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To: SHC & LPCH Medical Staff

From: Stanford Hospital and Clinics Clinical Laboratory

Subject: Alkaline phosphatase (ALP) Testing

As of February 8, 2015, alkaline phosphatase (ALP) testing at Stanford Healthcare will change to a new alkaline phosphatase method (ALPI), which is traceable to the International Federation of Clinical Chemistry (IFCC) ALP primary reference material. As a result, the new reference intervals will be as follows:

<u>Age</u>	<u>New (ALPI)</u>
0-1	<370 U/L
1-6	<330 U/L
6-12	<460 U/L
12-16 (male)	<460 U/L
12-16 (female)	<370 U/L
16-18	<190 U/L
18+	<120 U/L

If you have any questions about this change, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

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