Requests/Reporting

Interfering Substances

The most common interfering substances are listed in the specimen requirement column of the test listing. A more comprehensive listing is available in Young DS: Effects of Drugs on Clinical Laboratory Tests. 4th edition. Washington DC, AACC Press, 1995.

Mailed Reports

Mailed reports can be provided and indicate patient information, account number, laboratory control number, test name, result, and reference values.

Reference Values

All reference values listed are for adult normals unless otherwise indicated.

Reportable Disease

Waukesha Memorial Hospital (WMH) endeavors to comply with reporting requirements for each state health department regarding reportable diseases. We report by fax, form, or phone depending upon your individual state health department regulations. WMH reports to the appropriate state health department based upon the state listed in the client address. We strive to cooperate with our clients so that we both comply with state regulations. If you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact WMH Client Service Center at 262-928-2105.

Reporting of Results

All "STAT" and "Critical Values" are called to the account immediately after completion. A written report of all laboratory results is delivered to your facility as soon as possible. If test results require special handling, please note on the request form. Reference values are included and abnormal values are flagged.

Request Forms

Specific test request forms are provided for various tests included in this catalog. Each test listing provides information on which request form to use and what information should be included if the Epic EMR is not used for order entry. Additional clinical information is required on a number of these request forms for diagnostic reasons. Type or clearly print all information, and always include patient's age, date of birth, and sex.