



Laboratory Services Important Test Announcement

Inactivation of Whole Exome Sequencing (Patient Sample) and NGS Rasopathy Panel

Test Code: WESPAT & NGSRP

Live Date: 7/8/2024

Effective **July 8th**, the following tests currently offered by the NCH Institute for Genomic Medicine (IGM) Clinical Laboratory will be discontinued. If Nationwide Children's Laboratory Services receives a sample after July 8th for the tests below, the provider will be contacted to determine if they prefer for the testing to be switched to Whole Exome Sequencing or sent to our reference laboratory partner.

- **Whole Exome Sequencing – Patient Sample (Test code: WESPAT)**: Effective July 8th this testing is being discontinued and will no longer be orderable in Epic. This test has been replaced with “Genome Sequencing – Patient Sample” (Test code: **GSPAT**). Whole Exome Sequencing - Reanalysis (Test code: **WESRE**) will remain available until 12/31/2024.
- **NGS Rasopathy Panel (Test code: NGSRP)**: Effective July 8th this testing is being discontinued in-house and will no longer be orderable in Epic. To place an order for this test, please place an Epic lab order for Miscellaneous Reference Lab Test (Test code **XMIS**) and enter the test name, reference lab name, and specimen requirement.

If you have any additional questions about these test updates please contact
Client Services at 614-722-5477.