

# *Requests/Reporting*

## **Pathology Results**

Normally, pathology reports are available the day following specimen submission (exceptions on Saturdays, Sundays, or holidays).

Copies of complete pathology reports are made and distributed as follows:

- Epic EHR
- A copy of the report is forwarded to the attending physician
- A copy is retained in pathology files

## **Result Communication**

All laboratory results from Emergency Services and Convenient Care are available in the EPIC EHR upon completion. All laboratory results from all other locations will be available in the Epic EHR upon completion.

## **Result Generation**

Most frequently ordered tests are completed and reported within 24 hours following receipt of specimen in our laboratory. Those that require longer testing time are reported as soon as results are available.

Saint Francis Medical Center's computerized reporting system includes chart-ready copies with reference (normal) ranges for comparison. For most procedures, abnormal results are "flagged" or highlighted. Results are also available in the MyChart application.

Test results are distributed to providers or obtained through Medical Records.

Test results generated by our laboratory information system can be viewed in Epic or printed from the screen to an Epic printer at the users request. In addition, results are available through the clinical information system as well. Normal ranges and abnormal high, low, and critical flags are presented where appropriate.

## **MayoAccess**

MayoAccess, Mayo Medical Laboratories' order entry and result system, provides an interactive link between Saint Francis Medical Center and Mayo Medical Laboratories. This computerized system offers a simplified ordering process and on-demand access to your reference laboratory results.