

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 10D1102926	(X3) Date Survey Completed 05/01/2025
Name of Provider or Supplier Varki Cancer Care Center Pa	Street Address, City, State 1321 Nw 14th St Ste 305, Miami, 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	An announced CLIA recertification survey was conducted at VARKI CANCER CENTER PA on May 1st, 2025. The laboratory was not in compliance with 42 CFR Part 493, Requirements for Laboratories. The following is a description of the standard level deficiencies:
D2009	<p>TESTING OF PROFICIENCY TESTING SAMPLES CFR(s): 493.801(b)(1)</p> <p>(b)(1) The individual testing or examining the samples and the laboratory director must attest to the routine integration of the samples into the patient workload using the laboratory's routine methods.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on record review and staff interview, the Laboratory Director (LD) failed to sign attestations for Proficiency Testing (PT) for three out of three events in 2023 and 2024. Findings included: 1-Review of the PT records from American Proficiency Institute (API) Hematology/Coagulation revealed that the LD failed to sign attestation for the following events: third event 2023 (11/17/2023), first event 2024 (03/18/2024) and second event 2024 (05/15/2024) 2-During the interview on 05/01/2025 at 12:30 PM, the LD confirmed that her signature for the events of reference were missing.</p>
D2127	<p>HEMATOLOGY CFR(s): 493.851(d)</p> <p>(d) Failure to return proficiency testing results to the proficiency testing program within the time frame specified by the program is unsatisfactory performance and results in a score of 0 for the testing event.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:</p>

Based on record review and staff interview, the laboratory failed to submit Proficiency Testing (PT) results in the specified timeframe for two out of five events for the years of 2023 and 2024 for the specialty of Hematology resulting in a score of 0% for all Hematology analytes. Findings included: 1-Review of American Proficiency Institute (API) Hematology PT records revealed that the laboratory failed to submit the results for the second event of 2023 and the third event of 2024 on time resulting in a score of 0 % for Hematology Specialty, Cell Identification or White Blood Differential, Red Blood Cell, Hematocrit, Hemoglobin, White Blood Cells and Platelets. During an interview on 05/01/2025 at 01:00 PM, the Laboratory Director confirmed that the laboratory failed to submit on time the results for the second event of 2023 and third event of 2024.