

**Date:** April 22, 2019  
**To:** North Zone Physicians and Facility Leads: Athabasca; Boyle; Edson; Grande Cache; Hinton Jasper; Slave Lake; Wabasca; Westlock  
**From:** Alberta Public Laboratories (APL)  
**Re:** Changes to Consultant Pathologist Assignment in APL North Sector Facilities

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**Key Message:**

- Effective May 1, 2019, the following changes will be made to the assignment of Pathologist consultative services by location:

<b>Pathologist / Contact Information</b>	<b>Locations</b>
Dr. Kaila Crawford Office: 587-786-6711 Cell: 587-709-0091	Barrhead, Edson, Fox Creek, Grande Cache, Hinton, Jasper, Mayerthorpe, Onoway, Swan Hills, Westlock, Whitecourt
Dr. Mireille Kattar Office: 780-407-3373 Cell: 780-885-0729	Athabasca, Boyle, Cold Lake, Elk Point, Glendon, Lac La Biche, Radway, Smoky Lake, St. Paul, Thorhild, Vilna
Dr. Brent Mendez Office; 780-538-7417 Cell: 587-202-3750	Beaverlodge, Fairview, Grimshaw, High Prairie, Grande Prairie, Manning, McLennan, Peace River, Slave Lake, Spirit River, Valleyview, Wabasca

- Please contact the assigned pathologist as required using the contact information listed above or the laboratory in your area as an alternative.

**Why this is important:**

- Physicians and other health care providers may require the assistance of the assigned pathologist for consultation during the delivery of quality patient care. This may involve but is not limited to the selection of appropriate laboratory testing and interpretation of results.

**Action Required:**

- Please communicate changes to all appropriate staff.

**Inquiries and feedback may be directed to:**

- Wendy Corbiere, Laboratory Director, Rural Hospitals (North Sector), Alberta Public Laboratories at 780-826-8254.

**This bulletin has been reviewed and approved by:**

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