

STANDING DELEGATION ORDERS

LABORATORY ORDERS



When a patient arrives for an appointment with a provider the nursing staff member (RN, LVN, MA) will follow these guidelines to obtain the appropriate tests prior to the provider seeing the patient:

1. Physical Exam (Non-Family Planning and Subsequent Family Planning)
 - Obtain an in-house urinalysis
 - Obtain an in-house hemoglobin
2. Initial Family Planning Visit
 - Obtain an in-house urinalysis
 - Obtain an in-house hemoglobin
 - Obtain blood for RPR and HIV
 - For patients of African-American descent (male or female), obtain blood for Sickle Cell Screen if the chart does not already contain the result of such test or patient unable to produce results of previous testing.,
 - For female patients, obtain blood for a Rubella Titer if the chart does not already contain the results of such test or patient is unable to produce results of previous testing.
3. Patients with Diabetes Mellitus
 - Obtain an in-house Glucose level
 - Obtain an in-house Hemoglobin A₁C if the patient is either a new patient to the clinic or has not had the A₁C Level performed in the previous 90 days.
4. Patients with Irregular or Missed Menses
 - Obtain an in-house urine pregnancy test
5. Patients with Back Pain, Dysuria, or signs of Urinary Tract Infection
 - Obtain an in-house, midstream, clean-catch urinalysis
6. Patients with Glucosuria Noted on Urinalysis
 - Obtain an in-house Glucose Level
 - Record results in the designated space for either Fasting or Random Blood Glucose.

Medical Director's Signature

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Date

7/10/14