Newborn Screening Directory 1-800-252-8023

Laboratory

The Laboratory can provide help in the following areas:

? Requests for collection forms, envelopes, and provider labels; payments for these supplies.

? Specimen collection procedures and techniques to avoid unsatisfactory test results.

? Requests for test results.

? Status of specimen arrival and test completion.

? Technical information on test procedures and reports.

General Information

7333

Technical Information
Specimen Collection & Handling Procedures

| Cumpling | 7664 |
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| Supplies | 7661 |

Forms (filter paper) Envelopes Provider Labels

Billing 7317

Payments - NBS4 Forms

Reporting 7578

Routine Specimen Reports

(Abnormal screens: Call Case Management for the abnormal disorder reported)

Report Cards 6030

Unsatisfactory specimens received and transit time from collection to receipt at the laboratory

Case Management

The Case Management team can provide help in the following areas:

? Newborn screening educational materials (English and Spanish available)

? Instructions for follow-up of abnormal screening results, i.e. what type of specimen to submit for additional testing, where, and when.

? Referrals to pediatric specialists for diagnosis and management of newborn screening disorders.

? Referrals for financial resources available to assist with covering the costs of medical management and special dietary needs for diagnosed cases.

? Information on requirements for newborn screening in Texas.

| General Information Education Materials (Free) | 2129 |
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| Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia (CAH) | 2819 |
| Congenital Hypothyroidism | 3666 |
| Galactosemia | 6827 |
| Hemoglobinopathies (e.g., Sickle Cell Disease) | 6832 |
| Phenylketonuria (PKU) | 6827 |
| Biotinidase Deficiency | 2071 |
| Fatty Acid Disorders, Organic Acid Disorders, Amino Acid Disorders | 7715 |

