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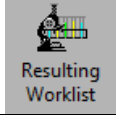
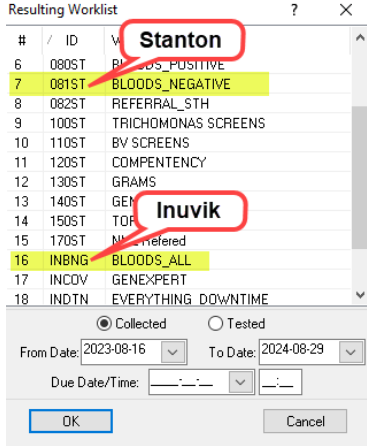
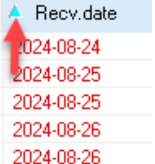
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Step	Action																
1	Select "Resulting Worklist" from the SoftMic main screen: 																
2	From the Resulting Worklist dialogue box, select the negative blood culture worklist for your location (ST or IN): 																
3	Ensure your worklist toolbar is customized as follows: <table border="1" data-bbox="331 1089 1877 1143"> <thead> <tr> <th>#</th> <th>Order</th> <th>Patient Name (Last, First Middle)</th> <th>Coll.date</th> <th>Recv.date</th> <th>Recv.time</th> <th>Plat. date</th> <th>Plat.time</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	#	Order	Patient Name (Last, First Middle)	Coll.date	Recv.date	Recv.time	Plat. date	Plat.time								
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4	Sort the specimens in ascending order by selecting the "Recv. date" column and ensure the blue arrow is pointing up: 																

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STH lab needs to check the "Plat. Date" column to ensure any specimens that have been plated are in fact positive:

#	Order	Patient Name (Last, First Middle)	Coll.date	Recv.date	Recv.time	Plat. date	Plat.time	Tests	Site	Source	Sav. tech
1	G4240065		2024-08-24	2024-08-24	11:30			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
2	G4250002		2024-08-24	2024-08-25	01:17			CXBAE,CXBAN	Peripheral Site Unknown	BLOOD	SLAB
3	G4250076		2024-08-25	2024-08-25	11:01			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
4	G4260025		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	07:10			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
5	G4260026		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	07:12			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
6	G4260228		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	13:40			CXBAE,CXBAN	Peripheral Right Arm	BLOOD	SLAB
7	G4260345		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	19:43			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
8	G4260380		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	20:58			CXBAE,CXBAN	Peripheral Left	BLOOD	SLAB
9	G4260381		2024-08-26	2024-08-26	20:59			CXBAE,CXBAN	Peripheral Right	BLOOD	SLAB
10	G4270004		2024-08-27	2024-08-27	05:28			CXBAE,CXBAN	Line CVP	BLOOD	SLAB
11	G4270022		2024-08-27	2024-08-27	07:01			CXBAE,CXBAN		BLOOD	SLAB
12	G4270102		2024-08-27	2024-08-27	09:26			CXBAE,CXBAN	CVC	BLOOD	SLAB
13	G4270103		2024-08-27	2024-08-27	09:26			CXBAE,CXBAN	PIV Right Wrist	BLOOD	SLAB
14	G4270121		2024-08-26	2024-08-27	10:00			CXBAE,CXBAN	Peripheral Site Unknown	BLOOD	SLAB

➤ If any negative specimens have been plated, no reports will be issued by the LIS. If plating was done in error, in order entry delete the plated by information to un-plate the sample.

Check the "Sav. tech" column to ensure any specimens that are >48 hours from time of receipt have the "No growth after 48 hours incubation preliminary report issued by the LIS:

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When the LIS adds the No growth after 48 hours incubation preliminary report, the save tech is SLAB (for Stanton) or ILAB (for Inuvik).

NOTE: There is a delay in reporting the preliminary report by the LIS

If any specimens on the list are >48 hours from date of receipt and do not have a save tech ID in the Sav. tech column, order needs to be investigated. Some common errors include:

- Report is delayed by the LIS. Check specimen again after a few hours have elapsed
- Sample(s) were not received in the LIS
- Sample(s) were plated in the LIS

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8	<p>Check the "Recv. date" column to ensure no specimens that are >6 days from the date of receipt are on the list:</p> <p>NOTE: Ensure the "Recv. date" column is checked and not the "Coll. Date" column</p> <p>NOTE: Waiting until the specimen is 6 days from time of receipt will account for the delay of the LIS resulting negative blood culture orders</p>
9	<p>If any specimens on the list are >6 days from date of receipt, order needs to be investigated. Common errors include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Sample(s) were not received in the LIS➤ Sample(s) were plated in the LIS

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