



EXTENDED SPECIMEN PROGRAM (ESP)

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To be completed by Preoperative Readiness Education Program (PREP) phlebotomist or clinician:

Location of Surgery: _____

Anticipated date of surgery: _____ *Reminder to Phlebotomists- do not collect if date is more than 60 days away.

Has patient been pregnant, miscarried or has an abortion in the past three months? Yes No Uncertain*

Has patient been transfused in the past three months? Yes No Uncertain*

Above information provided by: Patient Other (specify): _____

Provider or designee signature Printed Name Date/24H Time

Collect type/screen specimen, label appropriately, and attach pink copy to specimen with extra label attached.

White and yellow copies remain in chart. Place order.

***Patient is NOT eligible for ESP if response is Yes or Uncertain to any question; a second type/screen specimen must be collected within three days of possible transfusion.**

Check eligibility status below:

Patient eligible for ESP Patient NOT eligible for ESP

To be completed by Admitting Nurse:

ESP Program checklist:

- Patient has NOT been pregnant, miscarried, or had an abortion in the past three months.
- Patient has NOT been transfused in the past three months.
- Pre-Admission Unit specimen date not greater than 60 days (see date above).
- Patient label above and wristband match (spelling of name, first eight digits of 12-digit hospital number, date of birth).

Completed ESP form tubed to Blood Bank.
Above information provided by: Patient Other (specify): _____

Admitting Nurse signature Printed Name Date/24H Time

If about boxes are all checked, patient type/screen specimen drawn at PREP is still valid (no need to draw new type/screen specimen). If indicated, enter number of units of RBCs to be cross-matched into Epic (type/cross order).

If unable to complete above checklist, patient will need to be redrawn STAT. Enter order for type/screen or type/cross into Epic. Forward bottom copy and specimen to Blood Bank immediately.