Drafted a Guide to a Harmonized National Cannabis Laboratory Accreditation Program to provide inputs into a consistent approach to each state’s accreditation process by developing the basic quality requirements for the accreditation of laboratories testing raw cannabis plant material, cannabis-based products, or hemp across the nation.

Continue to monitor cannabis related federal legislation and supported legislation for the safe banking of cannabis related businesses.

Established the ACIL California Cannabis Working Group (CA-CWG) dedicated to increasing awareness and outreach on behalf of independent cannabis testing laboratories in the Golden State with the primary purpose of promoting meaningful legislative and regulatory cannabis testing policies.

CA CWG’s standards of conduct have the following expectations:
- No business involvement with illicit market testing
- Compliance with all regulations set forth by the Bureau of Cannabis Control (BCC), including ISO certification for all BCC testing
- Ensure to the best of our ability to produce accurate cannabinoid testing results and prohibit potency inflation as a business procurement practice
- Hold scientific ethics over profits

CA CWG’s advocates for quality and accurate testing, consistency across laboratories, and enforcement transparency.

Advocated the California General Assembly for legislation that would prescribe multiple methods to be used by testing laboratories without requiring a demonstration that the analytical performance characteristics for the alternative test methods are consistent with those validated by a standard test method, along with allowing the flexibility to deviate from established methodologies as is often necessary in the ever-changing cannabis industry.

Continued dialogue with Bureau of Cannabis Control and Department of Cannabis Control.