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ICCVAM Evaluation Timeline

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January 10, 2007	ICCVAM receives a letter from the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) nominating six murine local lymph node assay (LLNA) review activities for evaluation, including the LLNA applicability domain.
January 2007	The ICCVAM Immunotoxicity Working Group (IWG) is re-established to work with NICEATM to carry out LLNA evaluations.
January 24, 2007	ICCVAM endorses the six CPSC-nominated LLNA review activities, including evaluation of the LLNA applicability domain.
May 17, 2007	<i>Federal Register</i> notice (72 FR 27815) – The Murine Local Lymph Node Assay: Request for Comments, Nominations of Scientific Experts, and Submission of Data.
June 12, 2007	SACATM endorses with high priority the six CPSC-nominated LLNA review activities, including evaluation of the LLNA applicability domain.
November 12–13, 2007	ECVAM Workshop on Alternative Methods (Reduction, Refinement, Replacement).
January 8, 2008	<i>Federal Register</i> notice (73 FR 1360) – Announcement of an Independent Scientific Peer Review Panel Meeting on the Murine Local Lymph Node Assay; Availability of Draft Background Review Documents; Request for Comments.
March 4–6, 2008	Independent Scientific Peer Review Panel holds a public meeting, with opportunity for oral public comments, at CPSC Headquarters in Bethesda, MD, to discuss LLNA review activities, including the LLNA applicability domain. The Panel is charged with reviewing the current status of the LLNA applicability domain and commenting on the extent to which the information in the draft LLNA Addendum on the validity of the LLNA for mixtures, metals, and aqueous solutions supported the draft ICCVAM recommendations.
May 20, 2008	<i>Federal Register</i> notice (73 FR 29136) – Announcement of the Peer Review Panel Report on the Validation Status of New Versions and Applications of the Murine Local Lymph Node Assay (LLNA): A Test Method for Assessing the Allergic Contact Dermatitis Potential of Chemicals and Products: Notice of Availability and Request for Public Comments.
June 18–19, 2008	SACATM public meeting for comments on the 2008 Panel report.

February 27, 2009	<i>Federal Register</i> notice (74 FR 8974) – Announcement of a Second Meeting of the Independent Scientific Peer Review Panel on the Murine Local Lymph Node Assay; Availability of Draft Background Review Documents (BRD); Request for Comments.
April 28–29, 2009	Independent Scientific Peer Review Panel holds a public meeting with opportunity for oral public comments, at NIH Natcher Conference Center in Bethesda, MD, to discuss LLNA review activities, including the updated LLNA applicability domain. The Panel is charged with reviewing the current status of the LLNA applicability domain and commenting on the extent to which the information in the revised draft LLNA Addendum on the validity of the LLNA for mixtures, metals, and aqueous solutions supported the revised draft ICCVAM recommendations.
June 1, 2009	<i>Federal Register</i> notice (74 FR 26242) – Independent Scientific Peer Review Panel Report: Updated Validation Status of New Versions and Applications of the Murine Local Lymph Node Assay: A Test Method for Assessing the Allergic Contact Dermatitis Potential of Chemicals and Products: Notice of Availability and Request for Public Comments.
June 25–26, 2009	SACATM public meeting for comments on the 2009 Panel report.
October 28, 2009	ICCVAM endorses the TMER for the LLNA applicability domain, which includes the final LLNA Addendum on the validity of the LLNA for mixtures, metals, and aqueous solutions.