

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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Center for Medicaid and State Operations/Survey and Certification Group

Dear Laboratory Director,

This letter introduces the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendment (CLIA) Complaint "Brochure".

It is important that laboratory professionals and all users of laboratory services are afforded the opportunity to express concerns about the quality of a laboratory's testing when needed. CLIA survey Organizations are required to provide instructions to their constituent laboratories detailing how complaints can be filed and The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) is providing this information to all laboratories which are not subject to routine survey, in addition to the laboratories it does survey.

To meet this need, CMS has created a CLIA brochure containing information pertinent to the mechanisms and resources for reporting complaints and concerns. This information should be made available to all personnel in your laboratory, patients and their representatives, the public, physicians and other caregivers using the laboratory's services.

Included with this letter, you will find a copy of the CLIA Complaints brochure so that you may Disseminate this information immediately.

Please visit the CMS/CLIA website at www.cms.hhs.gov/clia for additional copies of the brochure as well as more information and resources regarding the CLIA program.

Judith A. Yost
Director, Division of Laboratory Services
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**CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES
CLINICAL LABORATORY IMPROVEMENT AMENDMENTS
CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION**

LABORATORY NAME AND ADDRESS

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS HOSPITAL, THE
3901 RAINBOW BLVD
KANSAS CITY, KS 66160-7232

CLIA ID NUMBER

17D0448802

EFFECTIVE DATE

02/28/2011

LABORATORY DIRECTOR

LOWELL TILZER, MD

EXPIRATION DATE

02/27/2013

Pursuant to Section 353 of the Public Health Services Act (42 U.S.C. 263a) as revised by the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments (CLIA), the above named laboratory located at the address shown hereon (and other approved locations) may accept human specimens for the purposes of performing laboratory examinations or procedures.

This certificate shall be valid until the expiration date above, but is subject to revocation, suspension, limitation, or other sanctions for violation of the Act or the regulations promulgated thereunder.



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If you currently hold a Certificate of Compliance or Certificate of Accreditation, below is a list of the laboratory specialties/subspecialties you are certified to perform and their effective date:

<u>LAB CERTIFICATION (CODE)</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>	<u>LAB CERTIFICATION (CODE)</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
BACTERIOLOGY (110)	10/13/1995	ANTIBODY TRANSFUSION (520)	10/13/1995
MYCOBACTERIOLOGY (115)	10/13/1995	ANTIBODY NON-TRANSFUSION (530)	10/13/1995
MYCOLOGY (120)	10/13/1995	ANTIBODY IDENTIFICATION (540)	10/13/1995
PARASITOLOGY (130)	10/13/1995	COMPATIBILITY TESTING (550)	10/13/1995
VIROLOGY (140)	10/13/1995	HISTOPATHOLOGY (610)	10/13/1995
SYPHILIS SEROLOGY (210)	10/13/1995	CYTOLOGY (630)	12/23/2003
GENERAL IMMUNOLOGY (220)	10/13/1995	CYTOGENETICS (900)	10/13/1995
ROUTINE CHEMISTRY (310)	10/13/1995		
URINALYSIS (320)	10/13/1995		
ENDOCRINOLOGY (330)	10/13/1995		
TOXICOLOGY (340)	10/13/1995		
HEMATOLOGY (400)	10/13/1995		
ABO & RH GROUP (510)	10/13/1995		

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT CLIA, VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.CMS.HHS.GOV/CLIA
OR CONTACT YOUR LOCAL STATE AGENCY. PLEASE SEE THE REVERSE FOR
YOUR STATE AGENCY'S ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER.
PLEASE CONTACT YOUR STATE AGENCY FOR ANY CHANGES TO YOUR CURRENT CERTIFICATE.