

## ON DEMAND TALKS ON SARS-CoV-2 TESTING FROM RENOWNED SCIENTISTS IN LEADING LABS

**Learning Objective:** Ways to Improve Efficiency, Throughput, and Accuracy of SARS-CoV-2 Testing

### Rapid Expansion of SARS-CoV-2 Testing Capacity to Meet the Increasing Demand

- How the changes in testing criteria and government policy quickly increase testing demand
- Strategies employed to increase capacity from 650 to 17,500 tests/day, the largest in Ontario



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### High-Throughput SARS-CoV-2 Detection with Custom Saliva-Based Collection Protocol

Learn how Kashi Clinical Laboratories has quickly operationalized a custom saliva SARS-CoV-2 testing protocol by leveraging the BGI/MGI's clinical lab partnership program.



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### Hit the Ground Running: The Clinical Venture of a Start-up SARS-CoV-2 Testing Lab Led by Blackhawk Genomics

- Insights on regulatory and technical considerations to setup SARS-CoV-2 testing
- Investment of SARS-CoV-2 testing infrastructure for post pandemic clinical testing
- High throughput testing solutions delivered to Absolute Genomics to fight SARS-COV-2



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