

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 10D0277893	(X3) Date Survey Completed 07/01/2024
Name of Provider or Supplier Pediatric Associates Inc	Street Address, City, State 4500 Sheridan St, Hollywood, FL	
For information on the provider's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the provider or the state survey agency.		

(X4) ID Prefix Tag	Summary Statement of Deficiencies
D0000	A recertification survey conducted from 06/27/2024 to 07/01/2024 found the PEDIATRICS ASSOCIATES - HOLLYWOOD clinical laboratory not in compliance with 42 CFR Part 493, Requirements for Laboratories
D2007	<p>TESTING OF PROFICIENCY TESTING SAMPLES CFR(s): 493.801(b)(1)</p> <p>The samples must be examined or tested with the laboratory's regular patient workload by personnel who routinely perform the testing in the laboratory, using the laboratory's routine methods</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on record review and interview, the laboratory failed to have all testing personnel (TP) rotate through the testing of Proficiency Testing (PT) for Hematology and Chemistry specialties in 2 out of 3 years reviewed. Findings included: Review of FORM CMS-209 signed and dated by the Laboratory Director (LD) on 06/24/2024 revealed the laboratory had four TP listed (TP#A, TP# B, TP#C and TP#D). -Review of personnel records revealed that TP#A, TP#B, TP#C had annual competencies during 2022 and 2023. -Review of American Proficiency Institute (API) PT records for 2022 (first, second and third event), 2023 (first, second and third event) and 2024 (first event), revealed that TP#A had no PT participation during 2022 for Hematology and Chemistry and in 2023 missed to participate in Chemistry. During an interview on 06/27/2024 at 11:30 AM, the Lead Technician confirmed that the laboratory failed to include TP#A in PT during 2022 and in 2023 for Chemistry.</p>