

# STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

## PROCLAMATION

### MEDICAL LABORATORY PROFESSIONALS WEEK

APRIL 14-20, 2024

WHEREAS, Medical Laboratory Professionals are a critical and necessary piece in the functioning of the health care industry and supporting the field of medicine; and

WHEREAS, 1,156 licensed Medical Laboratory Professionals work in hospitals, clinics, blood and plasma donation and distribution centers, public health laboratories and research settings across North Dakota; and

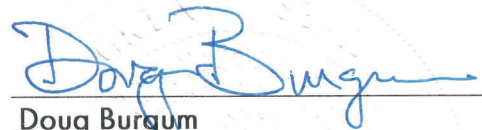
WHEREAS, Medical Laboratory Professionals play a vital role in health care by performing millions of essential laboratory tests annually in North Dakota, contributing to accurate diagnoses, and helping ensure the well-being of patients; and

WHEREAS, Medical Laboratory Professionals Week provides an opportunity to honor and appreciate the dedication and contributions of these laboratory health care professionals; and

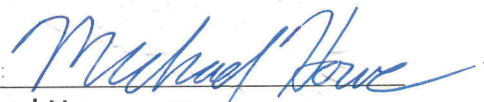
WHEREAS, the State of North Dakota recognizes the importance of acknowledging the efforts of Medical Laboratory Professionals in safeguarding public health and encourages all citizens to join in recognizing the significant contributions of these laboratory professionals to the health care system.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim  
April 14-20, 2024, **MEDICAL LABORATORY PROFESSIONALS WEEK** in the State of  
North Dakota.



  
Doug Burgum

GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 

Michael Howe  
SECRETARY OF STATE