NOTICE OF CHANGE OF SERVICE

DATE: September 22, 2009

TO: Housestaff and PCN Physicians, Faculty, and Nursing Personnel
   Primary Care Network, Physicians, and Nurses

FROM: Denis Dwyre, Director, Clinical Hematology
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RE: Notification of reinstated 2.7cc Coagulation Sodium Citrate Tubes

Effective September 15, 2009, the laboratory has reinstated 2.7cc Sodium Citrate tubes. The 1.8cc Sodium Citrate tubes will still be available for Pediatrics and Neonatology blood collection. The 2.7cc Sodium Citrate tubes are available in stores and should be used for all coagulation testing except Pediatrics and Neonatology. This ensures better care to our patient population.

If you have any questions or need further information, please call the Hematology/Hemostasis Laboratory at (916) 734-2490.

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