the method will be introduced, otherwise CIPAC cannot guarantee that a decision on the method can be made at the same meeting.

Thank you very much for your understanding.


(Ralf Hänel, Chairman of CIPAC)