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| Statement of Deficiencies | (X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 16D0383437 | (X3) Date Survey Completed 01/18/2024 |
| Name of Provider or Supplier Des Moines Pediatric & Adolescent Clinic | Street Address, City, State 2301 Beaver Avenue, Des Moines, IA | |
| 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 |
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| D5209 | <p>PERSONNEL COMPETENCY ASSESSMENT POLICIES CFR(s): 493.1235</p> <p>As specified in the personnel requirements in subpart M, the laboratory must establish and follow written policies and procedures to assess employee and, if applicable, consultant competency.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on review of personnel competency records and interview with laboratory personnel identifier #2 (refer to the Laboratory Personnel Report) at 1:15 pm on 01/18 /2024, the laboratory failed to perform annual competency assessments for five out of five testing personnel (personnel identifiers #2- #6) in 2023. The findings include: 1. Laboratory personnel identifiers #2- #6 perform complete blood cell (CBC) testing. 2. At the time of the survey, the laboratory did not have annual competency assessments for personnel identifiers #2- #6 from 2023.</p> |
| D5781 | <p>CORRECTIVE ACTIONS CFR(s): 493.1282(b)(1)</p> <p>(b) The laboratory must document all corrective actions taken, including actions taken when any of the following occur: (b)(1) Test systems do not meet the laboratory's verified or established performance specifications, as determined in 493.1253(b), which include but are not limited to-- (b)(1)(i) Equipment or methodologies that perform outside of established operating parameters or performance specifications; (b) (1)(ii) Patient test values that are outside of the laboratory's reportable range of test results for the test system; and (b)(1)(iii) When the laboratory determines that the reference intervals (normal values) for a test procedure are inappropriate for the laboratory's patient population.</p> |

This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:

Based on review of patient test records, the Sysmex XP-300 operator's guide, and confirmed by laboratory personnel identifier #2 (refer to the Laboratory Personnel Report) at 1:53 pm on 01/18/2024, the laboratory failed to perform and document corrective action when hematology equipment failed to meet the laboratory's established operating parameters for three out of three patients (patient identifiers A, B, and C) reviewed from August 2023. The findings include: 1. Patient identifier A had a complete blood count (CBC) and differential performed on 08/05/2023. 2. Patient identifier B had a CBC and differential performed on 08/10/2023. 3. Patient identifier C had a CBC and differential performed on 08/22/2023. 4. The instrument flagged the platelet result for patients A, B, and C with an agglutination (AG*) flag. 5. Review of the Sysmex XP-300 operator's guide revealed that test results flagged with an agglutination flag indicates that the instrument failed to meet established operating parameters and requires additional action be taken as specified by the manufacturer. 6. At the time of the survey, laboratory personnel identifier #2 confirmed that additional action had not been taken for CBC test results flagged with an agglutination flag for patient identifiers A, B, or C.