# **UW Medicine - Pathology**

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## **Verbal Reporting Policy**

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## **PURPOSE**

To assure quality measures when providing verbal reporting on patients.

#### **POLICY**

All intra-operative consultations (gross tissue review and frozen sections) require confirmation of patient identifiers prior to the delivery of a verbal report. Upon delivery the pathologists providing the verbal report must receive a read back of diagnosis as outlined in the *Test Results Requiring Urgent Physician Notification* procedure and the UWMC APOP.

#### REFERENCE

Test Results Requiring Urgent Physician Notification, 100-02-01-01

Test Result(s) Communicated Verbally including Critical Test(s) Reporting policy, *UWMCAPOP*,85-12.

https://uwmc.uwmedicine.org/sites/PoliciesProcedures/apop/Pages/85-12.aspx

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