



## CAREERS

## Medical Laboratory Scientist

## Who are Medical Laboratory Scientists?

Medical lab scientists test blood and other samples to find out what's going on in the body, including the immune system. They help figure out if someone has an infection, an autoimmune disease, or needs a certain kind of treatment.

They work in a lab so patients don't get to see them working, but doctors rely on their lab results to make decisions.

## Would you rather...

If you were a medical laboratory scientist, would you rather spend your day running tests with robots and machines or do tests that you have to run by hand like in a chemistry lab or using a microscope? Why?