



MEMORANDUM #24

TO: UNC Hospitals Attending Physicians, Housestaff, Department Heads,
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SUBJECT: Change in Special Coagulation Laboratory Reference Ranges.

Over the next 2-3 weeks, the Special Coagulation Laboratory will implement the following Reference Range changes:

Analyte	Units	Current Range ACL TOP	New Range Stago Evolution
Protein C (STACLOT)	%	62 - 156	68 - 170
Protein S (STACLOT)	%	72 - 168	64 - 147
LIA Free Protein S	%	66 - 146	63 - 161
VWFAG	%	56 - 223	47 - 157
VWFAC	%	50 - 204	50 - 168
DRVVT	Seconds	n/a	0.0 - 48.2
DRVV /Conf Normalized Ratio	n/a	0.00 - 1.10	<1.20
PTT-LA	Seconds	n/a*	35.4 - 50.8
StaClot LA (HPN)	Seconds	n/a**	<8

*PTT-LA replaces .SCTS

**StaClot LA replaces SCT normalized ratio

Please contact Dr. Whinna at 966-2318 for questions concerning the laboratory tests.