



**MEMORANDUM #151**

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**SUBJECT: Temporary Send Out of Everolimus and Sirolimus Testing**

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Due to issues with the instrumentation currently used for everolimus and sirolimus testing, UNCMC McLendon Clinical Laboratories will be sending out this testing to LabCorp in order to support continuity in patient care monitoring. This will be effective immediately and once instrumentation issues are resolved we will resume in-house testing.

**Important notes:**

- During this transition, the ordering procedure in EPIC will remain the same, as will the specimen type.
- Samples collected and received in the lab by 8:00 am will be priority couriered to LabCorp with results available in approximately 24 h. If a sample is received in the lab after 8:00 am, the turn-around-time for results may be up to 48 h.
- Results will be available under chart review as Referral Laboratory Test Other, and in the result tree as Miscellaneous Sendout.

If you have any questions related to these changes, please contact the Core / Special Chemistry Laboratory at 984-974-1415 or Dr. Korpi-Steiner at 984-974-1498.