



Laboratory Technical Bulletin

ALERT

Date: 11/7/2023

Effective Date: 11/7/2023

Title: Chemistry Turnaround Time Delays

Tests: General Chemistry Tests

Explanation: On Tuesday, November 7, 2023, the two chemistry analyzers in the lab will be connected to the new automation line for testing in preparation for the go-live on Tuesday, November 14, 2023. The rack loaders must be removed from the analyzers, eliminating the capability to load multiple specimens at one time. During this time, specimens can only be run in small batches, so STAT specimens will be prioritized. Please order Routine vs. STAT appropriately, expecting turnaround time delays throughout the next week. Call the lab for any emergent situations.

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