

Re: Update on Batch ID Numbers

Dear IU and Riley Team:

As Novartis continues to expand access to CAR-T globally, we are modifying some of our current practices. Historically, batch numbers have begun with the initials "MP." Starting on February 25, 2022, however, you will notice that batch numbers will start with "NT." The batch number will no longer be linked to a specific manufacturing location, allowing for greater flexibility as we continue to expand our global manufacturing footprint. Morris Plains, NJ will continue to be the default primary manufacturing location for orders in the United States.

If you would like manufacturing plant confirmation, the manufacturing location will continue to appear on the Shipping Waybill that the Cell Lab CellChain users receive via email prior to delivery of the shipper.

Please call **KYMRIAH CARES** at 1-844-4KYMRIAH (1-844-459-6742) if you have questions or concerns.

PS. This information has been shared with your Cell Lab via our Certified Tissue Operations Manager.



Thank you,
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