

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 10D2142655	(X3) Date Survey Completed 03/24/2026
Name of Provider or Supplier Nosky Pa	Street Address, City, State 518 Cypress Parkway, Kissimmee, 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 Nosky PA on March 24, 2026. The laboratory was surveyed under 42 CFR Part 493 CLIA requirements. Standard deficiencies cited are as follows:
D3011	<p>FACILITIES CFR(s): 493.1101(d)</p> <p>Safety procedures must be established, accessible, and observed to ensure protection from physical, chemical, biochemical, and electrical hazards, and biohazardous materials.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, review of the Safety Data Sheets (SDS), and interview, the laboratory failed to ensure protection from chemical hazards used in their vacuum infiltration processor (VIP) and Hematoxylin and Eosin (H&E) stain from 03/11/2024 to 03/24/2026. Findings Included: 1. During tour of the laboratory on 03/24/2026 at 9:30 AM, three containers used to store chemical waste were seen on the floor in a closet 2. Review of the procedure titled, Specimen Processing, signed and dated by the Laboratory Director on 01/05/2026 revealed the laboratory used the following reagents in their VIP processors: 10% Formalin, 70% Reagent Alcohol, 95% Reagent Alcohol, 100% Reagent Alcohol, and Xylene Substrate. 3. Review of the procedure titled, Routine Hematoxylin and Eosin, signed and dated by the Laboratory Director on 01/05/2026, revealed the laboratory used the following reagents for the H&E stain: Xylene Substrate, 100% Reagent Alcohol, 95% Reagent Alcohol, Hematoxylin, Acid Rinse, Bluing Reagent, Eosin, and Xylene. 4. Review of the Safety Data Sheets for the Stat Lab Eosin with Pheloxine B noted, "Keep in fireproof place." 5. Review of the SDS for the Mercedes Scientific 100% Reagent Alcohol, Mercedes Scientific 95% Reagent Alcohol, Mercedes Scientific 80% Reagent Alcohol, Mercedes Scientific 70% Reagent Alcohol, and Mercedes Scientific Xylene Substitute noted, "Store locked up." 6. Review of the SDS for the Mercedes Scientific 100% Reagent Alcohol,</p>

Mercedes Scientific 95% Reagent Alcohol, Mercedes Scientific 80% Reagent Alcohol, and Mercedes Scientific 70% Reagent Alcohol noted "Store in an approved Flammable Liquids storage area." 7. During an interview on 03/24/2026 at 9:48 AM, the General Supervisor acknowledged the chemical waste was stored on the floor of the closet.

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MAINTENANCE AND FUNCTION CHECKS

CFR(s): 493.1254(b)(2)

(b)(2)(i) Define a function check protocol that ensures equipment, instrument, and test system performance that is necessary for accurate and reliable test results and test result reporting. (b)(2)(ii) Perform and document the function checks, including background or baseline checks, specified in paragraph (b)(2)(i) of this section. Function checks must be within the laboratory's established limits before patient testing is conducted.

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on record review and interview, the laboratory failed to document maintenance and function checks for the Miles Scientific Tissue Tek Vacuum Infiltration Processor (VIP) used for large runs from 05/09/2024 to 03/24/2026, and failed to document maintenance and function checks for the Thermo Scientific Autostainer 360 used for Immunohistochemical (IHC) staining from January 2025 to 03/24/2026. Findings included: During tour of the laboratory on 03/24/2024 at 9:40 AM, two tissue tech VIP processors and two autostainers used for IHC stains were observed. Review of the AP Laboratory Equipment Maintenance Log noted the log did not indicate which VIP processor the maintenance was for. Review of the Immunohistochemical Staining Quality Control log revealed the log did not indicate which autostainer the maintenance was for. During an interview on 03/24/2026 at 11:05 AM, the General Supervisor stated he was recording the maintenance for both of the two VIPs together and both of the autostainers together. During an interview on 03/24/2026 at 12:30 PM, the General Supervisor explained they started using the second VIP for large runs on 05/09/2024. During an interview on 03/24/2026 at 1:34 PM, the General Supervisor indicated they started using the second autostainer for large runs in January 2025.