

Laboratory Bulletin

Date: March 26, 2015

To: North Zone, Peace River Physicians and Nursing Unit Managers

From: AHS Laboratory Services

Re: Change of Methodology for Troponin I Testing at Peace River Community Health Centre

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Key Messages:

- Effective March 30, 2015, the laboratory at the Peace River Community Health Centre will be testing Troponin I on the Alere Triage Meter
 - This change is being made to standardize the testing of Troponin I in the rural hospital laboratories in North Zone

Why this is important:

Reference Range Troponin I tested on the Triage Meter: ≤0.02 ug/L

Action Required:

Refer to Reference Range for Triage methodology

For additional questions contact:

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