

Memo

To: AML Reference Laboratory Clients
From: Allina Medical Laboratories, Reference Laboratory Services
Date: February 6, 2009
Re: MAR Specimen Transport Container Change

Effective immediately, the recommended transport container for the Microalbumin, Random Urine (630/MAR) is an AML False-Bottom Transfer Vial. This change has been made in an attempt to ensure that the specimen will not leak during transport. The AML Collection Manual, found at www.allina.com/medicallaboratories, has been updated to reflect this change.

If you have any questions in regards to this change, please contact your AML Account Representative.

Test Name: MICRO ALBUMIN, RANDOM URINE
Test Number: 630/MAR
Collect: Random Urine - Sterile Container
Container: Sterile Urine Container
Processing: *Pour urine into AML- False Bottom Transfer Vial*
Transport/Stability: Refrigerated
Performing Lab: AML - CM
Days Set Up: Daily
Expected TAT: 1 Day
Ref. Ranges: <30 mg/g Creat
**Collection/
Processing Details:** DO NOT FREEZE