

<b>Statement of Deficiencies</b>	<b>(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number</b>  04D0980285	<b>(X3) Date Survey Completed</b>  04/09/2024
<b>Name of Provider or Supplier</b>  Little Rock Children's Clinic P A	<b>Street Address, City, State</b>  27 Corporate Hill Drive, Suite 100, Little Rock, AR	
For information on the provider's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the provider or the state survey agency.		

<b>(X4) ID Prefix Tag</b>	<b>Summary Statement of Deficiencies</b>
<b>D2016</b>	<p>SUCCESSFUL PARTICIPATION CFR(s): 493.803(a)(b)(c)</p> <p>(a) Each laboratory performing nonwaived testing must successfully participate in a proficiency testing program approved by CMS, if applicable, as described in subpart I of this part for each specialty, subspecialty, and analyte or test in which the laboratory is certified under CLIA. (b) Except as specified in paragraph (c) of this section, if a laboratory fails to participate successfully in proficiency testing for a given specialty, subspecialty, analyte or test, as defined in this section, or fails to take remedial action when an individual fails gynecologic cytology, CMS imposes sanctions, as specified in subpart R of this part. (c) If a laboratory fails to perform successfully in a CMS-approved proficiency testing program, for the initial unsuccessful performance, CMS may direct the laboratory to undertake training of its personnel or to obtain technical assistance, or both, rather than imposing alternative or principle sanctions except when one or more of the following conditions exists: (1) There is immediate jeopardy to patient health and safety. (2) The laboratory fails to provide CMS or a CMS agent with satisfactory evidence that it has taken steps to correct the problem identified by the unsuccessful proficiency testing performance. (3) The laboratory has a poor compliance history.</p> <p>This CONDITION is not met as evidenced by: Review of the 2023 and 2024 CMS Casper Reports 096D, 0153D, and the American Proficiency Institute proficiency testing results, showed the laboratory failed to have initial successful participation in proficiency testing for the analyte Total Bilirubin. (TBIL) and the specialty of Routine Chemistry. Failure to achieve satisfactory performance for the same analyte or test in two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is unsuccessful performance as cited at D2096. Failure to achieve satisfactory performance for the specialty in two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is unsuccessful performance as cited at D2097.</p>

<p><b>D2096</b></p>	<p><b>ROUTINE CHEMISTRY</b> CFR(s): 493.841(f)</p> <p>Failure to achieve satisfactory performance for the same analyte or test in two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is unsuccessful performance.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on review of the 2023 and 2024 CMS Casper Reports 096D, 0153D and API proficiency testing results, it was determined the laboratory failed to have satisfactory participation in proficiency testing for the analyte TBIL. Survey Findings follow: A. A review of the proficiency testing results revealed the laboratory received a score of 0% for the analyte TBIL in the second proficiency testing event of 2023. B. A review of the proficiency testing results revealed the laboratory received a score of 60% for the analyte TBIL in the first proficiency testing event of 2024.</p>
<p><b>D2097</b></p>	<p><b>ROUTINE CHEMISTRY</b> CFR(s): 493.841(g)</p> <p>Failure to achieve an overall testing event score of satisfactory performance for two consecutive testing events or two out of three consecutive testing events is unsuccessful performance.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on review of the 2023 and 2024 CMS Casper Reports 096D, 0153D and API proficiency testing results, it was determined the laboratory failed to have satisfactory participation in proficiency testing for the specialty of Routine Chemistry. Survey Findings follow: A. A review of the proficiency testing results revealed the laboratory received a score of 0% for the specialty of Routine Chemistry in the second proficiency testing event of 2023. B. A review of the proficiency testing results revealed the laboratory received a score of 60% for the specialty of Routine Chemistry in the first proficiency testing event of 2024.</p>
<p><b>D6000</b></p>	<p><b>MODERATE COMPLEXITY LABORATORY DIRECTOR</b> CFR(s): 493.1403</p> <p>The laboratory must have a director who meets the qualification requirements of 493.1405 of this subpart and provides overall management and direction in accordance with 493.1407 of this subpart.</p> <p>This CONDITION is not met as evidenced by: Review of 2023 and 2024 proficiency testing results, showed the laboratory director failed to ensure that the proficiency testing samples are tested as required under Subpart H of this part. Refer to D6016.</p>
<p><b>D6016</b></p>	<p><b>LABORATORY DIRECTOR RESPONSIBILITIES</b> CFR(s): 493.1407(e)(4)(i)</p> <p>The laboratory director is responsible for the overall operation and administration of the laboratory, including the employment of personnel who are competent to perform</p>

test procedures, and record and report test results promptly, accurate, and proficiently and for assuring compliance with the applicable regulations. (e) The laboratory director must-- (e)(4)(i) Ensure that the proficiency testing samples are tested as required under Subpart H of this part;

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Review of the 2023 and 2024 proficiency testing events, showed the laboratory director failed to ensure the laboratory successfully participated in proficiency testing for the specialty of Routine Chemistry and the analyte TBIL. Refer to D2096 and D2097.