

# SERVICE UPDATE



**CAMPUS AFFECTED: UPH Peoria laboratories**

## **AFFECTS PATIENT CARE**

TEST NAME: UA Reflex to Culture

DATE OF CHANGE: Thursday October 3, 2019

Patients affected: Emergency Room

Labor and Delivery (Methodist only)

REPLACING: NA

SPECIMEN TYPE:

Urine in boric acid and yellow top tubes

**Effective Thursday October 3, 2019, the urinalysis with reflex to urine culture criteria will change to below:**

<b>Previous Criteria</b>	<b>New Criteria</b>
Moderate or greater Leukocyte Esterase or Nitrite AND >10 WBCs	>10 WBCs

The SunQuest LIS system is not sophisticated enough to handle the appropriate rules we would like set up for UA reflex to culture so we have to adjust our reflex testing to only include WBCs. Please reflex the UA to culture if there are >10WBCs for Emergency Room patients at Pekin. NOTE: Sunquest will automatically order the Emergency Room culture when >10 WBC's are reported in the Microscopic.

You will see this screen when reviewing the results. If a culture has already been ordered, then one should be cancelled as a duplicate. Make certain the label on the tube is the open order not the cancelled order.

Please make certain that the tube label has the UMACRO and UMICRO crossed off to avoid confusion.

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UEPI	R05	0-5	
UWBC	R1115	11-15	FAILED NORMAL [R05]/[HPF]
URBC	R51100	51-100	FAILED NORMAL [R05]/[HPF]
UBACT	MANY	MANY	FAILED NORMAL [NS]/[HPF]
UCOM	HIDE	<<DO NOT REPORT>>	

### Order Priority Codes and Comments

Appended  
Order Code/Comment

Add

Remove

Order Code

Code

Filed

Order Code/Comment

Comment

Orders to be reflexed:  
Requesting order VCURC.

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