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Ambulatory: PathNet Order Catalog Activation – Clinical Staff **March 16, 2023**

PathNet Order Catalog Activation Overview

Effective 3/20/23: The PathNet Order Catalog will be turned on and available in Production.

PathNet Overview

What is PathNet?

- McLaren is moving to Cerner PathNet, which means we will be using Cerner's lab system. We will have full integration from the clinical side to the lab side.
- Currently, there are interface connections to make the systems communicate with one another.
- Ambulatory will see changes to workflows and will also see Operational impacts due to the transition from Alab to PathNet.

Activating Lab Orders Overview

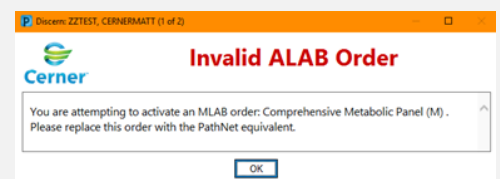
Starting 3/20/23: Patients could have both PathNet and MLab orders on their chart. Users must be sure to select the appropriate order(s) when activating orders for in-office draws, otherwise the alerts below will fire. If the Provider placed an order from the wrong catalog, Clinical Staff need to take the appropriate steps to replace with the appropriate order from the correct catalog.

Prior to 6/3/23: Users will not be able to activate PathNet orders. If attempted, the following alert will display.



Starting 6/3/23: Users will not be able to activate existing MLab orders for patients requiring in-office lab draws. Clinical Staff will need to replace the MLab order with a PathNet order.

If a user attempts to activate an MLab order post 6/3, the following alert will display:



Please refer to the grid below, which will give an overview of the workflow changes and provide a link to the corresponding education.

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Topic	New PathNet Process/Workflow	Job Aid
<p>MLab order was placed and was never converted to a PathNet order.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The patient presents for an in-office lab draw post 6/3. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical Staff will review the MLab orders on the patient's chart. Clinical Staff will search and select the appropriate PathNet equivalent orders. In the Ordering Physician window, choose the Wave 5_PathNet Cutover Communication Type since Provider co-sign is not needed. In the Order Details, select the Nurse Collect Yes radio button. Once orders are signed, they will display in a Future (On Hold) status. Clinical Staff will Activate the PathNet orders and proceed with the PathNet In-Office Specimen Collection workflow. Clinical Staff will Cancel/Discontinue the MLab orders remaining on the chart. 	<p>AMB Job Aid_PathNet Catalog - Activating Lab Orders - Clinical Staff.pdf</p>
<p>PathNet order was placed for the patient to have drawn post 6/3.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The patient presents for an in-office lab draw before 6/3. The order on the chart is from the wrong order catalog. Note: This should not be a common occurrence. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical Staff will review the PathNet orders on the patient's chart. Clinical Staff will search and select the appropriate MLab equivalent orders. In the Ordering Physician window, choose the Wave 5_PathNet Cutover Communication Type since Provider co-sign is not needed. Once orders are signed, they will display in a Future (On Hold) status. Clinical Staff will Activate the MLab orders and proceed with the current state In-Office Specimen Collection workflow. Clinical Staff will Cancel/Discontinue the PathNet orders remaining on the chart. 	<p>AMB Job Aid_PathNet Catalog - Activating Lab Orders - Clinical Staff.pdf</p>