## Pathology Specimen Collection -Collection Priorities and Add On



Digital Health Quick Reference Guide

This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to: Order Pathology Specimen - Collection priorities and Add On.

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Collect Now Collection Priority: Collect Now	<ul> <li>To be collected by doctor/ nurse/ midwife</li> <li>For urgent bloods that cannot wait until next phlebotomy round</li> <li>Doctor to communicate with nursing staff</li> </ul>
Timed Collection       V         *Collection Priority:       Timed Collection       V	<ul> <li>To be collected at a specific time</li> <li>eg. Fasting blood for the next day</li> <li>eg. Vancomycin level</li> <li>Doctor to communicate with nurse for handover</li> </ul>
Phiebotomy Round	<ul> <li>To be collected by phlebotomist on their next round <ul> <li>For morning or afternoon rounds</li> <li>Phlebotomist to communicate with nurse if unable to collect</li> </ul> </li> <li>To order: <ul> <li>Select appropriate date</li> <li>Select 12pm to specify afternoon round</li> <li>If the phlebotomy round has finished, outstanding tasks may be completed by nursing or medical staff</li> <li>You can now add to the same-day path round after 6:30am</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Add On  Collection Priority: Phiebotomy Round  ADD ON (If Yes, Print Requisition): Yes  No  Clinician Callback number: 555	<ul> <li>Click the YES button then print and fax requisition to Pathology lab</li> <li>Note that the collection priority field is now irrelevant for Add On</li> </ul>