



Laboratory

## September 19, 2025

To: All Greater Peoria Service Area Carle Health Facilities

Carle Health Methodist Outreach Clients

From: Carle Health: Peoria Service Area Laboratories

INFORM: Changes to Outpatient Collection Facilities in Greater Peoria (Effective 10/1/2025)

# **ACTION:**

Please review the following updates regarding outpatient laboratory collections in the Greater Peoria Area. These changes impact the Carle Health <u>West Region</u> and will take effect on **October 1, 2025**.

#### INFORMATION:

- Methodist Diagnostic Center Outpatient Collection Center Closure:
  - Effective October 1, 2025, the Methodist Diagnostic Center Outpatient Collection Center (Heart, Lung and Vascular Institute Building, 112 NE Crescent Ave., Peoria, IL) will close for outpatient laboratory and EKG services.
- Pekin Hospital Outpatient Lab Hours Update:
  - Carle Health Pekin Hospital Outpatient Lab (1st Floor) (600 S. 13th St., Pekin, IL) will adjust its closing time to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday, effective October 1, 2025.
- Methodist Hospital Outpatient Lab Extended Hours Beginning October 1, 2025:
  Carle Health Methodist Hospital Outpatient Lab (1st Floor, 221 NE Glen Oak Ave., Peoria, IL) will extend its hours to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. Weekend operations remain unchanged.

#### Patient Instructions:

Patients should be directed to alternative Peoria area outpatient collection facilities. The Methodist Outpatient Collection Center at Carle Health Methodist Hospital is the closest collection site to the Methodist Diagnostic Center. **Note:** Patients must register at patient registration before proceeding to the Collection Center.

Last appointment is taken 15 minutes before closing all collection sites.

## **BACKGROUND:**

We are making these changes to better serve our community and ensure every patient receives timely, high-quality care. By adjusting our outpatient lab hours and consolidating locations, we can focus our resources where they are needed most, reduce wait times, and maintain strong staffing coverage. These updates reflect our commitment to providing convenient and reliable laboratory services for all patients in the Greater Peoria area.

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