

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 41D0677950	(X3) Date Survey Completed 03/10/2023
Name of Provider or Supplier Block Island Health Services	Street Address, City, State 6 Payne Road, New Shoreham, RI	
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
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 staff interview, the laboratory failed to test proficiency testing (PT) samples in the same manner as routine patient samples in the specialty of Chemistry. Findings include: 1. Record review on 3/07/2023 of the laboratory's Medical Laboratory Evaluation (MLE) 2021 and 2022 Troponin PT records revealed, 2 of 3 testing personnel (TP) did not participate in PT in 2021 and 2022. 2. Staff interview with TP#1 on 3/07/2023 at 9:30 AM confirmed the above findings. TP#1 stated, "I am the only one that tests MLE PT samples." 3. The laboratory performs 100 Troponin tests annually in the specialty of Chemistry.</p>