



## Future State: Ambulatory - Laboratory (Performed Within Health System)

Cerner Workflow ID: 15639 (v. 9.0) Client Workflow ID: 209

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**Workflow Details:**

Workflow Name: Ambulatory - Laboratory (Performed Within Health System)

Workflow State: Future State

Workstream: Ongoing Assessment and Treatment

Venue: Ambulatory

Client Owner:

Cerner Owner:

Standard: Yes

Related Workflow(s):

Tags:

**Workflow Summary:**

Service Line:

Related Solution(s): Cerner Millennium EMR - Ambulatory  
Cerner Oncology

Project Name: Niagara Health System:OPT-0297674:NIAG\_CD Niagara HIS RFP

TestBuilder Script(s):

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Workflow Notes: Standard Build:

-Lab OEF Flexing

(Model Experience&gt;Model Experience Foundation&gt;Depts &amp; Capabilities&gt;Lab)

-Lab Order Sentences

(Model Experience&gt;Model Experience Foundation&gt;Depts &amp; Capabilities&gt;Lab)

-Message Center

(Model Experience&gt;Model Experience Foundation&gt;Nurse or Provider&gt;Ambulatory Venue&gt;Message Center)

Introduced By: WS 4

Validated By: WS 5

**Swim Lane:**

Role(s): Ambulatory Nurse

Ambulatory MA/Tech

Provider/Prescriber [Custom]

Department(s):

Security Position(s): Ambulatory - MA

Ambulatory - MA Templates

Ambulatory - RN/LPN

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Ambulatory - RN/LPN Templates  
Physician - Primary Care  
Ambulatory - Nurse Manager  
Physician - Colon and Rectal Surgery  
Physician - Dermatology  
Physician - Endocrinology  
Physician - Gastroenterology  
Physician - General Surgery  
Physician - Nephrology  
Physician - Neurology  
Physician - Neurosurgery  
Physician - Oncology  
Physician - Ophthalmology  
Physician - Orthopaedic Surgery  
Physician - Otolaryngology  
Physician - Pediatric Cardiology  
Physician - Pediatric Gastroenterology  
Physician - Pediatric Surgery  
Physician - Pediatrics  
Physician - Physical Medicine Rehab  
Physician - Plastic Surgery  
Physician - Pulmonology  
Physician - Rheumatology  
Physician - Sports Medicine  
Physician - Transplant  
Physician - Urgent Care  
Physician - Urology  
Physician - Vascular Surgery  
Physician - Women's Health  
Physician Assistant  
Nurse Practitioner  
Urgent Care - Medical Assistant  
Urgent Care - Nurse  
Urgent Care - Nurse Practitioner  
Urgent Care - Physician Assistant  
Women's Health - Ambulatory Nurse

**Start/Stop [1737]**

Description: Patient requires Laboratory tests

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**Decision [1740]**

Description: Is the lab drawn in the clinic?

**Work Step [1745]**

Description: Place Future Order with:  
Order for Future visit: "Yes"  
Outside Lab: "No"  
Nurse Collect: "No"

Method: PowerOrders

Step Impact: Regulatory

Regulatory Details: Certified Health IT (CHIT)  
Medicaid Promoting Interoperability

Comments: Medicaid Promoting Interoperability: More than 60% of laboratory orders created by the EP are recorded using CPOE.

Certified Health IT  
requires the capability to record laboratory orders via CPOE.

**Decision [1743]**

Description: Will lab be drawn at today's visit?

**Work Step [18062]**

Description: Place Future Order with:Order for Future visit: "Yes"Outside Lab: "No"Nurse Collect:  
"No"

Method: PowerOrders

Step Impact: Regulatory

Regulatory Details: Certified Health IT (CHIT)  
Medicaid Promoting Interoperability

Comments: Medicaid Promoting Interoperability: More than 60% of laboratory orders created by the EP are recorded using CPOE.

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**Work Step [1746]**

Description: Patient presents to lab for specimen collection

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**Work Step [18065]**

Description: Patient returns to clinic for lab draw

Comments: New clinic encounter can be created if charge for specimen collection needs to be created

**Decision [18078]**

Description: Will Lab be drawn by nurse or lab tech?

**Work Step [18075]**

Description: Place Order with: Priority "Urgent Status", Order for Future visit: "No" Outside Lab: "No" Nurse Collect: "No"

**Work Step [18067]**

Description: Activate the future order and then Modify to Nurse Collect: "Yes" on the order  
Method: PowerOrders

**Work Step [18038]**

Description: Place Future Order with: Order for Future visit: "No" Outside Lab: "No" Nurse Collect: "Yes"

Method: PowerOrders

**Work Step [18074]**

Description: Clinic notifies lab.

**Work Step [1754]**

Description: Collect specimen, label, and package with requisition and send to lab. Document the time of collection and collector user ID.

Comments: Label will need to be manually printed or hand written.

To print demographic label:

1. Select "Documents" from toolbar
2. Select the eye to search for patient
3. Select correct encounter
4. Select and print correct label

To print requisition:

1. Right click on order
2. Select Reprint

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Requisition.

Work with client to make sure requisitions are designed and working correctly. CCL Required to print requisitions for Future Orders.

**Off Page Reference [18054]**

Workflow Link: Ambulatory - Result Notification

**Work Step [18041]**

Description: Complete the nurse collect task

Step Impact: Financial

Comments: The nurse collect task fires off of response of "Yes" to the MA/ Nurse Collect field in the OEF. The completion of this task will drive dropping of the charge for venipuncture.

**Start/Stop [1748]**

Description: Lab results are entered into the chart and provider receives results to endorse in Message Center.

Value Impact: Patient Safety  
Quality

Step Impact: Regulatory

Regulatory Details: Patient Centered Medical Home

Comments: Order completes upon results posting.

PCMH Considerations: Result Tracking

**Swim Lane:**

Role(s): Laboratory Department

Department(s): Laboratory

Security Position(s): Laboratory - Spec Collect Clerical  
Laboratory - Spec Collect Phlebotomist

**Work Step [18049]**

Description: Specimen logged into lab and processed.

**Work Step [18085]**

Description: Specimen is collected, logged into lab and processed.

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**Work Step [18044]**

Description: Lab encounter is created

**Work Step [18083]**

Description: Result specimen, following appropriate laboratory workflow

**Work Step [18047]**

Description: Activate appropriate Future Order on lab encounter.

Method: MPage

Comments: Can be activated from the Future Orders Mpage from Department Order Entry (DOE) or PowerChart