

DO YOU NEED A LAB DRAWN FROM AN OUTSIDE PROVIDER?

An outside lab order is one in which a provider in the community not affiliated with the health center has written an order for laboratory tests for a patient under his/her direct care.

Here's What You Need Know:



You have to be an established patient in order to have outside lab orders performed at the health center.



As we are not a drawing station, all outside lab orders must be approved by a provider on-site and must be on the approved lab list prior to the lab draw.



All outside lab orders must be presented to the center at least 2 days prior to the lab appointment. The MHO provider must review the outside lab orders prior to the order being placed into the system. A discussion with the patient may be required.

