Requirement (NO ₂)	Frequency	Acceptable Range	Review Comments	
CRITICAL CRITERIA – NO2				
Sampler/Monitor	NA	Meets requirements listed in FRM/FEM designation		
One-Point QC Check Single analyzer	Every 14 days	$<$ \pm 15.1% (percent difference) or $<$ \pm 1.5 ppb difference whichever is greater		
Zero/Span Check	Every 14 days	Zero drift $\leq \pm 3.1$ ppb (24-hr), $\leq \pm 5.1$ ppb (>24hr-14 days) Span drift $\leq \pm 10.1\%$		
Converter Efficiency	During multi-point calibrations, spans, and audits Every 14 days	96% - 104.1%		
OPERATIONAL CRITERIA – NO2				
Shelter Temperature Range	Daily (hourly values)	20 to 30° C (hourly avg.) or per manufacturers specification if designated to a wider temp. range		
Shelter Temperature Control	Daily (hourly values)	< 2.1° C SD over 24 hours		
Shelter Temperature Device Check	Every 182 days and 2/calendar year	< ± 2.1° C of standard		
Annual Performance Evaluation Single Analyzer (SLAMS/NCORE)	Every site every 365 days and 1/calendar year	Percent difference of audit levels 3-10 $< \pm 15.1\%$, Audit levels $1\&2 < \pm 1.5$ ppb difference or $< \pm 15.1\%$		
Annual Performance Evaluation Single Analyzer (PSD)	Quarterly	Percent difference of audit levels 3-10 $< \pm 15.1\%$, Audit levels $1\&2 < \pm 1.5$ ppb difference or $< \pm 15.1\%$		
Federal Audit (NPAP) (SLAMS/NCORE)	20% of sites audited in calendar year	Audit levels $1\&2 \le \pm 1.5$ ppb difference all other levels percent difference $\le \pm 15.1\%$		
Verification / Calibration	Upon receipt/adjustment/repair/ installation/moving	Instrument residence time ≤ 2 minutes Dynamic parameter ≥ 2.75 ppm-min		

Requirement (NO ₂)	Frequency	Acceptable Range	Review Comments		
	Every 182 days and 2/calendar year if manual biweekly zero/span checks Every 365 days and 1/calendar year if continuous daily zero/span checks	All points $< \pm 2.1\%$ or $< \pm 1.5$ ppb difference of best-fit straight line, whichever is greater and Slope $1 \pm .05$			
Gaseous Standards	All gas cylinders	NIST Traceable (e.g. EPA Protocol Gas) 50-100 ppm of NO in Nitrogen with < 1 ppm NO ₂			
Zero Air / Zero Air Check	Every 365 days and 1/calendar year	Concentration below LDL			
Gas Dilution Systems	1 / year or after failure of 1-point QC check or performance evaluation	$Accuracy < \pm 2.1\%$			
Detection (FEM/FRMs)					
Noise	Every 365 days and 1/calendar year	≤ 0.005 ppm			
Lower detectable level	Every 365 days and 1/calendar year	≤ 0.01 ppm			
SYSTEMATIC CRITERIA – NO ₂					
Standard Reporting Units	All data	ppb (final units in AQS)			
Rounding convention for data reported to AQS	All data	l place after decimal with digits to right truncated			
Completeness (SLAMS/NCORE/PSD)	Annual standard	≥ 75% of hours in year			
Completeness (SLAMS/NCORE)	1-hour standard	Hour: ≥ 75% of hour Day: ≥ 75% of hours in a day Quarter: ≥ 75% sampling days in quarter Year: 4 quarters complete in each year			

Requirement (NO ₂)	Frequency	Acceptable Range	Review Comments
		3 consecutive calendar years of complete data	
Completeness (PSD)	1-hour standard	Hour: ≥ 75% of hour Day: ≥ 75% of hours in a day Quarter: ≥ 80% of complete days Year: 4 consecutive quarters	
Sample Residence Time Verification	Every 365 days and 1/calendar year	≤ 20 seconds	
Sample Probe, Inlet, Sampling train	All sites	Borosilicate glass,(e.g. Pyrex®) or Teflon® (FEP/TFE)	
Pneumatic fittings	All tubing connections/valves	Teflon® (FEP/TFE), 316 stainless steel	
Gas Regulators	All gas cylinders	2-stage 316 stainless steel	
Data Acquisition Systems	Digital or analog recording devices	Collection of continuous data (minimum of 1-minute values)	
System Clock Verification	1 / month	$\leq \pm 1$ minute	
Siting	1 / year	Meeting siting criteria or waiver documented, (PSD per approved QAPP)	
Precision (using 1-point QC Checks) (SLAMS/NCORE)	Calculated Annually and as appropriate for design value estimates	90% CL CV < 15.1%	
Precision (using 1-point QC Checks) (PSD)	Calculated Quarterly	90% CL CV < 15.1%	
Bias (using 1-point QC Checks) (SLAMS/NCORE)	Calculated Annually and as appropriate for design value estimates	95% CL < ± 15.1%	
Bias (using 1-point QC Checks) (PSD)	Calculated Quarterly	95% CL < ± 15.1%	
Technical Systems Audits (SLAMS/NCORE)	1/3 years	Confirmation of adherence to FRM/FEM, SOPs, and QAPP or documented waiver	
Technical Systems Audits (PSD)	Annually (within 1 month of startup and annually thereafter)	Confirmation of adherence to FRM/FEM, SOPs, and QAPP or documented waiver	

Requirement (NO ₂)	Frequency	Acceptable Range	Review Comments
Annual PE Primary QA organization (PQAO) Evaluation	1 / year	95% of audit percent difference fall within the 1-point QC check 95% probability intervals at PQAO level of aggregation	