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Memorandum re Phenytoin assays

Due to unexpected demand, we have run low on supplies of phenytoin reagent and will only be processing urgent samples until early next week.

Please contact the laboratory directly if you have an urgent request that needs to be processed.

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