

**Expand the Impact of the  
Public Health Laboratory System  
at National and Global Levels**

**Advocate for a  
Laboratory System  
that Meets Public  
Health Needs**

- Systematically Anticipate and Prepare for Public Health Challenges
- Educate Targeted Policy Makers to Take Action in Support of the Laboratory System
- Promote a Consistent, Coordinated Lab Systems Approach in Federal Responses
- Shape the Laboratory System's Role in Advancing Health Equity
- Expand International Engagement and Learn from Established Laboratory Systems
- Elevate and Promote the Role of PHLs in the Healthcare System

**Provide Services  
that Strengthen  
Lab System  
Effectiveness**

- Develop Best Practices for Members to Build Relationships with Non-traditional Partners for Data Analytics
- Promote, Design and Develop the Informatics Infrastructure
- Facilitate Understanding of the Legalities and Execution of Information Sharing
- Equip Public Health Laboratories to Effectively Communicate Their Value
- Strengthen Quality Improvement and Safety in Member Laboratories

**Enhance Laboratory  
Workforce  
Development**

- Support Members in the Recruitment, Development and Retention of the Next Generation of Laboratorians
- Provide Laboratory Training Aligned with Public Health Laboratory Competencies
- Develop an Innovative Collaboration on Education with CDC and Other Partners
- Foster Development of Future Laboratory System Leaders
- Improve Access to a Variety of Learning Resources

**Strengthen APHL  
Effectiveness and  
Adaptability**

- Expand and Deepen Member Engagement
- Expand Unrestricted and Other Funding Streams
- Ensure Operational Systems Keep Pace with Growth
- Improve Internal Connectivity
- Determine the Future AIMS Business Model

**Engage and Mobilize Key Partners**