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## We have extended our disinfectant efficacy testing scope to include 24 ENs!

We now offer almost all disinfectant efficacy tests according the European Norms under the scope of ISO/IEC 17025.



The team working together to get as many norms under the scope as possible

On 7 September 2017, Standards Malaysia approved the inclusion of 13 European Norms to our list of 11 disinfectant efficacy tests. It took the team just 4 months to achieve this and we are thrilled by the news.

"This is a major milestone in our short history. Our entire team has been working extremely hard for a long time to get these tests accredited," said Mr. Chin, Viroxy's Senior Microbiologist when asked how he felt about the achievement. "Although I have full confidence in my team and the range of tests we can perform, the tests can only benefit our customers if we offer them under the scope of ISO/IEC 17025. Now, we do."

He further added that the team is now in full gear to get the next batch of tests included under the scope. One of the tests is EN 14476:2013+AI:2015 – quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of virucidal activity of chemical disinfectants in the medical area.

The evaluation of virucidal activity is the most challenging among disinfectant efficacy tests. It requires special care and skills in handling viruses and tissue cultures to avoid contaminating the test environment. The test must be undertaken in strictly aseptic conditions to yield an accurate result.



Dr. Lee preparing sample for suspension test



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Our next scope extension is expected to take place sometime in October 2017 and we are confident it will go smoothly. In the meantime, wish us well as we work hard to add more value to what we offer you, our clients.

And check out our official scope extension document issued by Standards Malaysia.

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Founded on 30 June 2016 in the heart of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, Viroxy Sdn. Bhd. is a breath of fresh air among testing laboratories providing microbiological and chemical testing services. Apart from disinfectant efficacy testing services which is the mainstay of Viroxy's business, the laboratory also offers sterility testing, bioburden testing, chemical testing and environmental monitoring services and product registration consultancy. With exceptionally short turnaround time and affordable rates, the laboratory has radically changed the course of testing laboratories everywhere.

Viroxy is armed with on-site microbiology, chemistry, tissue culture and virology laboratories fitted with the latest equipment and ready to conduct tests on a collection of 128 microorganisms including bacteria, fungi, viruses and spores. Today, the laboratory is well poised to meet the demands of an impressive line-up of international clients while upholding high-standards embedded within its work culture.

Bearing testament to the capability and resolution of Viroxy's workforce in establishing itself as a formidable player in the field is the laboratory's track record of acquiring ISO/IEC 17025 accreditation with 24 European Norms for disinfectant efficacy testing under the scope within just 15 short months of incorporation, with other standards currently underway.