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ABO & Rh Confirmation Testing - Change in workflow

ABO & RH testing will now need to be done by two different technologists.

For Routine Testing

ABO Confirmation (Patient Retype) Workflow

- The 1000-1800 Bloodbanker (or covering MLT) will perform the CONF test and the Antibody screen
- The sample will be put in the ABORH to be Done rack in the Top of the Blood Bank fridge
- The 1500-2300 Evening Technologist will at some point between 1500-1700 Do any ABORH testing that is in the rack in the Top of the Blood Bank fridge
- Any routine samples the evening person receives will be processed same as the day shift - the ABORH testing will be put in the rack for the 1000-1800 person to perform the following day
- When done samples filed as usual in bottom of fridge

For STAT Testing

- When there is more than one technologist available grab to do stat ABORH testing
- When there is only one technologist working/available
 - perform both CONF and ABORH testing and result
 - o put sample in the ABORH to be Done rack.
 - 2nd technologist to order 2nd CONF test and perform testing.

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