

UW Medicine - Pathology

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Test Ordering Policy

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PURPOSE

To ensure accuracy of test ordering from requisitions and verbal phone orders.

POLICY

Requisition Test Ordering:

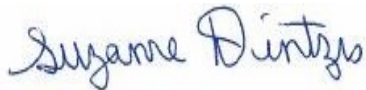
If test orders provided on requisitions are unclear, laboratory personnel must confirm the ordering information with the sender to ensure accuracy of testing ordering.

Verbal / Phone Orders:

All verbal orders must be taken by a pathologist from a treating clinician. After receiving a verbal order, pathologists are required to perform a complete read-back of the order to the ordering clinician to verify order accuracy.

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