

Approved list of tests for STAT pick-up

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St. Charles Health System provided STAT courier pickups for specific approved test, see list below. This ensures our couriers are utilized for STAT pick-ups based on the patient's condition and stability of the sample.

STAT pick-ups:

1. Specimen(s) are required to be labeled with STAT Sticker on specimen bag or placed in red Specimen Bag.
2. Specimen ready (couriers cannot wait) will the specimen be ready in 20mins.

- All Body Fluids (*excluding Urine*)
- Ammonia **call 15 mins prior to collection**
(*whole blood stability 20mins on ICE or processed plasma 30mins, refrigerated 2hrs.*)
- Amylase
- Anti-Xa
- Bilirubin on neonates
- CBC with Auto Diff.
- CBC with No Diff. (Hemogram)
- Chemistry Panels (CMP, BMP, RENAL) (*If unable to centrifuge, it is acceptable due to glucose stability.*)
- Creatinine (Dialysis Center only)
- CSF
- D-Dimer
- Electrolytes (Potassium, Sodium, Chloride, Co2)
- Fetal Fibronectin (*will be performed at nearest hospital lab Bend or Madras*)
- Fibrinogen
- Glucose
- H&H (Hemogram & Hematocrit)
- hCG (pregnancy)
- HIV Screens -*only if clinics are unable to centrifuge, separate, and refrigerate within 2hrs.*
 - HIV Screen
 - Prenatal Serology & HIV
 - Prenatal Profiles
- Lactic Acid **call 15 mins. prior to collection** (*must be separated from cells within 15 mins of collection.*)
- Platelet Count
- Potassium (Stability, Dialysis only)
- Protein/Creatinine Ratio
- PT (Prothrombin Time)
- PTT (Partial Thromboplastin Time)
- Therapeutic Drugs (Vanco through, Fenitoin, Valproic Acid, Clozapine)
- Troponin
- Wet Mount (*will be performed at the nearest hospital lab*)
- Whole Blood Ketones
- Wound Culture with a STAT gram stain only

CALL 20 mins prior to collection STAT pick-ups, call 541-706-7717.

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