

Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 44D2117735	(X3) Date Survey Completed 07/30/2018
Name of Provider or Supplier Blount Memorial Physicians Group	Street Address, City, State 220 Associates Blvd, Alcoa, TN	
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
D6047	<p>TECHNICAL CONSULTANT RESPONSIBILITIES CFR(s): 493.1413(b)(8)(i)</p> <p>The procedures for evaluation of the competency of the staff must include, but are not limited to direct observations of routine patient test performance, including patient preparation, if applicable, specimen handling, processing and testing.</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on a review of the Mohs technicians yearly competency evaluations and an interview with the office manager, three out of three specimen processors competency evaluations did not contain the six elements of competency as mandated by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). See attached. Findings include: 1. Three out of three Mohs technicians competency evaluations did not contain the six elements of competency as mandated by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) during 2016, 2017, and 2018. 2. An interview with the office manager at 12:30 PM on July 30, 2018 confirmed three out of three Mohs technicians competency evaluations did not contain the six elements of competency as mandated by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) during 2016, 2017, and 2018.</p>