



# Laboratory Bulletin

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DATE:	1 May 2023	
TO:	All Providers Requesting Mobile Collections	
FRUNN:	Ann Arseneau, Pre-Analytics Discipline Lead, Alberta Precision Laboratories Jennifer Young, DynaLIFE Manager, Mobile Collections	
RE:	Mobile Collection Information System - MCIS	

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## **Key Message**

- Effective immediately, all requests for mobile collections are coordinated by DynaLIFE in the Mobile Collection Information System. (MCIS)
- This includes any collections to be performed by Albert Precision Lab (APL) staff/sites.

#### **Background**

- Previously, mobile collection appointments were handled separately through DynaLIFE or APL.
- This process has been centralized to one intake area at the DynaLIFE Mobile Collection Department to streamline the process.

## How this will impact you

- Ordering providers will not need to determine who will perform the collections.
- All requests/requisitions will be triaged to the appropriate collection area/staff.

## **Action Required**

- Send requests to DynaLIFE Mobile Collection Department.
- Fax request/requisitions to 780-452-5294 or email to DLHCRes@dynalife.ca
- All faxes require a coversheet for troubleshooting purpose. Do not include any patient health or personal information on the coversheet.
- If you require the collection on a specific day, please indicate on the cover sheet or requisition.
- Ensure all requests are complete with:
  - Patient demographic portion of the requisition filled in.
  - Patient address or facility in which they are to be collected.
  - \*\*Please note this is considered a major requirement for home/facility collection. Address errors or incomplete addresses will be considered major deficiencies and prevent service.
- Provider's full name and Connect Care ID number.
- Complete submitter information including Connect Care ID number.
- Requisition should indicate if there is an electronic order in EPIC and the date the sample is to be collected.

#### **Questions/Concerns**

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