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|  | **LABORATORY****POLICIES AND PROCEDURES** | **GENERAL**  |
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| **INTERMITTENT TESTING** |

**POLICY**

If a test is put back into production certain requirements must be met. This applies to tests that are suspended for any reason.

**PROCEDURE**

When a test is put back into production, the following requirements must be met:

1. PT or alternative assessment must be performed within 30 days prior to restarting patient testing.
2. Method performance specifications verified within 30 days prior to restarting patient testing.
3. Competency assessed for analysts within 12 months to restarting patient testing.

**REFERENCES**

1. CAP All Common Checklist COM.40100 7/31/2012

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