

## Unit Collect vs. Lab Collect / Site Defaults: Talking Points

This document is a companion to the Unit Collect vs. Lab Collect Talking Point document previously sent. It is intended to be a resource for system defaults under different circumstances at your location.

### Departmental Defaults

Hamilton										
Departments:	Non-Blood		Blood Gas	Blood				Patient Condition Exceptions?	Procedure-Specific Exceptions?	Site Specific Comments
	All priorities	STAT	All priorities	STAT	Timed	AM Draw	Routine			
Inpatient Units	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect		Type and screens and a PIC line require both lab and nursing to be present to draw	Blood cultures w/ PIC line - occasionally docs will want a peripheral draw performed and they currently leave a comment
ICU	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	If the patient has a central line - nurse collect	Type and screens and a PIC line require both lab and nursing to be present to draw	Blood cultures w/ PIC line - occasionally docs will want a peripheral draw performed and they currently leave a comment
ED	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab Collect	Patients with an admission will have timed and routine draws performed by lab - else done by nursing		
Procedural Areas	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			Lab assists with difficult sticks
OR	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			Lab assists with difficult sticks
Interventional Radiology	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			Lab assists with difficult sticks
Cath Lab	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			
Outpatient Express Lab	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect		Lab Collect	Lab Collect			

New Brunswick										
Departments:	Non-Blood		Blood Gas	Blood				Patient Condition Exceptions?	Procedure-Specific Exceptions?	Site Specific Comments
	All priorities	STAT	All priorities	STAT	Timed	AM Draw	Routine			
Inpatient Units	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Pediatric units and hard sticks collected by Laboratory		
ICU	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	PICU units and hard sticks collected by Laboratory		
ED	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect		Blood Bank Confirmation collections lab collect?	Peds ED =/= Adult ED
Procedural Areas	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Pre Admission testing is collected by the Laboratory		
OR	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab doesn't go to OR		
L&D	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect			
Interventional Radiology	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			
Cath Lab	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect			

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Departments:	Non-Blood		Blood Gas	Blood			
	All priorities	STAT	All priorities	STAT	Timed	AM Draw	Routine
Inpatient Units	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect
ICU	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect
ED	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Lab Collect	N/A
Procedural Areas	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect	Lab Collect
OR	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect
Interventional Radiology	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect
Cath Lab	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	RT Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect	Nurse Collect