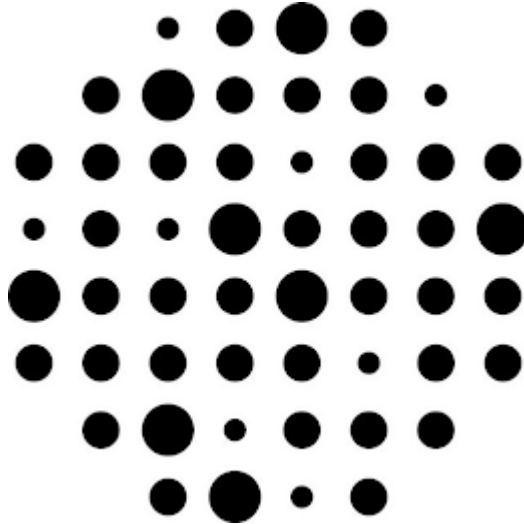


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CLASS 35: Association services, namely, promoting the interests of pathologists and health care workers in the fields of pathology and laboratory services; Association services, namely, public advocacy to promote the interest of pathologists and health care workers in the fields of pathology and laboratory services; lobbying services, namely, promoting the interests of pathologists and health care workers in the fields of legislation and regulation; providing information in the field of pathology careers via the Internet; providing information in the field of pathology practice management; promoting public awareness of the role of pathologists in health care

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CLASS 41: Educational services, namely, developing, arranging, and conducting educational conferences and programs and providing courses of instruction in the field of pathology; providing on-line non-downloadable publications in the nature of newsletters and periodicals in the field of pathology and laboratory medicine

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CLASS 42: Accreditation services, namely, developing, evaluating, and testing standards for medical laboratory services and facilities for the purpose of accreditation

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