New Test Announcement



Drug of Abuse Screen without Confirmation Effective: March 01, 2017

Effective March 1, 2017, the test Drug of Abuse Screen with Confirmation will no longer be available as an orderable test in eCW.

Urine Drug Screen without Confirmation will be orderable in eCW. Positive drug screen results will not be automatically reflexed for confirmation and quantification.

In addition, the following clinic laboratories will begin performing the Drug Screen testing on site:

Bay Area Chequamegon Denfeld Hibbing Laurentian PS Rudie Lester River Mariner Medical Arts Miller Creek Mount Royal

Samples will be held at the performing location for seven days. Should confirmation of a positive screening result be required, please contact your clinic laboratory if it is one of the above or the hospital laboratory at 249-5200 to request the confirmatory test.

If you have questions, please contact Kristin Baer, M.D. Chemistry Medical Director (218)249-5208, Sabrina Fuchs, MBA, MLS (ASCP) (218) 249-5339, Theresa Sarkela, MLS (ASCP) (218)249-2468, or Jennifer Viergutz, MBA, MA, MT(ASCP) (218)249-5724, Clinic Technical Consultants.

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