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