



Laboratories at Adventist Healthcare White Oak Medical Center, Shady Grove Medical Center and Germantown Emergency Center

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## **LABORATORY ALERT**

**Subject: New Chemistry Tests**

The Laboratory is informing you of the following test changes:

<b>Effective date:</b>	<b>January 6, 2020</b>				
<b>Test Name:</b>	<b>Test</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Room Temp</b>	<b>Refrigerated</b>	<b>Frozen</b>
	Estradiol	ESTRD	24 hours	2 days	2 days
	Follicle Stim. Hormone	FSH	24 hours	7 days	No
	Luteinizing Hormone	LH	24 hours	7 days	No
	Progesterone	PROGES	24 hours	3 days	120 days
<b>Specimen Requirements:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preferred specimen is Lithium Heparin plasma (mint green top tube)</li> <li>SST and red top tubes are also acceptable</li> </ul>				
<b>Turn Around Time:</b>	Within 24 hours				
<b>Additional information:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Testing will be performed at WOMC only</li> <li>Specimens from SGMC will be sent via courier</li> <li>Tracking must be performed at SG in LIS using template SLAB</li> <li>When sample(s) arrive, WOMC will receive via routine procedure.</li> </ul>				
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