Instructions for specimen packaging through the tube system:

1. Properly label all specimens prior to transport.
2. Remove needles from specimen container, if present.
3. Carefully and securely tighten caps on specimen containers.
4. Place each patient's specimen(s), stool card(s) or set of blood culture bottles in a separate sealed and a second sealed specimen bag.
5. Any approved laboratory specimen that is STAT or routine may be transported via tube at any time.

If you do not see a specimen, container or item listed DO NOT SEND.

DO NOT SEND FOOD OR ANY CONSUMABLE.

To retrieve a canister: Phone call to “Last Sent” location.

Extra carriers: Place the carrier in the transport mechanism and press “Empty Send”.

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- L2 S. Nurse 204 – Outpatient Lab
- Med 211 – OR Nurse
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- Surg 213 – ASU Nurse
- Surg north
- Peds
- SCU

If contamination occurs or system shutdown is needed call 5227. For additional foam liners, contact CLP at 3975.