

Weekly Updates

September 4, 2015

Test	Description of Changes	Affected Individuals
OB A1C Screening Protocol	<p>We have had 2 patients with A1C's of 5.6 who then had 1 hour glucose challenges... Please review this protocol.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0; text-align: center;"> <p>If A1C is \leq 5.6%, no further action is necessary.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0; text-align: center;"> <p>If A1C is 5.7-6.4%, instruct patient to return next day (ASAP) non-fasting for 1 hour Glucose Tolerance Test (1 hour GCT) ~AND~ Order 1 hour glucose tolerance test in EPIC.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0; text-align: center;"> <p>If A1C is \geq 6.5%, instruct patient to return fasting the next day for Fasting glucose and A1C. ~AND~ Escort patient to lab front desk and assist with making a lab visit for the next day. (Order Fasting Glu and A1C in EPIC.)</p> </div>	<p>All Staff</p>
Student	<p>The next student will be starting on Monday September 21st. They will be here for 6 weeks doing core and phlebotomy.</p>	<p>All Staff</p>
Confidential Patients	<p>If you have not yet done confidential specimens, make sure to be first in line so that you can get the practice that you need.</p>	<p>All Staff</p>
Health Incentives	<p>Hennepin County employees have less than 2 months to complete the 2 health incentives for a reduced copay for 2016.</p>	<p>All Staff</p>

**New Lot of
Multiqual**

We are running a new lot of Multiqual to establish the mean. Please run these 1x per day.

Bench
Tech/Opener

Procedure Additions, Updates and Changes: