

# **Laboratory Bulletin**

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Date: July 22, 2020

To: Central Zone, North Zone and North West Territories Physicians and Nursing Managers

From: Alberta Precision Laboratories (APL)

Re: Requesting Pediatric and Stillborn Autopsies in Central Zone, North Zone and NWT

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#### **Key Message:**

All Pediatric and Stillborn Autopsies are performed at the Red Deer Regional Hospital.
Updated contact information is available in the procedure:
https://ahs.labgms.com/labFrame.asp?DID=28966&FLDVr=8380

## Why this is important:

• The process will remain the same for requesting an Autopsy. Contact information has been updated.

### **Action Required:**

- Please use the updated contact information when requesting a Pediatric or Stillborn Autopsy as outlined in the procedure above.
- Further assistance to request a pediatric or stillborn autopsy can be obtained from the Histology Accessioning Room at the Red Deer Regional Hospital Anatomic Pathology Lab: 403-343-4729.

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

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